

**Application for Consent to Pro Forma Assignment of License  
Charles R. Meeker**

**DESCRIPTION OF TRANSACTION**

By this application, Commission consent is being sought for the pro forma assignment of KRET-CD, Palm Springs, CA (Facility No. 10536) (“Station”), from Charles R. Meeker to the Estate of Charles R. Meeker.

Mr. Meeker passed away on February 18, 2021. Due to administrative oversight, the Commission was not formally notified of this event – nor was an application for *pro forma* assignment of license filed – until the date of this application.<sup>1</sup>

Pursuant to the attached Petition for Probate, filed on July 18, 2022, approval of the Superior Court of California (County of Sonoma) was sought for the appointment of Mr. Meeker’s surviving spouse, Molly Meeker, as Executor of Mr. Meeker’s estate. The Court has not yet approved the Petition, pending Commission approval of this pro forma assignment of license application.

Following grant of this application, Mrs. Meeker intends to distribute the assets of Mr. Meeker pursuant to her role as Executor. The public interest would be served by grant of this application so that the Station can be assigned from Mr. Meeker to his Estate, and operated in a manner that continues to serve viewers in Palm Springs and the surrounding areas without interruption.

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<sup>1</sup> The Commission was tacitly notified of Mr. Meeker’s passing pursuant to an exhibit that was filed as part of an application for the Station’s license renewal (File No. 0000196044).