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John N. Sampson 4949 Aldrich Avenue South Minneapolis, MN 55409

Dear Mr. Sampson:

Thank you for letter postmarked May 21, 1996. I must say I am most impressed with your thoroughness in noting what was going over our airwaves at the time you tuned in.

KWOM began broadcasting at 7 pm on Wednesday, May 15, 1996. We are an affiliate of ABC's Satellite Music Network, using their "Stardust" format. We broadcast live from our Watertown studio from 5 am to 6 pm Monday through Friday, and from 6am to 1 pm on Saturday and Sunday. The remainder of each day we use the satellite service.

Regarding your request for information on our antenna configuration, I'll provide as much information as I can, although from your letter, I can tell that you know much more about radio equipment than I. Our transmitter and tower site is about 1 mile northwest of the city of St. Bonifacius. We have three, 150-foot towers than provide a north and northeastward directional signal. We broadcast at a power of 5000 watts at a frequency of 1600 kHz.

Also, to aid in your collection of letters...

I hereby confirm your reception of KWOM, 1600 AM, on May 19, 1996.

Again, thank you for writing and feel free to tune in anytime.

Sincerely,

Randall B. Asplund Program Director, KWOM

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