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LRC ADCASTIN : STATION LICENSE RECORD

K H R T(Ltr.9-17-64)

3556

Date first licensed1-10-58..... See Card #2

Call lettersXK Q D Y.....

SEE CARD #2

*D. GENE WILLIAMS, DELBERT BERTHOLF, PAUL CRAIN & H.T. SEARLE, d/b as DAKOTA BROADCASTERS

*D. GENE WILLIAMS, DELBERT BERTHOLF AND PAUL CRAIN, d/b as (AL 9-11-59) EFF:

DAKOTA BROADCASTERS (AL-3-12-59; EFF: 4-1-59) 10-1-59)

** WALTER N. NELSKOG, D. GENE WILLIAMS, DELBERT BERTHOLF AND

** PAUL CRAIN d/b as DAKOTA BROADCASTERS

Name of licensee

U.S.Hwy. 52, 4 mi. SE of Minot, N.D. (redescription((BL-1-10-58)

Transmitter location On highway U.S. 52, 3.5 miles S. W. of Minot, North Dakota (BP 6-27-57)

Same as transmitter

*n Highway U.S. 52, 3.5 miles S. W. of Minot, North Dakota

Main studio location X To be determined, Minot, North Dakota (BP 6-27-57) (BL-1-10-58)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
CP for a new standard broadcast station BP-11042	6-27-57	1320	1 kw	Day	8-27-57/2-27-58
BL-6892	1-10-58	1320	1kw	Day	1-10 4-1-58
		License to cover CP(BP-11042) which auth. a new standard broadcast station and specify studio location same as transmitter.			
BAL-3357	3-12-59	Voluntary assignment of license to D. Gene Williams, Delbert Bertholf and Paul Crain, d/b as Dakota Broadcasters			
EFF:	4-1-59				
BR-3556	3-11-59	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			4-1 4-1-62
BAL-3597	9-11-59	Voluntary assignment of license to D. Gene Williams, Delbert Bertholf, Paul Crain and H. T. Searle, d/b as DAKOTA BROADCASTERS			
EFF:	10-1-59				
BAL-3810	3-18-60	Voluntary assignment of license to D. Gene Williams, Delbert Bertholf, Jack W. Birchi and H. T. Searle, d/b as Dakota Broadcasters			
EFF:	4-1-60				
	3-28-62	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration			
BR-3556	7-30-62	1320kc	1kw	Day	7-30 4-1-65
Wire	2-11-64	Auth. remain silent thru 5-11-64.			
Wire	5-6-64	Ext. auth. remain silent thru 7-11-64.			
Wire	7-8-64	Ext. auth. remain silent thru 10-11-64.			
BAL-5036	9-4-64	Voluntary assignment of license to PEOPLE'S RADIO ASSOCIATION			
Eff:	10-4-64				
BAL-5900	11-9-66	Involuntary assignment of license to RODNEY F. KEPHART, TRUSTEE IN BANKRUPTCY			
BR-3556	8-30-67	1320kc	1kw	Day	8-30 4-1-68
BAL-6093	8-30-67	Voluntary assignment of license.			
EFF:	10-11-67				
TELEGRAM	10-25-67	PSA	500w	-----	
(L) BR-3556	3-29-68	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			4-1-71

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EFF: 10-11-67

Station location Minot, North Dakota

K-HRT BROADCASTING CORPORATION (AL 8-30-67)

~~X~~RODNEY P. KEPHART, TRUSTEE IN BANKRUPTCY (AL 11-9-66)~~X~~PEOPLE'S RADIO ASSOCIATION (AL-9-4-64 EFF:10-4-64)~~X~~D. GENE WILLIAMS, DELBERT BERTHOLF, JACK W. BIRCHILL AND H.T. SEARLEName of licensee DTB AS DAKOTA BROADCASTERS (AL-3-18-60, EFF:4-1-60)

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From.. To.
BR-3556(S)	3-25-71	Renewal			4-1-74
EBSA	12-6-72				
BR-3556	5-10-74	RENEWAL			4-1-77
BP-20,064	8-11-76	CP inc. 1320khz	power, 2.5kw	chg. trans. Day	8-11-77
BR-3556 BL-14,261(L)	3-22-77	Renewal and Modification			4-1-80
BR-791203YX	(S) 10-31-80	Renewal of License			4-1-83

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call **K Q D Y**Name **WALTER N. NELSKOG, D. GENE WILLIAMS, DELBERT BERTHOLF and**Letters **..... NFD.....**Name **PAUL GRAIN, d/b as DAKOTA BROADCASTERS**

(P.O. - c/o Walter N. Nelskog, 8633 - 39th Ave., S.W., Seattle 16, Washington)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-11,042 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd Filed	11-30-56	Construction permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 1320kc Power - 1kw Hours of operation - Daytime Transmitter location - On Hwy U.S.52; 3.5 mi S.W. of Minot, North Dakota Studio location - To be determined. Minot, North Dakota Engr. - J.B. Hatfield, Seattle, Wash.	RETURNED	1-2-57
	12-4-56		Dated wrong	
	1-14-57			
	1-17-57			
	1-17-57		GRANTED	6-27-57
BL-6892 R. & F.	11-5-57	License to cover construction permit (BP-11042) which auth. a new standard broadcast station, and specify studio location (same as trans.)	GRANTED	1-10-58
	11-7-57			
BR-3556 Rec'd Filed	12-26-58	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	3-11-59
	12-31-58			
	12-31-58			

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Aug. 1955

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Letters K Q D YName WALTER N. NELSKOG, D. GENE WILLIAMS, DELBERT BERTHOLF AND
PAUL CRAIN, d/b as DAKOTA BROADCASTERS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-3357 Rec'd. Filed	2-13-59 2-20-59 2-20-59	Voluntary assignment of license to D. Gene Williams, Delbert Bertholf and Paul Crain, d/b as Dakota Broadcasters. Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	3-12-59 4-1-59
BAL-3597 Rec'd Filed	6-12-59 8-10-59 8-10-59	Voluntary assignment of license to D. Gene Williams, Delbert Bertholf, Paul Crain and H. T. Searle, d/b as DAKOTA BROADCASTERS Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	9-11-59 10-1-59
BAL-3810 Rec'd Filed	2-19-60 2-24-60 2-24-60	Voluntary assignment of license to D. Gene Williams, Delbert Bertholf, Jack W. Birchill and H. T. Searle d/b as Dakota Broadcasters. Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	3-18-60 4-1-60
BR-3556 Rec'd/Filed	1-22-62 1-25-62	Renewal of License	GRANTED	7-30-62
Ltr. dated & rec'd 2-11-64 from Miller requesting auth. remain silent for 90 days pending financial reorganization - B/C 2-13-64				

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PEOPLE'S RADIO ASSOCIATION

* D. Gene Williams, Delbert Bertholf, Jack W. Birchill

Name and H. T. Searle dba DAKOTA BROADCASTERS

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-5036 R & F	2-21-64 2-24-64	Voluntary assignment of license to PEOPLE'S RADIO ASSOCIATION Atty. - Samuel Miller	GRANTED	9-4-64 Eff: 10-4-64

Ltr. dated 5-4-64 from S. Miller for 60 day extension remain silent B/C 5-5-64				
Ltr. dated 7-1-64 from S. Miller for 90 day extension to remain silent B/C 7-2-64				
BR-3556 Rec'd Filed	2-16-65 3-15-65 3-15-65	Renewal of license	GRANTED	8-30-67

LICENSEE NO LONGER REPRESENTED BY SAMUEL MILLER PER LETTER DATED AND RECEIVED DECEMBER 3, 1965				
BTC Rec'd	5-18-66 5-20-66	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. (non profit - no stock) thru installation of new officers and directors	RET'D	1-4-67 in view of BAL-5900 gr 11-9-66
BAL-5900 R & F	10-10-66 10-17-66	Involuntary assignment of license to RODNEY P. KEPHART, Trustee in Bankruptcy	GRANTED	11-9-66

FORM BC-121 #4
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RODNEY P. KEPHART, TRUSTEE IN BANKRUPTCY
Minot, North Dakota

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BAL-6093 R & F	6-12-67 6-16-67	Voluntary assignment of license to K-HRT BROADCASTING CORPORATION Atty - McKenna & Wilkinson	GRANTED EFF:	8-30-67 10-11-67
BR-3556 R & F FEB 9 1968	12-29-67 1-2-68	Renewal of license	GRANTED	3-29-68
BR-3556 R & F PN Press FEB 4 1971	1-28-70 1-4-71 1-4-71	Renewal of License	GRANTED	3-25-71
BR-3556 R & F PN PRESS JAN 11 1974	12-26-73 12-28-73 12-28-73	Renewal of License AMENDED 4-24-74 re: commercial policy: EEO	GRANTED	5-10-74

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Minot, North Dakota

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
LETTER	10-9-74	John L. Tierney(Atty.) is now associated with the firm of Greeley, Bernard, & Tierney		
BP- 20,064 Rec'd Filed \$300-474829 AC-001 PN rec'd	9-12-75 9-15-75 9-15-75 10-7-75 JAN 19 1976	Construction permit to increase daytime power from 1kw to 2.5kw, change transmitter to Sparta 703B, Redes. transmitter & studio loc. 6.4km (4.0 mi. SE. of Minot on U.S. Hwy. 52 Minot, North Dakota. Atty: John L. Tierney Eng. Vir James Amended 4-20-76 re additional info	GRANTED	8-11-76 gr. fee req. \$2,025 pd 002 11-9-76 633753
BL-14,261 R & F \$100#644350 PTA PRESS DEC 30 1976	12-1-76 12-6-76 12-8-76 12-17-76	Lic. to cover BP-20,064 for changes Atty: John L. Tierney	GRANTED	2-3-77 issued with RENEWAL

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Minot, North Dakota

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-3556 R & F P.N. PRESS	11-26-76 11-29-76 FEB 17 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED issued with BL-14,261	3-22-77
BR791203YX PRESS	FEB 5 1980	Renewal of License	Granted	10-31-80

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.

