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REMOVABLE LABEL GUIDE

Cat. No. 4550L

Patent No. 1330199

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

K P R E (Eff:1-1-69)

Date first licensed 11-9-50

Call letters K P T V
LOCATION: PARIS, TEXAS

RADIO PARIS, INCORPORATED (AL 3-30-78 EFF: 4-4-78)

LAMAR BROADCASTING COMPANY (AP 10-8-50 EFF: 10-12-50)

xCECIL HARDY, CHARLES L. CAIN, MERL SAXON, O. E. SMITH, and

Name of licensee J. T. SMITH, A Partnership d/b as LAMAR COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location On U.S. Hwy. 271, 3.5 mi. N of city limits of Paris, Texas (OP 3-6-50)

75460 210 First National Bank Building, Paris, Texas 75460
Main studio location NW Plaza, Paris, Texas (OP 3-6-50)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BP-6596	3-6-50 CP for a new standard station.	1250	500w	Daytime	5-6 11-6-50
BMP-5180	6-22-50 Mod. of CP(6596) to change type of F.	1250	500w	Day	5-6 11-6-50
BAP-141 EFF: 10-12-50	10-5-50 Vol. AP to Lamar Broadcasting Company.				
BL-4199	11-9-50 Lic. cover CP(BP-6596, as mod. which auth. new Std. station	1250	500w	Daytime	11-9 5-1-53
BTC-1392 EFF;	11-12-52 11-13-52 Vol. transfer of control of licensee corp from Cecil Hardy to David W. Brawner (100%).				
BR-2538	4-8-53	1250	500w	Day	5-1 8-1-53
BR-2538	7-22-53	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1-53 8-1-56
BRC-647 (1)	2-3-55 Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 210 First National Bank Building, Paris, Texas				
TELEGRAM	7-31-56	No action taken, continued operation authorized until final determination on application for renewal of license.			
BR-2538	8-29-56	1250	500w	Daytime	8-29 8-1-59
BTC-2933 EFF:	11-12-58 2-17-59 James F. Hendrix and Dorothy Hendrix, through the sale of stock from D. W. Brawner and Leeta Brawner to the Corporation.				
	7-29-59	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BR-2538	9-7-60	Renewal of License			9-7 8-1-62
BP-14664	3-23-61 CP to install new transmitter (GATES BC-500T).	1250kc	500w	Day	5-23 11-23-61
BL-8474	8-8-61 License to cover CP (BP-14664) which authorized installation new trans. (Gates BC-500T)	1250kc	500w	Day	8-8 8-1-62
	7-25-62	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			

Form BC 126

June 1954

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Station location

Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BR-2153 BZ-4723	8-3-62 9-27-62	12.5 Mc 500w		Day 8-1	9-27-62 8-1-65
		Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power			
BTC-4816	6-7-65	Involuntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from James F. Hendrix to Dorothy M. Hendrix, Independent Executrix of the Estate of James F. Hendrix, deceased			
BTC-4843 Eff:	7-16-65 9-2-65	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from Dorothy M. Hendrix, Independent Executrix of the Estate of James F. Hendrix to Dorothy M. Hendrix			
BR-2538	7-12-65	Renewal of license		8-1	8-1-68
TELEGRAM	10-17-67	PSA	500w		
BTC-5567 EFF.	6-10-68 7-12-68	Vol. TC			
BR-2538 (S)	7-22-68	Renewal of License			8-1-71
BR-7515 (1)	7-22-70	Direct meas.			
BR-2538 (L)	7-29-71	RENEWAL			8-1-74
EBSA	6-12-72				
BR-2538(S)	11-6-74		RENEWAL		8-1-77
BR-2538(L)	7-14-77		RENEWAL		8-1-80
BAI-9275	3-30-78	VOL. AL	EFF: 4-4-78		
BR800328UF(L)	7-28-80	RENEWAL	OF LICENSE		8-1-83

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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LAMAR COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY, A Partnership composed Letters x NewName of Cecil Hardy, Charles L. Cain, Marl Saxon, O. E. Smith and J. T. Smith
(PO Box. 326, Denison, Texas)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
HP-6596 Rec'd Filed	2-2-48 2-16-48 2-16-48	Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 1250kc Power: 1kw 500w Hours of operation: Daytime only Trans. location: To be determined Paris, Texas Studio location: To be determined Paris, Texas	Docket 9255 GRANTED being removed from hearing.	3-6-50 after
AMEND. Rec'd Filed	10-4-48 10-11-48 10-11-48	AMENDED to change type transmitter (Gates BC-1E); change studio location from To Be Determined, Paris, Texas <u>TO</u> NW Plaza, Paris, Texas, & change transmitter location from To Be Determined, Paris, Texas <u>TO</u> On U.S. Highway 271, 3.5 miles North of city limits of Paris, Texas.		

(See amendment Card #2)

Transmitter-Collins 80-A, Gates BC-1E

Merl Saxon, Engr.
3524 S. Henderson
Fort Worth, Texas

Card #2

FCC Form 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

LAMAR BROADCASTING COMPANY (AP 10-5-50)

Call

K F T V

x LAMAR COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY, A Partnership composed Letters x N E W

Name of Cecil Hardy, Charles L. Cain, Merl Saxon, O. E. Smith and J. T. Smith

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-6596 (cont. from Card #1)				
• AMENDED	11-5-49	AMENDED to change power from 1kw to 500w		
Recd.	11-18-49	Schoene, Freehill, Kramer & Davis, Attys.		
Filed	11-28-49			
BAP-141	5-26-50	Voluntary assignment of C. P. from Cecil	GRANTED	10-5-50
Rec'd	5-29-50	Hardy, Charles L. Cain, Merl Saxon, O. E.		
Filed	5-29-50	Smith and J. T. Smith, A Partnership d/b as	EFF: 10-12-50	
		Lamar County Broadcasting Company <u>to</u> Lamar		
		Broadcasting Company.		

FCC Form 94 #3

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

LAMAR BROADCASTING COMPANY (AP 10-5-50)
 xLamar County Broadcasting Company, A partnership

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 Letters K F T V

Name composed of Cecil Hardy, Charles L. Cain, Merl Saxon,
 U. E. Smith and J. T. Smith

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-5180 Rec'd Filed	5-29-50 6-2-50 6-2-50	Modification of construction permit (BP-6596, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) to change type of transmitter (Collins 20K). Counsel - None	GRANTED	6-22-50
BL-4199 Rec'd Filed AMENDED Rec'd Filed	9-7-50 9-11-50 9-11-50 10-25-50 10-30-50 10-30-50	License to cover construction permit (BP-6596, as modified) which authorized a new standard broadcast station. AMENDED to change name of applicant from Cecil Hardy, Charles L. Cain, Merl Saxon, D. E. Smith, and J. T. Smith, A Partnership d/b as Lamar County Broadcasting Company to <u>Lamar County Broadcasting Company</u> .	GRANTED	11-9-50

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORM A-170

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

Call
Letters K F T VName LAMAR BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-1392 Rec'd Filed	10-20-52	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Cecil Hardy to David W. Brawner (100%).	GRANTED	11-12-52
	10-22-52		EFF:	11-13-52
	10-22-52			
BR-2538 Rec'd Filed	1-31-53	Renewal of license		
	2-3-53		GRANTED	4-8-53
	2-3-53			
BR-2538 Rec'd Filed	4-17-53	Renewal of License (Informal request)	GRANTED	7-22-53
	4-20-53			
	4-20-53			
BRC-647 Rec'd Filed	1-31-55	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 210 First National Bank Building, Paris, Texas.	GRANTED	2-3-55
	2-1-55			
	2-1-55			

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Letters KFTV

Name LAMAR BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2538 Rec'd Filed	6-23-56 6-26-56 6-26-56	Renewal of License	GRANTED	8-29-56
BTC-2933 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd. Files	8-22-58 9-2-58 8-16-58 10-13-58 10-13-58	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of licensee corporation by James F. Hendrix and Dorothy Hendrix, through the sale of stock from D.W. Brawner and Leeta Brawner to the Corporation	RETURNED filed on wrong form GRANTED EFF:	9-11-58 11-12-58 2-17-59
BR-2538 Rec'd&Filed	5-4-59 5-6-59	Renewal of license	GRANTED	9-7-60
BP-14664 R & F	2-15-61 2-20-61	Construction permit to install new transmitter (Gates BC-500T)	GRANTED	3-23-61

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AUG. 1955

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Letters KFTVName LAMAR BROADCASTING COMPANY
Paris, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-8474 Rec'd	3-30-61 4-3-61	License to cover construction permit (BP-14664) which authorized installation of a new transmitter.	RETURNED Appli. notarized but not signed by officer of Corp.	4-14-61
Resub. R. & F.	4-17-61 4-19-61		GRANTED	8-8-61
BR 2538 Rec'd Filed	4-27-62 5-1-62 5-1-62	Renewal of license	GRANTED (Issued with BZ-4723)	9-27-62
BZ-4723 R. & F.	6-27-62 6-29-62	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED	9-27-62
			issued with BR-2538	
BR-2538 R & F	4/21/65 4/23/65	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-12-65
BTC-4816 R & F	5-11-65 5-13-65	Involuntary transfer of control of licensee corp. from James F. Hendrix to Dorothy M. Hendrix, Independent Executrix of the Estate of James F. Hendrix, Deceased.	GRANTED	6-7-65

FORM BC-121 #7
AUG. 1955

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Letters **X K F T V**

Name LAMAR BROADCASTING COMPANY
Paris, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
ETC-4843 R & F	5-22-65 6-8-65	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corp. from Dorothy M. Hendrix, Independent Executrix of the Estate of James F. Hendrix to Dorothy M. Hendrix	GRANTED Eff:	7-16-65 9-2-65
ETC-5567 Rec'd & Filed MAR 6 1968	2-3-68 2-23-68	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from Dorothy M. Hendrix to Michel T. Halbouty Atty - McKenna & Wilkinson REQUEST WAIVER SEC. 1.597 if nec. - Filed 5-20-68	GRANTED EFF.	6-10-68 7-12-68
BR-2538 R. & F. #426160 \$75 MAY 3 1 1968	5-1-68 5-3-68 5-3-68	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-22-68
BZ-7545 R & F DM PRESS JUL 14 1970	4-16-70 4-23-70 5-1-70	Direct Meas.	GRANTED	7-22-70

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Letters K.P.R.E.

Name LAMAR BROADCASTING COMPANY
Paris, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2538 R & F P.N. PRESS MAY 6 1971	4-20-71 4-26-71 4-26-71	Renewal of License AMENDED 6-16-71 re: revised programming; equal employment policy	GRANTED	7-29-71
BR-2538 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAY 14 1974	4-29-74 5-2-74 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 8-1-74 re: ascert. of comm. needs; community profile: EEO AMENDED 10-17-74 re: ascert of comm. needs; programming: EEO	GRANTED	11-6-74
BR-2538 R & F PN Recd. PRESS APR 26 1977	3-21-77 3-23-77 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-14-77

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Letters K P R E

Name RADIO PARIS, INCORPORATED
x LAMAR BROADCASTING COMPANY
Paris, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-9275	1-18-78	Voluntary assignment of license to RADIO PARIS, INCORPORATED Atty for assignee - Thomas J. Keller Over	GRANTED	3-30-78
R & PD	1-20-78		EFF:	4-4-78
FORM 314				
FILED	2-8-78			
(Signature pge of officer of corp filed)				
PN FILED	2-21-78			
BR800328UF		RENEWAL OF LICENSE		
PRESS: APR 24 1980		AMENDED 8-18-80 re: EEO	GRANTED	7-28-80
		Atty: Thomas J. Keller		

RE: BAL-9275 - 2/9/78 - Amended Sig. page(Assignor)

(orig. applic signed by "Chairman" who is not an officer)

AMENDED 3-15-78 re: EEOP data

AMENDED 3-21-78 re: Supplemental loan Afree.

RECORD OF INFORMAL REQUESTS DENIED

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Telegram 8-2-51 Authority remain on the air 8-4-51 until
conclusion of Little League Baseball Champ-
ionship playoff

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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.

