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June 1954

## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

KRSS (EFF. 1-10-81)

XK L Y X 12-1-77

Date first licensed 4-1-71Call letters XK G H FStation location Sioux Falls, S.D.

MRI A LIMITED PARTNERSHIP (MID-AMERICA RADIO, INC. GENERAL PARTNER) (AL 12-24-80;

EFF: 12-31-80

xSODAK BROADCASTING, INC. (AL gr 9/23/77 EFF: 10-14-77

Name of licensee xEIDER C. STANGLAND AND WALLACE L. STANGLAND d/b asxSIOUX EMPIRE BROADCASTING CO.Transmitter location On Extension of Madison Street, 1.5 miles West of Sioux Falls224 South Main Avenue, Sioux Falls, South Dakota  
xx 104 East 8th Street, Sioux Falls, South Dakota (BRC 6-22-70)Main studio location X To be determined, Sioux Falls

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BP-15,191	4-20-70	1520kc	500w	Day	12-20-70
	CP for a new standard broadcast station				
BP-15191	6-8-70	Call letters assigned.			
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BRC-3444 (2)	6-22-70	Mod. of CP to operate trans. by remote control from Main studio location 104 East 8th Street, Sioux Falls, S.D.			
BL-12,684(L)	4-1-71	Lic. (BP-15,191, as mod.)		NEW Standard 4-1-74	
BZ 7913(1)	12-2-71	Direct Measurement			4-1-74
EBSA	6-12-72				
BR-4853(L)	4-9-74	RENEWAL			4-1-77
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BS-4853	9-2-75	Change SL and RC location			
BR-4853(L)	4-18-77	Renewal of License			4-1-80
BAL-9088	9/23/77	Vol AL EFF: 10-14-77			
EBSA	12-1-77	Chg. call			
BR 791128	YP 4-30-80	(L)	RENEWAL		4-1-83
BAL800926E	12-24-80	VOL AL		EFF;	12-31-80
EBSA	1-10-81	CALL SIGN CHANGE			

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## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call

Letters new K.C.H.F.

Name EIDER C. STANGLAND / WALLACE L. STANGLAND AND ~~GRILLIE~~  
E. STANGLAND d/b as SIOUX EMPIRE BROADCASTING CO.

SIOUX FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA (P.O. c/o Eider C. Stangland, 1701 E. 26th St., Sioux Falls,

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action <sup>S. D.</sup>	
			Nature	Date
BP-15,191 Rec'd Filed	11-2-61	CP for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 1520kc Power - <del>1kw-500w-6H-</del> 500w Hours of operation - Daytime Type transmitter - Gates HC-1T Trans. location - <del>E. 12th Street and Hwy. 38</del> Sioux Falls, South Dakota Studio location - <del>Same as transmitter</del> to be determined, Sioux Falls, S. D. Atty. Samuel Miller Eng. Charles E. Brennan, Milwaukee, Wis.	Request 17174	4-20-70
	11-7-61			
	11-7-61			
Amendment	4-1-63	AMENDMENT to delete request for 1kw and operate 500w Daytime		
R&F	4-4-63			
Amendment Rec'd & F	5-6-63	AMENDED to change applicant name to: Eider C. Stangland and Wallace L. Stangland d/b as Sioux Empire Broadcasting Co.		

SEE CARD #2 FOR AMEND.

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Letters ~~...K.C.H.F.~~

EIDER C. STANGLAND AND WALLACE L. STANGLAND d/b as  
 Name ...SIoux EMPIRE BROADCASTING CO.....  
 SIOUX FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-15,191 AMENDMENT R&F	CON'T 3-21-64 3-25-64	AMENDED 3-25-64 to change antenna-transmitter location from E. 12th Street and Hwy. 38, Sioux Falls, South Dakota to On Extension of Madison St.; 1.5 miles West of Wayne Township South Dakota and change studio location from "Same as transmitter" to "To be determined Sioux Falls, South Dakota	Granted	4-20-70
AMENDMENT Recd Filed(order)	6-3-68 6-21-68	AMENDED Section II and engineering.		
AMENDED	5-16-69	Section IV.		
BRC-3444 R&F \$30- 609994 PRESS:	<del>6-16-70</del> 6-18-70 6-18-70 JUN 24 1970	Mod. of CP to operate transmitter by remote control from Main studio location 104 East 8th Street, Sioux Falls, South Dakota. Atty. Samuel Miller	GRANTED	6-22-70

Form BC-121  
September 1969

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 Name ELDER C. STANGLAND & WALLACE L. STANGLAND, d/b as SIOUX EMPIRE BROADCASTING CO.  
Sioux Falls, South Dakota

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-12,684 R & F #604,235 \$30. PTA PRESS	6-1-70 6-3-70 6-3-70 6-12-70 <b>AUG 4 1970</b>	Lic.(BP-15,191, as mod.) for new Standard Broadcast Station. Transmitter: CCA, AM-500D. Atty: Mark E. Fields (Samuel Miller)	GRANTED	4-1-71
BZ-7913 R & F DM PRESS	10-20-71 10-26-71 11-2-71 <b>NOV 29 1971</b>	Direct Measurement Atty: Mark E. Fields (Samuel Miller)	GRANTED	12-2-71
DK-4853 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	12-15-73 12-27-73 <b>10 JAN 1974</b>	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Samuel Miller, Atty.	GRANTED	4-9-74

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 Letters XK C H F

4-71 SODAK BROADCASTING, INC.

WEIDER C. STANGLAND and WALLACE L. STANGLAND

Name as SIOUX EMPIRE BROADCASTING CO.SIOUX FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-4853 R & F PN Recd. PRES	11-15-76 11-26-76 " FEB 16 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE  Samuel Miller, Atty. AMENDED 3-10-77 re: commercial matter	Granted	4-18-77
----- BAL-9088 R & F FORM 311 (ALSO SEE FM) Pub notice F AUG 19 1977	7-22-77 7-25-77 8-16-77	Voluntary assignment of license to SODAK BROADCASTING, INC.  Atty - Miller & Fields	GRANTED EFF:	9/23/77 10-14-77
BR791128YP PRESS	JAN 23 1980	RENEWAL OF LICENSE  Atty. Joseph M. Morrissey (Welch & Morgan)	GRANTED	4-30-80

## APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

#5 MRI A LIMITED PARTNERSHIP (MID-AMERICA RADIO, INC. GENERAL PARTNER)

Call Letters

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Name: SODAK BROADCASTING, INC.

Station Location: SIOUX FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BAL800926EO Form 314 PRESS PN filed	<del>10-31-80</del> 1980	Voluntary assignment of license to MID-AMERICA RADIO, INC., A Limited Partnership (George L. Robertson, General Partner).	GRANTED 12-24-80  EFF: 12-31-80



BAL800926E0 Ltr. dated 10-3-80 Bank Letter.

## 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.

