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B-S 1429

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 3-7-47

Call letters KREM
Spokane, Washington

KING BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL-11-16-65; EFF: 11-22-65)

KREM BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL-~~9-25-57~~¹²⁻¹⁹⁻⁵⁷; EFF: 1-20-58)

* LOUIS WASMER (AL 7-24-52, EFF 7-31-52)

Name of licensee * COLE E. WYLIE

Transmitter location 4103 ~~4101~~ South Regal^{Street}, Spokane, Washington (CP 4-13-50) (Lic. 10-26-50)
* Realty Bldg., West 242 Riverside Ave., Spokane, Washington (MP 11-25-46)

Main studio location 4103 ~~4101~~ South Regal Street, Spokane, Washington (Ltr. 2-5-51)
* Realty Bldg., West 242 Riverside Ave., Spokane, Washington (MP 11-25-46)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
B5-P-4786 Letter	8-1-46 8-23-46	1340	250w	U	C.P. for new station granted subject to filing MP for T site and antenna (Conditional Clause)
B5-P-4786 B5-MP-2121	11-25-46	1340	250w	U	1-25 7-25-47 Mod. of C.P. (4786) for change type T and approval antenna and T and S site. (Conditional Clause)
B5-MP-2318	1-6-47				Mod. C.P. (4786 as mod.) for change type T 1-25 7-25-47 (Conditional Clause)
B5-L-2266 B5-L-2083	3-7-47	1340	250w	U	3-7 2-1-50 Lic. to cover CP (4786 as mod.) for new station and determine operating power by direct method (Conditional Clause)
BR-1429	1-18-50	1340	250	U	2-1 2-1-53
BP-7128	4-13-50	970	1kw-DA-N	U	6-13 12-13-50 CP to change freq., power, T, T site, & install DA-N. (COND'L. CLAUSE)
BL-4191	10-26-50	970	1kw, DA-N	U	10-26 5-1-53 Lic. to cover CP (7128) which auth. change freq., increase power, install New T and DA-N and change transmitter location. (COND'L. CLAUSE)
BAL-1284 EFF:	7-24-52 7-31-52	Vol. assignment of license to <u>LOUIS WASMER</u>		(CONDITIONAL CLAUSE)	
BS-1429(1)	3-18-53	Mod. of license to correct coordinates			
BR-1429	4-15-53	970	1kw-DA-N	U	5-1-53 2-1-54
BP-8712	8-19-53	970	1kw*5kw-LS DA-N	U	10-19 4-19-54 CP increase day power, make changes in antenna system & install new trans. (COND'L. CLAUSE)
BMP-6345 (1)	10-27-53	Mod. of C.P. (BP-8712) to change type transmitter		10-19-53 4-19-54	
BR-1429	1-6-54	970	1kw-DA-N	U	2-1 2-1-57
BL-5238	3-31-54	970	1kw*5kw-LS *DA-N	U	3-31 2-1-57 (COND'L. CLAUSE)
Lic. cover CP (8712) as mod., in part for 5kw day and w T					

B-S. CARD #2

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BP-8712	3-31-54	970	1kw*5kw-LS *DA-N	U (COND'L CLAUSE)	5-31 11-30-54
C.P. for changes in antenna system					
BMP-6671 (1)	10-26-54	Mod. of CP (BP-8712) for extension of completion date to 4-1-55.			
BMP-6677 (2)	11-22-54	Mod. of CP(8712, as mod.) to mount TV antenna on North tower. COND'L CLAUSE			
BL-5666	5-27-55	970	1kw*5kw-LS *DA-N	U	5-27 2-1-57
Lic. cover CP (BP-8712, as mod.) chgs in ant. sys & mount TV ant. on north tower (COND'L)					
BR-1429	1-30-57	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			2-1 2-1-60
BAL-2763 EFF:	9-25-57	Voluntary assignment of license to KREM Broadcasting Company (Protested)			
BAL-2763 EFF:	12-19-57 1-20-58	Voluntary assignment of license to KREM Broadcasting Company. Re-granted after hearing. DOCKET 12253.			
	1-27-60	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BH-1429	2-8-61	970kc 970kc	1kw-5kw-LS DA-N	U	2-8 2-1-63
BR-1429	1-29-63	970kc	Renewal of license		2-1 2-1-66
BAL-5604 EFF:	11-16-65 11-22-65	Voluntary assignment of license to KING BROADCASTING COMPANY			
BTC-4931 EFF:	11-16-65 11-22-65	Voluntary relinquishment of positive control of lic.corp. by Dorothy S. Bullitt thru transfer of stock to Stimson Bullitt, etal			
BR-1429	1-10-66	970kc	1kw, 5kw-LS DA-N	U	2-1 2-1-69
BP-17584	2-8-67	970kc	1kw-DA-N	Aux.	4-8 10-8-67
CP to install an aux. trans. (RCA 1G) at main trans. loc. to be operated on 970kc power of 1kw for aux. purposes only.					
BMP-12,172 (1)	9-22-67	Mod. of CP(BP-17,584) for est. of completion date to 12-8-67			

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Station location

Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

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BL-11,808	11-20-67	970kc	1kw-DA-N Aux.		11-20 2-1-69

TELEGRAM	10-17-67	PSA	500w		
TELEGRAM	12-29-67	PSA(Revised)	1000w		
BR-1429(S)	3-26-69	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary)		UNDEA	3-26 2-1-72
FBSA	5-25-72				
BR-1429(S)	5-21-73	RENEWAL	MAIN & AUX.		2-1-75
BZ-8023(L)	5-21-74	Direct Measurement (Main & Auxiliary) 970khz	1kw, 5kw-LS 1kw Aux.	DA-N U	2-1-75
Comlet	6-13-74	Ant. monitor	Potomac Inst.		AM-19(204)
BZ-8023(L)	5-21-74	Superseded to correct N(#1) tower antenna monitor sample current ratio			
BR-1429(S)	2-13-75	RENEWAL	(MAIN & AUX.)		2-1-78
Letter Dated:	2-27-79	Tran. May be operated by RC from Main Studio Loc. at: 4103 S. Regal St., Spokane, Wash. for non-DA			
BP-20,959	1-5-79	970 1kW, 5kW	DA-N Unl.		1-5-80
CP to chg. MEOV's for nighttime					
BR-1429(L)	2-26-79	Renewal			2-1-81
BRC790227AI(1)	6-7-79	ML operate RC day & night			
BRC790227AI(1)	6-7-79	MP(BP-20959) operate RC day & night			
BL-800104AC(L)	4-9-80	Lic. to cover	BP-20,959		for changes 2-1-81

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name COLE E. WYLIE

(P.O. 150 Waverly Way, Kirkland, Washington; Temp. % Bermuda B/C Co. Ltd., Hamilton,

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action ^{Bermuda}	
			Nature	Date
B5-P-4786 Rec'd Filed	4-27-46 5-1-46 5-1-46	<p>Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 1340 kc Power: 250w Hours of Operation: Unlimited time Trans. Location: To be determined - Spokane, Washington. Studio Location: To be determined - Spokane, Washington. (Filed by Frederick H. Walton, Jr. Atty; Clyde H. Bond, Engr.)</p>	<p>GRANTED subject to filing MP for approval of T site and antenna and Conditional re waiver Rules 3.55(b) & 3.60. Also subject to acceptance of whatever interference may be caused by grant of B5-P-4622. Letter 8-23-46 Issued with MP-2121</p>	<p>8-1-46</p>

Gates 250-C Transmitter

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B5-MP-2121	9-10-46	Modification of C.P. (B5-P-4786, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for approval of antenna, to change type of transmitter (WE 451-A-1) and approval of transmitter and studio locations at Realty Building, Riverside and Bernard Streets, Spokane, Washington. Frederick H. Walton Jr., Atty Russell P. May, Engr.	GRANTED	11-25-46
Rec'd	9-11-46		Conditionally re Waiver	
Filed	9-11-46		3.55(b) and 3.60 and subject to condition that permittee will satisfy all reasonable complaints of cross modulation and will take any steps necessary to prevent cross modulation in the antenna circuits of Stations KFIO and KREM	

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B5-MP-2318 Rec'd Filed	12-5-46 12-10-46 12-10-46	Mod. of C.P. (B5-P-4786, as modified, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) to change type of transmitter (G.E. BT-20-A). (Frederick H. Walton, Jr. Atty.)	GRANTED Conditional re Waiver 3.55(b) and 3.60 and subject to cross modulation clause.	1-6-47
B5-L-2266 Rec'd Filed	1-14-47 1-17-47 1-17-47	License to cover C.P. (B5-P-4786, as mod.,) which authorized a new standard broadcast station.	GRANTED (Conditional re waiver 3.55(b) and 3.60)	3-7-47
B5-Z-2083 Rec'd Filed	1-14-47 1-17-47 1-17-47	and Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.		

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-7128 Rec'd Filed	2-18-49 2-23-49 2-23-49	Construction Permit to change frequency from 1340kc to 1110-ke , increase power from 250w to 1kw, install new transmitter (Raytheon RA-1000) and directional antenna for night use and change transmitter location from Realty Building, West 242 Riverside Ave., Spokane, Washington to 4101 South Regal Street, Spokane, Washington.	GRANTED	4-13-50
AMENDED Recd. Filed	11-5-49 11-9-49 11-9-49	AMENDED to change frequency from 1110kc to 970kc; change type transmitter (ROA 1-G), and make changes in DA-N pattern. Dempsey & Koplowitz, Attorneys.	re properly designed phase monitor installed; re In the event of cross modulation between KREM & KHQ due to interaction of the respective antenna sys. this permittee accepts full responsibility for and will take appropriate technical meas. to correct same.	
PETITION FILED 5-3-50 by Joseph E. Keller, Atty. for KOIN requesting that above grant be reconsidered by the Commission and to desig. for hearing.				

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Name COLE E. WYLIE

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1429 Rec'd	10-31-49 11-21-49	Renewal of license (Frederick H. Walton, Jr., Atty.)	GRANTED	1-18-50
BL-4191 Rec'd ✓ Filed	9-6-50 9-8-50 9-8-50	License to cover construction permit (BP-7128) which authorized change frequency, increase power, install new transmitter and directional antenna for night use and change transmitter location. Frederick H. Walton, Jr., Atty. A. G. Sparling, Engr. Spokane, Washington	GRANTED	10-26-50 re; In event of cross-modulation between KREM and KHQ due to interaction of respective ant. systems, licensee accepts full responsibility for and will take appropriate technical measures to correct same.
BAL-1284 Rec'd. Filed	11-9-51 11-13-51 11-13-51	Voluntary assignment of license from Cole E. Wylie to Louis Wasmer	GRANTED	7-24-52 Conditional re Wasmer to divest himself of all interest in KSPQ EFF: midnight 7-31-52

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-8712 Rec'd Filed	11-19-52 12-30-52 12-30-52	Construction permit to increase daytime power from 1kw to 5kw, make changes in the antenna system and install a new transmitter (RCA 5-E). Vernon L. Wilkinson, Atty. Robert M. Silliman, Engr. distoriton; 12.5mv/m;	GRANTED Cond'l re blanketing; meas. re trans.; prop. designed phase monitor; meas. equip; re-rad or	8-19-53
BR-1429 Rec'd Filed	1-21-53 1-27-53 1-27-53	Renewal of License Filed by Vernon L. Wilkinson, Atty.	GRANTED	not approval of EM/ for TV antenna; 4-15-53
		Vernon L. Wilkinson no longer represents Per letter of 3-24-53		
BMP-6345 Rec'd Filed	10-15-53 10-19-53 10-19-53	Modification of construction permit (BP-8712, which auth. increase daytime power, make changes in antenna system & install new transmitter) to change type transmitter (Collins 21-E). Arnold, Fortas & Porter, Attys.	GRANTED (Same Cond. as C.P.)	10-27-53

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Name LOUIS WASNER

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1429 Rec'd Filed	10-16-53 10-27-53 10-27-53	Renewal of license Filed by George Bunn, Atty.	GRANTED	1-6-54
BL-5238 Rec'd Filed	3-4-54 2-19-54 2-19-54	License to cover construction permit (BP-8712 as modified) in part for 5kw day employing transmitter specified in construction permit. Arnold, Fortas, & Porter, Attys. *signal from proposed oper. not exceed 12.5 mv/m at FCC Spokane Monitoring Station	GRANTED Cond'l re cross-modulation ant. re-radiation or distortion ant. patterns of KHQ, KNEW or KGA; and*	3-31-54
EMP-6487 Rec'd Filed	3-11-54 3-15-54 3-15-54	Modification of construction permit (BP-8712 as mod., which auth. increase daytime power, make changes in antenna system & install new transmitter) for extension of completion date from 4-19-54 to 9-1-54.	DISMISSED as unnecessary	4-23-54

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-6671 Rec'd Filed	10-6-54 10-19-54 10-19-54	Modification of construction permit (BP-8712 which authorized changes in the antenna system) for extension of completion date from 11-30-54 to 4-1-55. Arnold, Fortas & Porter, Attys.	GRANTED	10-26-54
BMP-6677 Rec'd Filed	10-25-54 10-27-54 10-27-54	Modification of construction permit (BP-8712 as mod., which autn. changes in the antenna system) to mount TV antenna on north tower (increase height). Arnold, Fortas & Porter, Attys. Robert M. Silliman, Engt.	GRANTED	11-22-54 cond'l clause 1, 2, 3, 4 of BP-8712). Clause 4 changed to read 15 mv/m

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Name * LOUIS WASMER

Spokane, Washington

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-5666 Rec'd Filed	3-10-55 3-21-55 3-21-55	License to cover construction permit (EP-8712 as modified) which authorized changes in the antenna system and mount TV antenna on north tower. (increase height). George Bunn, Atty. Robert M. Silliman, Engr.	GRANTED Cond'l re cross-mod. ant. re-radiation or distortion ant. patterns of KHQ, KNEW or KBA; and signal from proposed op. not exceed 15 mv/m at FCC Spokane Monitoring Station.	5-27-55
BR-1429 Rec'd Filed	10-10-56 10-17-56 10-17-56	Renewal of License. George Bunn, Atty.	GRANTED	1-30-57
BAL-2763 Rec'd Filed	7-28-57 8-15-57 8-15-57	Voluntary assignment of license to KREM BROADCASTING COMPANY. Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED EFF: Protested GRANTED after hearing. Memo & SPOKANE, INC. Opinion issued.	9-25-57 12-19-57
PROTEST AND PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION FILED 10-25-57 by TELEVISION OPPOSITION OF KREM BROADCASTING CO. filed 11-8-57 for assignee WASMER'S OPPOSITION TO PROTEST filed 11-8-57 by Porter and Bunn for assignor REPLY TO OPPOSITION FILED YKK 11-18-57 by HENKE & MIDLEN			EFFECTIVE DATE POSTPONED 11-20-57	

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SPOKANE, WASHINGTON

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1429 Rec'd Filed	10-29-59 11-3-59 11-3-59	Renewal of License Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED	2-8-61
BR-1429 R. & F.	11-1-62 11-5-62	Renewal of license. Atty- Andrew G. Haley	GRANTED	1-29-63
BAL-5604 R & F (Form 316)	10-16-65 10-21-65	Voluntary assignment of license to KING BROADCASTING COMPANY Atty. - Haley, Bader & Potts	GRANTED Eff:	11-16-65 11-22-65
BTC-1931 R & F (Form 316)	10-16-65 10-21-65	Voluntary relinquishment of positive control of lic. corp. by Dorothy S. Bullitt thru Transfer of stock to Stimson Bullitt et al CONTINGENT ON GRANT OF BAL-5604 Atty - Haley, Bader & Potts	GRANTED	11-16-65 Eff: 11-22-65

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KING BROADCASTING COMPANY

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Letters K R E MName KREM BROADCASTING COMPANY

Spokane, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1429 R & F Amended R & F	10-23-65 11-1-65 12-10-65 12-15-65	Renewal of license Atty <u>Haley</u> , Bader & Potts Change name of applicant to read: KING BROADCASTING COMPANY	GRANTED	1-10-66
BP-17,584 R & F	1-19-67 1-27-67	CP TO install an aux. trans (RCA-1G) at main trans loc to be operated on 970kc power of 1kw for aux. purposes only. (DA-N) Atty. <u>Haley Bader & Potts</u>	GRANTED	2-8-67
BMP-12,172 R & F	9-11-67 9-13-67	Mod. of CP (BP-17,584 which auth install aux. trans at main trans loc) for ext. of completion date from 10-8-67 to 12-8-67 Atty. <u>Haley Bader & Potts</u>	GRANTED to	9-22-67 12-8-67
BL-11,808 R & F PTA-10/19/67	9/28/67 10/9/67	Lic. to cover CP (BP-17,584 as mod.) which auth. install aux. trans. at main trans. loc. for aux. purposes only. Atty: Wm. J. Potts, Jr.	GRANTED	11-20-67
NOV 7 1967 Ltr.	1-8-68	Now represented by ^{F. C. C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.} J. Roger Wollenberg (Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering)		

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Spokane, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1429 R & F #469653 \$30. #469654 \$75. PRESS DEC 3 1968	10-29-68 11-1-68 11-1-68 11-1-68	Renewal of license---(Main & Aux.) AMENDED 1-15-69 re: Business Interests & Programming AMENDED 3-11-69 re: Engineering Atty. Joel Rosenbloom	GRANTED	3-26-69
BR-1429 R & F PN PRESS	10-29-71 11-3-71 11-3-71 NOV 24 1971	Renewal of License (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Atty-David R. Anderson (Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering) AMENDED 1-11-72 re: prog; comm. policy AMENDED 2-3-72 re: equal employment prog.	GRANTED	5-21-73
BZ-8023 R & F DM PRESS	12-14-72 12-23-72 3-28-72 APR 11 1972	Direct Measurement - Main & Auxiliary Atty: Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering (Roger Wollenburg)	GRANTED P	5-21-74

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BR-1429 R & F P.N. PRESS	9-28-74 10-1-74 10-1-74 NOV 6 1974	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) Atty.: David R. Anderson	GRANTED	2-13-75
Ltr. 10-31-75 Station KREM	Robert L. Heald	(Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, Kenehan and Hildreth no w represents		
BR-1429 R & F P.N. PRESS	9-23-77 9-30-77 9-30-77 NOV 11 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Atty. Robert L. Heald (Fletcher, Heald, Kenehan etc.)	GRANTED	2-26-79
BP-20,959 R & F PRESS	6-6-77 6-8-77 NOV 18 1977	CP to change MEOV's for Nighttime Atty: Edward W. Hummers, Jr.	GRANTED	1-5-79

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SPOKANE, WASHINGTON

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC790227AI PRESS (O)	JUN 11 1979	Modification of License to Operate Transmitter by Remote Control from Main Studio Location: 4103 South Regal Street, Spokane, Washington. Atty. Edward W. Hummers, Jr. (Fletcher, Heald etc.)	GRANTED	6-7-79
BL-800104AC R & F PTA PRESS MAR 19 1980	1-4-80 1-21-80	Lic. to cover BP-20,959 for changes Atty: Edward W. Hummers, Jr. (Fletcher, Heald, etc.)	GRANTED	4-9-80
BR-801001VI PRESS OCT 31 1980		RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty. Edward W. Hummers, Jr.	GRANTED	1-26-81

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.

