

Post-Auction Facility Transmitter for KFXO-CD

April 2018:

It has recently come to the attention of the licensee that KFXO-CD may have an issue with its existing transmitter. When we originally analyzed the facility for its repack plan, the transmitter manufacturer indicated our existing Linear Industries transmitter would be able to be re-channeled and that technical support for such rechanneling would be provided. Since our original planning, Hitachi Comark (which acquired Linear Industries) has indicated to us that the pre-transition channel 39 transmitter may not be supported for re-channeling to post-transition channel 15 and may, instead, need to be replaced. The vendor has provided us with documentation (see attached) that the re-channeling of the transmitter will not be supported.

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Hitachi Kokusai Electric Comark LLC

April 6, 2018

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RE: Re-channeling of Linear LPTV Transmitter

Dear Justin,

Hitachi Kokusai Electric Comark LLC (HKCM) would like to inform you that we will not be able to re-channel the Linear LPTV model AT71-K2 transmitter product.

Hitachi Kokusai Electric Comark LLC (HKCM) has been constantly monitoring and reviewing our DTV product line we have had numerous supplied products/items in this transmitter that have come to end of life and are no longer available. Therefore, HKCM has decided that there are too many issues currently presenting itself and looking forward sees the potential that these products will not be serviced by HKCM in a manner that benefits the customer base nor HKCM.

If you should have questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



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