

KDLS

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AM 1310

FM 105

PERRY BROADCASTING COMPANY

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GENERAL MANAGER

October 30, 1979.

John Sampson
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John:

This is to confirm your reception report of October 26, 1979.

KDLS A-M and F-M are licensed to Perry, Iowa, but there is a satellite studio for the A-M in Jefferson from which programs originate from 8 to 9 AM and 1 to 3 PM.

KDLS A-M went on the air in May, 1961 with a Collins 500 watt transmitter feeding a three-tower antenna array oriented along a line 80 degrees from north with a rather pear-shaped pattern with maximum radiation to the west. There are nulls in the pattern to protect stations in Mason City and in Knoxville and Keokuk.

KDLS F-M went on the air in 1970 with 3 kilowatts stereo. The antenna is mounted on the center tower at 355 feet. The other two towers are 165 feet.

The stations are locally owned and operated. Being in the shadow of Des Moines the stations are also locally oriented.

Thanks so much for your report. It is always good to hear from the people "out there".

You might be interested in knowing that some years ago when we were on the air at 1 AM to have our frequency checked by a monitoring service in Kansas City, we were heard by a listener in New Zealand. He sent tapes as proof.

Sincerely,



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