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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 10-4-49

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Location: Palo Alto, California  
See Waiver 3.30(a) granted 10-7-53

SUNDIAL BROADCASTING CORPORATION (APL 6-17-53 EFF: 7-1-53)  
x J. B. RHODES (AL 9-6-50 EFF: 9-15-50)

Name of licensee x MILLARD KIBBE and DONALD K. DEMING, d/b as D & K BROADCASTING CO.

Transmitter location x 210 feet west of intersection of Cooley Ave. extension & Hetch-Hetchy

SEE CARD #2

- Right of way, E. Palo Alto, California (MP 6-1-49) (Lic. 10-4-49)
- ~~Town and Country Village Shopping Center, El Camino Real and Embarcadero Rd/  
Palo Alto, California~~
- x 210 feet west of intersection of Cooley Ave. extension & Hetch-Hetchy
- Right of way, E. Palo Alto, California (ltr. dtd. 8-13-53) Ltr.
- x 488 Cowper Street, Palo Alto, California (Ltr. 12-3-52) 4-24-59
- x 498 University Avenue, Palo Alto, California (Ltr. 10-30-50)
- x 1901 Embarcadero Road, Palo Alto, California (Lic. 10-4-49)
- x To be determined, Palo Alto, California (MP 6-1-49)

Main studio location

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To
B5-P-4690	1-14-49	1220	250w	Daytime	
	ORDER ISSUED. CP for a new station granted subj. filing MP for approval T site and antenna.				
B5-P-4690	6-1-49	1220	250w	Daytime	8-1 2-1-50
BMP-4570	Mod. CP (4690) for approval of antenna and T site, change type of T and make changes in ground system. (COND. CLAUSE)				
BL-3805	10-4-49	1220	250w	Daytime	10-4 5-1-51
	Lic. to cover CP (4690 as mod) for a new station and specify studio location.				
BAL-1066	9-6-50	Voluntary assignment of license from Millard Kibbe and Donald K. Deming d/b as D & K B/cing Co. to J. B. Rhodes			
	Eff: 9-15-50				
BR-2344	4-12-51	1220	250w	Daytime	5-1 5-1-54
BP-8361	10-23-52	1220	1kw	Day	12-23-52 6-23-53
	CP to change daytime power and install new trans.				
BAPL-90	6-17-53	Vo. assignment of license and construction permit to SUNDIAL BROADCASTING CORPORATION			
	EFF: 7-1-53				
BMP-6212	5-28-53	MP (BP-8361) extension of completion date			12-23 9-1-53
(1)					
BMP-6282	8-21-53	MP (BP-8361, as mod) for completion date.			12-23 12-1-53
BS-2344	10-7-53	Waiver	3.30(a)	originate	10-7 5-1-54
(1)	75% or more of programs at studios of FM station KDFC, Sausalito, California.				
BL-5145	11-25-53	1220kc	1kw	Day	11-25-53 5-1-54
	Lic. cover CP'8361, as mod.) to change daytime power and install new trans. (COND'L CLAUSE).				
BRC-306	2-18-54	Mod. of lic. to operate trans. by R.C. from Mt. Beacon, Sausalito, Calif. (FM studios.)			
(1)					
BR-2344	4-28-54	1220	1kw	Day	5-1 12-1-56
TELEGRAM	11-30-56	Action on renewal deferred			11-28-56 and continued operation authorized until final determination on renewal applic.
BR-2344	1-30-57	Renewal of license			1-30 12-1-59
BP-12467	3-3-59	1220	1kw	Day	5-3 11-3-59
	CP to change antenna-transmitter location & make changes in the antenna (dec.hgt) & ground system.				

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Station location Palo Alto, Calif.

Name of licensee .....

(BL-8-12-59)

N. end of University Ave., approx. 3 mi. NE of Palo Alto, Calif. ~~KNKKEAX~~  
x North end of University Ave., Palo Alto, California (BP 3-3-59)

Transmitter location x 210' West of intersection of Cooley Ave. Extension & Hetch-Ketchy  
Right-of-Way, E. Palo Alto, California (Lic 10-4-49)

{Ltr.-8-9-77}

N. end of University Ave., approx. 3 mi. NE of Palo Alto, Cal.  
x 232 Town & Country Village Shopping Center, Palo Alto, Calif. (ltr. 4-30-69)  
x 44 Encina Ave., Palo Alto, Calif. (BS 12-28-66)

Main studio location x Town and Country Village Shopping Center, El Camino Real & Embarcadero Rd.  
Palo Alto, California (Ltr. 4-24-59)

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BL-7620	8-12-59	1220kc	1kw	Day	8-12 12-1-59
	Lic. to cover CP (BP-12,467) which auth a change in antenna-transmitter location and antenna change				
	11-27-59 Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.				
BR-2344	12-9-59	Renewal of license			12-9 12-1-62
	11-28-62	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BZ-4769 (1)	10-12-62	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.			
BR-2344	12-26-62	1220kc	1kw	Day	12-26 12-1-65
BZ-4882 (1)	4-22-63	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.			
BP-14755	11-16-64	1220kc	5kw	Day	1-16 7-16-65
	CP to increase power to 5kw and install new transmitter (Bauer FB-5000J) Cond'l.				
BP-14755	11-16-64	Superseding auth. to show the operating frequency assignment of 1220kc, with 5 kilowatts power, daytime hours of operation.			
BP-14755 (1)	3-10-65	Mod. of CP(BP-14755) to include remote control operation and waiver of Section 73.22(a) (Memo).			
BL-10,909 (Cond'l)	6-4-65	1220kc	5kw	Day	6-4 12-1-65
	Lic to cover CP(BP-14,755) which auth increase power from 1kw to 5kw and install new transmitter (Bauer FB-5000J)				
BR-2344	11-5-65	Renewal of License			12-1 12-1-68
BS-2344 (1)	12-28-66	Mod. of lic. to chg. studio loc.			
BR-2344(L)	4-9-69	Renewal of License			4-9 12-1-71
BR-2344(L)	4-9-69	This authorization supersedes authorization as of the same date to add waiver.			
Ltr.	4-30-69	Studio: 232 Town & Country Village Shopping Center, Palo Alto, Calif.			
Call	I-18-71	PSA	170w		

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Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

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BR-2344(L)	12-15-71	Renewal	of license		12-1-74
EBSA	6-12-72				
BR-2344(L)	3-26-76	RENEWAL AND MODIFICATION			12-1-77
BZ-8978					
BZ-9470(1)	8-23-77	Direct Measurement			
R2344(L)	5-20-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			12-1-80
BR800721UG	11-17-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE(S)			12-1-83

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name MILLARD KIBBE and DONALD K. DEMING, d/b as D & K BROADCASTING CO.  
(P.O. Palo Alto, California) (Temp. c/o Millard Kibbe, 213 E. Mineral King Ave.,  
Visalia, Calif.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B5-P-4690	3-26-46	Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 1220 kc Power - 250w Hours of operation - Daytime Trans. Location - To be determined, Palo Alto, California Studio Location - To be determined, Palo Alto, California	Docket #	7763
Rec'd	4-1-46		Granted	1-14-49 after hearing; subj. filing MP for approval of T site and antenna.
Filed	4-1-46		Decision & Order Issued	Issued with MP 4570



Gates 250-C

Bert Williamson, Engr.  
Visalia, Calif.

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action		
			Nature	Date	
BMP-4570	4-11-49	Modification of construction permit (HP-4690 which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for approval of antenna and transmitter location 210' west of intersection of Cooley Avenue extension and Hetch-Hetchy Right of way, E. Palo Alto, California and change type transmitter (Composite).  Courtney, Krieger & Jorgensen, Attys.	GRANTED	6-1-49	
Rec'd	4-20-49				subj. to cond. that prior to commencement of program tests permittee shall submit results of measurements showing that F is capable of meeting performance requirements set forth under Sec. 12 & 14 of the Standards of Good Eng. practice
Filed	4-20-49				
AMENDED	5-16-49	AMENDED to make changes in ground system			
Recd.	5-18-49				
Filed	5-18-49				

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J. B. RHODES (AL 9-6-50 EFF:

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
HL-3805 Rec'd Filed	9-6-49 9-8-49 9-8-49	License to cover construction permit (EP-4690, as modified) which authorized a new standard broadcast station and specify studio location as 1901 Embarcadero Rd., Palo Alto, California.	GRANTED	10-4-49
BAL-1066 Rec'd Filed	7-26-50 7-31-50 7-31-50	Voluntary assignment of license from Millard Kibbe and Donald K. Deming d/b as D & K Broadcasting Co. <u>to</u> J. B. Rhodes.  Kreiger & Jorgenson, Atty's.	GRANTED Eff:	9-6-50 9-15-50
BR-2344 Rec'd	2-28-51 3-2-51	Renewal of license	GRANTED	4-12-51

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Name J. B. RHODES

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-8361 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd Filed	12-19-51 12-26-51 1-6-52 1-9-52 1-9-52	Construction permit to change daytime power from 250w to 1 kw and install a new transmitter. (Collins 20V)  Paul E. Locke, Engr.	<del>RETURNED</del> <del>Appl. signed by</del> <del>Gen. Mgr.</del> GRANTED	    10-23-52
BAPL-90 Rec'd Filed	4-21-53 5-15-53 5-15-53	Voluntary assignment of license and construction permit to Sundial Broadcasting Corporation.  Joseph Zias, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	6-17-53 7-1-53
BMP-6212 Rec'd Filed	5-18-53 5-20-53 5-20-53	Modification of construction permit (BP-8361, which auth. change daytime power and install of a new transmitter) for extension of completion date from 6-23-53 to 9-1-53.	GRANTED	5-28-53

FORM A-170

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
HP-6282 Rec'd Filed	8-4-53 8-5-53 8-5-53	Modification of construction permit (EP-8361, as mod., which auth. change daytime power and installation of a new transmitter) for extension of completion date from 9-1-53 to 12-1-53.  Loucks, Zias, Young & Jansky, Attys.	GRANTED	8-21-53
BL-5145 Rec'd Filed	9-29-53 10-1-53 10-1-53	License to cover construction permit (EP-8361 as mod.,) which auth. change daytime power and installation of a new transmitter.	GRANTED re waiver sec. 3.30(a) to permit origination of 75% or more of programs at the studios of FM Station KDFC, Sausalito, California.	11-25-53
BBC-306 Rec'd Filed	2-5-54 2-9-54 2-9-54	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from Mt. Beacon, Sausalito, California (FM studios).	GRANTED	2-18-54

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BR-2344 Rec'd Filed	1-28-54 2-1-54 2-1-54	Renewal of License	Granted	4-28-54
BR-2344 Rec'd Filed	8-30-56 9-4-56 9-4-56	Renewal of License	GRANTED	1-30-57
BP-12,467 Rec'd Filed	10-17-58 10-21-58 10-21-58	Construction permit to change antenna-transmitter location from 210 feet west of intersection of Cooley Avenue extension & Hetch-Hetchy Right of way, E. Palo Alto, California to North end of University Avenue, Palo Alto, California.	GRANTED	3-3-59
Amended R & F	1-17-59 1-20-59	Amended to make changes in antenna system (decrease height) and add top-loading of tower.		

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Letters K I B EName SUNDIAL BROADCASTING CORPORATIONPALO ALTO, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-7520 R & F	5-14-59 5-18-59	License to cover C.P. (BP-12,467) which authorized a change in the antenna-transmitter location and antenna changes.	GRANTED	8-12-59
BR-2344 Rec'd & Filed	8-17-59 8-31-59	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	12-9-59
BP-14,755 Rec'd Filed	3-23-61 3-24-61 3-24-61	CP to increase power from 1kw to 5kw and install new transmitter (Bauer FB-5000J) Eng.- A. E. Towne & Assoc., San Francisco.	GRANTED	11-16-64 Cond'l res: No pre-sunrise operation.
BR-2344 Rec'd Filed	8-21-62 8-27-62 8-27-62	Renewal of license	GRANTED	12-26-62
BZ-4769 Rec'd Filed	8-3-62 8-6-62 8-6-62	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power  Eng. A. E. Towne & Assoc., San Francisco, Calif.	GRANTED	10-12-62

FORM BC-121  
AUG. 1955 #8

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Palo Alto, California

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-4882 R. & F.	12-21-62 12-26-62	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED	4-22-63
BL-10,909 Rec'd. Filed	2-5-65 2-8-65 2-8-65	License to cover CP(BP-14,755) which auth. increase power from 1kw to 5kw and install new transmitter (Bauer FB-5000J)  Engr. A. E. Towne & Assoc., San Francisco	GRANTED Cond'l res Section 73.30(a) Pre-sunrise operation	6-4-65
BR-2344 R & F	8-21-65 8-30-65	Renewal of license Attys: Wilner & Bergson (C. H. Imlay)	GRANTED	11-5-65
BR-2344 R.&F. #454207 \$210 SEP 26 1968	8-23-68 8-26-68 8-26-68	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	4-9-69

4-29-71 Annual filing fee \$128.00 paid 11-13-70. #644001.



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PALO ALTO, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2344 R & F PN Recd. PRESS SEP 3 1971	8-23-71 8-25-71 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	12-15-71
The Commission by Memorandum Opinion and Order ordered station KIBE to forfeit \$200 for rule violation.				
The Comm. on 3-15-74 notified station of apparent liability of \$2000 for violation of Sec. 73.1k2				
BR-2344 R & F PN Recd. PRESS AUG 2 1974	7-17-74 7-24-74 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 11-7-74 re: programming; financial data AMENDED 10-20-75 re: programming AMENDED 1-20-76 re: prog.	GRANTED	3-26-76
BZ-8978 R & F DM PRESS DEC 10 1975	9-5-75 9-10-75 12-1-75	Direct Measurement	GRANTED issued with BR-2344	3-26-76

RECORDS OF DENIALS -STA

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Telegram 9-26-50 - STA denied for 11-7-50 - election

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Palo Alto, California

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-9470 R & F DM PRESS	6-8-77 6-13-77 7-18-77	Direct Measurement	GRANTED	8-23-77
BR-2344 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	7-16-77 7-21-77 " <b>AUG 1 1977</b>	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	5-20-80

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Name: SUNDIAL BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Station Location: PALO ALTO, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BR 800721 UG PRESS	SEP 22 1980	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED 11-17-80

## 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 12<sup>th</sup> 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.

