

# New radio station ready for broadcasting

**HULL:** A new radio station is to start broadcasting in the city after its new studio was built.

KCFM 99.8 has a new broadcasting facility in Hedon Road, east Hull.

The team was today preparing to move in ahead of its first day of broadcasting in August.

Ian Blakey, KCFM 99.8's chairman, is pleased with the new studio.

He said: "The pressure

has been on everyone to complete the studios before we start broadcasting and we now have a fully operational studio to be proud of."

The studio will be used by radio staff including Steve Jordan, KCFM's breakfast show presenter.

It was built by construction company Spacetailors working with broadcast architects Corn Tarrant.

The studio uses a metal framework rather than a timber one, allowing a soundproofed facility to be built quickly.

Dave Carpenter, of Spacetailors, said they won the contract after promising the studio would be up and running within six weeks.

He said: "While we are expert fit-out contractors in the hospitality, leisure, retail and corporate

sectors, this is the first time Spacetailors has tackled a broadcasting facility.

"Nevertheless, we marshalled our considerable experience and both parties are delighted with the results.

"We're very happy with the end result. KCFM now has a comfortable and stylised facility from which it can launch its new station."



**PRESENTER: Steve Jordan**