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June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 5-19-59 Call letters K.C.C.R.

Station location Pierre, South Dakota

SORENSEN BROADCASTING CORPN. (AL 2-29-72)

X AGRUSS BROADCASTING, INC. (BAL-6364 7-31-68 EFF: 8-14-68)

X CAPITOL BROADCASTING, INC. (AL-5-12-64 EFF: 5-15-64)

Name of licensee X GREAT PLAINS BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Issac Walton Road, Pierre, South Dakota (P801022AF 1-14-81)

Transmitter location X 1/2 mile east of city near Hwy. #34, Pierre, South Dakota

106 West Capitol, Pierre, South Dakota

xx 110 W. Capitol, Pierre, South Dakota (BS 12-9-70)

X331 1/2 South Pierre St., Pierre, South Dakota (BRC 7-27-64)

X117 1/2 West Sioux, Pierre, South Dakota (Let. 11-19-58)

Main studio location X To be determined, Pierre, South Dakota

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BP-11636	11-5-58	1590kc	1kw	Day	1-5-59 7-5-59
CP for a new standard broadcast station.					
BL-7385	5-19-59	1590kc	1kw	Day	5-19-59 4-1-62
License to cover CP (BP-11,636) which authorized a new standard broadcast station.					
BTC-3375	3-30-60	Voluntary transfer of control of license			
EFF:	6-1-60	corporation from Edward N. Davenport, et al			
(All Stockholders) to Leroy Okerlund and 5 others.					
	3-28-62	Commission deferred action on renewal			
<u>pending further consideration.</u>					
BR-3745	1-31-63	Renewal of license			1-31 4-1-65
BAL-5057	5-12-64	Voluntary assignment of license to			
EFF:	5-15-64	CAPITOL BROADCASTING, INC.			
BRC-2505	7-27-64	1590kc	1kw	Day	7-27 4-1-65
Mod. of license to change studio location and remote control point to 331½ South Pierre St., Pierre, South Dakota.					
BP-16313	2-8-65	1240kc	250w	U	4-8 10-3-65
CP to change freq. to 1240kc, change hours of operation to Unlimited using power of 250w (Cond'l).					
BR-3745	3-4-65	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			4-1 4-1-68
BL-10,906	6-5-65	1240kc	250w	U	6-4 4-1-68
Lic to cover CP(BP-16,313) which auth change freq. from 1590kc to 1240kc chg. hours of operation from daytime to U. using power of 250w					
BP-16668	2-9-66	1240kc	250w, 1kw-LS	U	4-9 10-9-66
CP to increase daytime power to 1kw(Cond'l).					
BL-11,249	5-4-66	1240kc	250w, 1kw-LS	U	5-4 4-1-68
Lic to cover CP(BP-16,668) which auth incr. daytime power (Cond'l)					
BR-3745	3-29-68	RENEWAL & NDEA			4-1-71
(S)					

Form BC 126 #2
June 1954

STANDARD

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

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Station location PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA

Name of licensee AGRUS BROADCASTING, INC.

Transmitter location 1/2 mile E of City near Hwy. #34, Pierre, S.D.

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BAL-6364	7-31-68	VOL. AL	EFF.	8-14-68	
BS-3745(1)	12-9-70	Mod. of lic. to change SL and RC to 110 W, Capitol, Pierre, South Dakota			
BS-3745(L)	3-2-71	Mod. of lic. to change type accepted transmitter. to Gates, BC-1T.			
BR-3745(S)	7-14-71	Renewal of License & NDEA			4-1-74
BAL-7473	2-29-72	VOL. AL			
EBSA	5-25-72				
BZ-8271(I)	3-5-73	Direct Measurement			4-1-74
BZ-8271(I)	3-5-73	superseded to correct input power			4-1-74
BR-3745(S)	5-20-74	RENEWAL			4-1-77
BS- 3745	11-28-75	Mod. of lic. to change SL and RC			
Ltr.	3-17-76	Trans. GATES BC-1T now installed {former main trans.} Auxiliary			
BR-3745(L)	3-15-77	Renewal of License (Main & Aux.)			4-1-80
BR791203A5 (S)	3-25-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE MAIN & AUX.			4-1-83
CP801022AF (L)	1-14-81	1240khz .25kw CP to chg. TL		1.0kw Unl.	1-14-82

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters NEW.....K.C.C.R......Name GREAT PLAINS BROADCASTING CORPORATION
(P.O. - Edward N. Davenport, Box-748, Rapid City, S.D.)
~~President~~117½ W. Sioux, Pierre, S.D. (per ltr 11-24-58)
~~Section~~

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
BP-11,636 Rec'd Filed	10-12-57 10-14-57 10-14-57	Construction permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 900kc-800kc- 1590kc Power - 1kw Hours of operation - Daytime Trans. location - One half mile east of city near Hwy #34, Pierre, South Dak. Studio location - Same as transmitter	GRANTED	11-5-58
AMENDMENT Rec'd Filed	12-4-57 12-6-57 12-6-57	AMENDED to make changes in stockholders.		
AMENDMENT R & F	4-21-58 4-24-58	AMENDED to change frequency to 800kc ; change studio loc. to To be determined. Pierre, S.Dak., operate trans. by remote control from studio; make changes in ground system and change type transmitter (GATES-BC-1E).		
AMENDED R. & F.	9-29-58 9-30-58	AMENDED to change frequency to 1590kc; and change type transmitter (GATES BC-1J).		

GATES BC ~~22~~ 1A

Gates BC-1J

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Letters K C C RName GREAT PLAINS BROADCASTING CORPORATIONPIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-7385 R. & F.	1-27-59 1-28-59	License to cover CP (BP-11,636) which auth. a new standard broadcast station.	GRANTED	5-19-59
BTC-3375 Rec'd Filed	2-8-60 2-12-60 2-12-60	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Edward N. Davenport, et al (All Stockholders) to LeRoy Okerlund and 5 others. Harry J. Daly, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	3-30-60 6-1-60
BR-3745 R. & F.	1-13-62 1-15-62	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	1-31-63

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LettersK..G..R.....Name ..GREAT PLAINS BROADCASTING CORPORATION.....
PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP- Rec'd	6-16-62	Construction permit to change frequency from 1590kc to 1240kc, change hours of operation from Daytime to Unlimited using power of 250w-1kwLS Atty. McKenna & Wilkinson Eng. Archer S. Taylor PETITION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF APPLICATION FILED 9-10-62	Ret'd by	Comm. letter and Order of 10-24-62
	6-19-62			
BAL-5057 R & F	3-6-64 3-16-64	Voluntary assignment of license to CAPITOL BROADCASTING, INC. Atty. - Smith & Pepper	GRANTED	5-12-64 Eff: 5-15-64

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Letters K C C RName CAPITOL BROADCASTING, INC.Pierre, South Dakota

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-2505 Rec'd Filed	6-15-64 7-15-64 7-15-64	Modification of license to change studio location and remote control point to 331 $\frac{1}{2}$ South Pierre Street, Pierre, South Dakota. Arthur J. Whalen, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	7-27-64
BP-16313 Rec'd Filed	8-4-64 8-5-64 8-5-64	CP to change frequency from 1590kc to 1240kc change hours of operation from Daytime to Unlimited using power of 250w Arthur J. Whalen, Jr., Atty. Raymond E. Rehner & Assoc., Eng.	GRANTED	2-8-65 Cond'l re: The horizontal inverse distance field intensity at one mile. 250 watt Class IV stations.
BR-3745 Rec'd Filed	12-31-64 1-7-65 1-7-65	Renewal of license Atty: Grove, Paglin, Jaskiewicz	GRANTED	3-4-65

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters ...K..C..C..R.....

Name Capitol Broadcasting, Inc.
Pierre, South Dakota 57501

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-16,668 R. & F.	3-22-65 3-29-65	CP to increase daytime power from 250w to 1kw. Atty: Grove, Paglin, Jaskiewicz, Sells, Gilliam & Putbrese Engr: Raymond E. Rohrer	GRANTED Cond'l re: 250w Class Radiation efficiency is retained at 160mv/mkw.	2-9-66 Sect. 73.54 IV stations.
BL-10,906 Rec'd. Filed	2-26-65 2-26-65 2-26-65	License to cover CP(BP-16,313) which auth change frequency from 1590kc to 1240kc change hours of operation from Daytime to Unlimited using power of 250w.	GRANTED	6-4-65
BL-11,249 R & F	2/16/66 2/21/66	Lic. to cover CP (BP-16,668) which auth. incr..daytime power.	GRANTED CONDL RE stations	5-4-66 Class IV
BR-3745 R & F JAN 16 1968	12/15/67 12/26/67	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty: B. Jay Baraff	GRANTED	3-29-68

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters KCCR

AGRUS BROADCASTING, INC. (7-31-68)

Name X CAPITOL BROADCASTING, INC.
Pierre, South Dakota 57501

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-6364 R & F FEE PD: \$75 - #427850 MAY 21 1968 Publication 5-27-68. (see over for amendments)	4-25-68 5-10-68	Voluntary assignment of license to AGRUS BROADCASTING, INC. Atty - Putbrese & Fletcher	GRANTED EFF:	7-31-68 8-14-68
COMMISSION BY LETTER OF 12-2-70 NOTIFIED STATION KCCR OF APPARENT LIABILITY FOR LOG FALSIFICATION AND TECHNICAL VIOLATIONS, LIABILITY FOR \$1,000.				
BR-3745 R & F P.N. PRESS JAN 26 1971	12-31-70 1-4-71 1-4-71	Renewal of License Atty: Thomas W. Fletcher (Putbrese, Fletcher & Healy) AMENDED 1-15-71 re: Balance Sheet AMENDED 2-1-71 re: Transmitter logs AMENDED 3-11-71 re: Transmitter logs	GRANTED	7-14-71
Commission by Memo. Opinion and Order adopted 7-8-71 ordered station KCCR to forfeit \$1,000 for violations of Sections 73.113(a) and 73.111; 73.114(a) and 73.47.				

FBI BAL-6364 - AMENDED 5-21-68 - Loan Agreement (assignee)
AMENDED 7-5-68 re Tables I & II; programming

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SORENSEN BROADCASTING CORPN.

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Name XAGRUS BROADCASTING, INC.
PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP- Rec'd \$30-663739	2-9-71 2-11-71 2-11-71	CP to change type trans. to G ^A tes, BC-1F.	Appli. not necessary to chg. type accepted trans. Fee returned.	
EAL-7473 R & F FEE PD: \$1000 #513295 CODE 047 Pub. notice filed 12-6-71 REC 6 137	11-15-71 11-17-71 12-6-71	Voluntary assignment of license to SORENSEN BROADCASTING CORPN Atty - Cole, Zylstra & Raywid (SEE OVER)	GRANTED Req. grant fee \$2,300 Eff: Grant Fee Paid: 048, 3-31-72. W 057414	2-29-72
Pub. notice filed 3-14-72				
BZ-8271 Rec'd Amended W 141610-\$50. Amended & F XK DM PRESS	9-5-72 9-8-72 1-8-73 1-8-73-AC-067-Refunded 2-7-73 2-8-73 FEB 23 1973	Direct Measurement. new 302 to cor. engr. (ant. resistance) add'l engr data	GRANTED 92	3-5-73 3

BAL-7473

RE: BAL-7473 - AMENDED 1-24-72 re: stock issued - fin.
& programming - Section VII filed.

RE: BAL-7473 AMENDED 2-4-72 - re: stock issued and Fin.

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Letters K C C R

Name SORENSEN BROADCASTING CORPN.
Pierre, South Dakota

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-3745 R & F P.N. PRESS	12-21-73 12-28-73 12-28-73 10 JAN 1974	Renewal of License Atty.: Thomas W. Fletcher	Granted	5-20-74
BR-3745 R & F P.N. PRESS	11-26-76 11-30-76 11-30-76 FEB 7 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Atty. Thomas W. Fletcher (Cole, Zylstra & Raywid)	Granted	3-15-77
BR791203A5 PRESS	FEB 5 1980	Renewal of License (Main & Aux. Trans.)	GRANTED	3-25-80

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

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1240KHz.

Name: SORENSON BROADCASTING CORPN.

Station Location: PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BP801022AF PRESS (0)	DEC 5 1980	CP to chg. TL to: Issac Walton Road, Pierre, South, Dakota. 44° 21' 01.5" 100° 19' 08" Atty. James L. Oyster (Smith & Pepper)	GRANTED 1-14-81 Con'd
BL-810720AG R & F PTA PRESS JUL 31 1981	7-20-81	Lic. to cover (BP-801022AF as mod.) for chgs. Atty: ---	ISSUED

About the History Cards ...

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file. History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form – 3" by 5" filing cards – for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12th Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). The History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only one set is known to exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.

