

REQUEST FOR AN ENGINEERING STA

Sunflower Broadcasting, Inc., licensee of Television Station KBSL-DT, Goodland, Kansas (Facility ID No. 66416), requests special temporary authority to continue broadcasting at 50% of the station's authorized power.

As Sunflower Broadcasting reported to the Commission on August 6, 2012, KBSL-DT went off the air over the weekend of July 28-29 due to an apparent failure of the transmission line between the transmitter and the antenna. Partial power was restored on July 31, 2012.

The incident resulting in substantial damage to the station's antenna. Efforts to repair the antenna or otherwise to restore full power operation have so far proven fruitless. Sunflower Broadcasting is actively reviewing options for repair or replacement of the damaged equipment. Until either repairs have been made or replacement equipment is obtained and installed, KBSL-DT continues to operate at half-power.

Sunflower Broadcasting therefore requests special temporary authority to operate below the power levels required by Section 73.1560(d) of the Commission's Rules.