

**General Information Exhibit: Justification for STA**

This exhibit is to advise the Commission that KQFX-LD is currently operating at .88 kw transmitter output power or 80% of authorized transmitter output power due to a technical failure in the transmitter's combiner on January 16, 2017. This failure caused damage to several amplifier trays. Initially, the damage prevented the transmitter from putting out power. As of January 28, 2017, the station has been restored to .88 kw transmitter output power. At this time, the licensee is in the process of troubleshooting one or more amplifiers that are not communicating properly. The licensee anticipates the issues will be resolved in the next few days or weeks. The licensee respectfully requests special temporary authority to operate at reduced power as described herein while repairs to the combiner and amplifier are being made.

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