

KDTV-CD, Santa Rosa, California
DTV/Class A Certifications
Discontinued Operations

The purpose of this exhibit is to remind the Commission of the circumstances under which Station KDTV-CD, Santa Rosa, California (the “Station”) was forced to cease operations for an extended period of time. As noted in its Digital Class A Engineering STA Application and request for Special Relief filed on December 10, 2018 and granted on December 11, 2018 (See LMS File No. 0000064064), the Station ceased operation on October 11, 2017 when its technical facilities on Mt. St. Helena South was destroyed by the historically-destructive Santa Rosa wildfires. As a result, after a period of service interruption following the October 2017 wildfires, the Station returned to service at a temporarily-authorized site on Mt. St. Helena North on April 24, 2019, pursuant to the parameters granted in above-mentioned STA. This STA was subsequently extended on June 27, 2019 (see LMS File No. 0000074535) and on January 2, 2020 (see LMS File No. 0000093156), and the Station eventually built-out permanent facilities at this Mt. St. Helena North location pursuant to a modification granted February 21, 2019 (see LMS File No. 0000064188) and subject to a License to Cover application granted May 1, 2020 (see LMS File No. 0000112915).