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Date First
Licensed.....5-2-32.....

K T S A (11-27-58)

(EFF: 8-29-58)

Call X K A K I

Letters X K T S A

LOCATION: SAN ANTONIO,
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WATERMAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF TEXAS (AL-8-30-65; EFF: 9-30-65)

x SUNSHINE BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol. Assign. Lic. Eff. 5-24-39)

x K T S A BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol. Assign. Lic. 5-4-36)

x SOUTHWEST BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol. Assign. Lic. 12-2-32)

x Lone Star Broadcast Company, Inc. (lic. 11-11-28)

x Alamo Broadcast Company

Name of
Licensee:

4050 Eisenhower Road, San Antonio, Texas (BS 7-9-62)(Re-descpt.)

x 0.25 mi. E. of N.W. White Rd., on Eisenhower Road, Approx. 7 Mi. NE of
San Antonio Business district, Texas. (CP & MP 3-18-48) (Lic. 10-4-49)

x 1 1/2 miles east of San Antonio, St. Hedwig Rd., Texas (C.P. 4-10-31)(Lic. 9-4-31)

7 1/2 miles from San Antonio on Bandera Rd., Texas (Lic. 11-11-28) *no c.p. com issued for this chg location*

Transmitter
Location:

x Plaza Hotel, San Antonio, Texas.

Radio Park, 4050 Eisenhaur Road, San Antonio, Texas (Ltr. 10-31-60)

x 1130 Broadway, San Antonio, Texas (Ltr. 12-2-59)

x Gunter Hotel, 1130 Broadway, San Antonio, Texas (Let. 3-18-55)

x 5th Floor, Express Publishing Co. Bldg. Ave. E & 3rd St. San Antonio, Texas (Eff: 12-1-49)

x Gunter Hotel, San Antonio, Texas (Letter 10-2-37)

x Plaza Hotel, Villita and South St. Mary's St., San Antonio, Tex. (Renewal 8-8-33)

Main Studio
Location:

Villita and Presa Sts.,

x Plaza Hotel, San Antonio, Texas.

FRC-65

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD	
					From	To
-S-B-416	T.P.4-26-27	1140	2 KW	-	not stated	
"	6-1-27	1130	2 KW	-	6-1	7-31-27
	Effective date of previous license deferred by G.O. 13 to				6-15	3-15-27
3-R-B-416	8-8-27			letter of extension	8-15	10-15-27
	Extended by G.O. 15				10-15	11-1-27
3-R-B-416	10-24-27			letter of extension	11-1	1-1-28
	Extended by G.O. 21				1-1	2-1-28
"	" " 22				2-1	3-1-28
"	" " 23				3-1	4-1-28
"	" " 25				4-1	5-1-28
"	" " 27				5-1	6-1-28
"	" " 33				6-1	8-1-28
"	" " 35				8-1	9-1-28
"	" " 38				9-1	10-1-28
"	" " 44				10-1	11-11-28
Allocation	11-11-28	1290	1 KW nite 2 KW LS	KFUL		
3-A-B-2	11-8-28	1290	1 KW nite 2 KW LS	KFUL	11-11	1-31-29
3-R-B-416	1-28-29			Extension of license	1-31	3-16-29
"	3-12-29			Extension of license	3-16	4-30-29
3-R-B-416	4-26-29	1290	1 KW nite 2 KW LS	KFUL	4-30	7-31-29
3-R-B-416				Extension of license	7-31	10-31-29
3-R-B-416	10-13-29	1290	1 KW n 2 KW d	KFUL	10-31	1-31-30
3-R-B-416	1-10-30	1290	1 KW-2 KW/LS	KFUL	1-31	4-30-30
3-R-B-416	4-5-30	1290	1 KW-4 KW/LS	KFUL	4-30	7-31-30
3-R-B-416	7-7-30	1290	1 KW N 2 KW LS	KFUL	7-31	10-31-30
3-R-B-416	10/6/30	1290	1KW.N. 2 KW.LS.	KFUL	10/31	1/31/31
3-F-B-1827	12-19-30			Install new equipment	1-28	4-28-31
G.O. 103	1-30-31			Extension of License	1-31	3-31-31
3-R-B-416	3-3-31	1290	1KW-N, 2KW-LS	KFUL	3-3	4-30-31
3-F-B-173	4-10-31			Move transmitter & extend nite	7-9-31	
3-R-B-416	4-24-31	1290	1KW 2KW LS	KFUL	4-30	10-1-31
3-L-B-685	9-4-31	1290	1KW-N, 2KW-LS	KFUL	9-4	10-1-31
				Move & equip		
3-R-B-416	9-11-31	1290	1KW 2KW LS	KFUL	10-1	4-1-32
3-L-B-884	10-2-31	1290	1KW 2KW LS	KFUL	10-2	4-1-32
3-L-B-884	3-2-32	1290	1KW 2KW LS	KFUL	4-1	10-1-32

Date First

Licensed.....5-9-32.....

Card No. 2.

Call KAKI
Letters X KTSA.....

SUNSHINE BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol.Assign.Lic. Eff.5-24-39)
x K T S A BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol.Assign.Lic. 5-4-36)
Name of x SOUTHWEST BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol.Assignment of Lic. 12-2-32)
Licensee: x Lone Star Broadcast Company, Inc. (Lic. 11-11-28)

Transmitter

Location: _____

Main Studio

Location: _____

FRC-65

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD	
					From	To
Letter Min.	7-22-32	Postpone install. freq. monitor			8-31-32	
3-R-B-416	9-13-32	1290	1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS	KFUL	10-1	4-1-33
3-AL-B-472	12-2-32	Vol. Assign. of License				
3-R-B-416	3-31-33	1290	1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS	KFUL	4-1	10-1-33
3-ML-B-1151	4-25-33	1290	1kw	U	4-25	10-1-33
	(facilities of KFUL)					
3-R-B-416	9-19-33	1290	1kw	U	10-1	4-1-34
3-R-B-416	3-23-34	1290	1 kw	U	4-1	10-1-34
3A-B-146*	6-19-34	550	1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS	U (EXP)	6-19	10-1-34
S-B-416 FCC	6-25-34	Oper. without monitor			6-25	7-6-34
S-B-416	7-7-34	Exten. of author. to operate without frequency monitor			7-7	7-13-34
S-B-416	7-17-34	Oper. without frequency monitor			7-14	7-21-34
3A-B-146	7-24-34	550	1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS	U EXP	7-24	8-8-34
S-146	8-7-34	550	1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS	U EXP	8-8	8-15-34
S-146	8-14-34	550	1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS	U EXP	8-15	8-31-34
3A-B-146	8-21-34	550	1 kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS	U EXP	8-31	10-1-34
B3-3A-29	9-25-34	550	1 kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS	U EXP.	10-1	4-1-35.
B3-R-416	9-11-34	1290	1 kw	U	10-1	4-1-35
3-M3A-6	12-11-34	Oper. on frequency of 550kc with power of 1 kw. night, 5 kw-LS for period 12-11 to 3 a.m., EST 4-1-35.				
ML-162	3-26-35	550	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	3-26	9-1-35
B3-R-416	3-12-35	1290	1kw	U	4-1	10-1-35
** B3-R-416 cancelled, since chg. in freq. granted 3-26-35						
B3-R-416	8-18-35	550	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	9-1	3-1-36
B3-R-416	2-21-36	550	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	3-1	9-1-36
B3-AL-95	5-1-36 Exp. 5-4-36	Vol. Assign. Lic. to KTSA Broadcastg. Company				
B3-P-1294	CA 8-29-36 Ret.	Install new transmitter			10-29	4-29-37
B3-R-416	CA 8-29-36	550	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	9-1	3-1-37
B3-L-399 B3-Z-73	10-20-36	550	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	10-20	3-1-37
	Lic. to cover C.P. for new transmitter. Also direct measurement.					
*SA-B-146	SUSPENDED 7-18-34 and designated for hearing					

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Card No. 3

Date first licensed 5-9-22

Call letters K T S A

SUNSHINE BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol. Assign. Lic. Eff. 5-24-39)

K T S A BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol. Assign. Lic. 5-4-36)

x SOUTHWEST BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol. Assignment of Lic. 12-2-32)

Name of licensee x Lone Star Broadcast Company, Inc. (Lic. 11-11-28)

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Transmitter location _____

Main studio location _____

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME Div.	PERIOD	
					From—	To—
B3-R-416	2-9-37	550	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	3-1	9-1-37
B3-R-416	8-18-37	550	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	9-1	3-1-38
B3-R-416	CA 2-15-38	550	1kw, 5kw, -LS	U	3-1	9-1-38
B3-R-416	8-16-38	550	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	9-1	3-1-39
B3-R-416	2-6-39	550	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	3-1	9-1-39
B3-AL-222	5-23-39	Vol. Assignment of License to Eff. 5-24-39 SUNSHINE BROADCASTING COMPANY				
B3-R-416	8-8-39	550	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	9-1	4-1-40
B3-R-416	3-12-40	550	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	4-1	8-1-40
B3-S-416	4-13-40	550	1kw 5kw-LS	U	4-13	8-1-40
Mod. Lic. to add SR						
Order	6/12/40	Extension of license			8/1	10/1/40
Order	9-10-40	Extension of license			10-1	3-29-40
NARBA REALLOCATION						
B3-R-416	3-24-41	550	1kw-5kw-LS	U	3-29	4-1-42
B3-S-416	3-17-42	Extension of license			4-1	5-1-42
B3-R-416	4-7-42	550	1kw-5kw-LS	U	4-7	6-1-44
B3-S-416	11-6-42	550	1kw-5kw-LS	U	12-1	6-1-44
		Mod. Lic. in accordance with Order #107				
B3-Z-1514	7-21-43	550	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	7-21	6-1-44
		Determine operating power by direct measurement				
B3-S-416	5-30-44	Extension of license			6-1	8-1-44
B3-S-416	7-25-44	Extension of license			8-1	10-1-44
B3-S-416	9-26-44	Extension of license			10-1	12-1-44
B3-S-416	11-28-44	Extension of license			12-1	2-1-45
B3-R-416	1-25-45	550	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	1-25	5-1-46
B3-S-416	9-25-45	550	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	10-1	5-1-46
		Mod. Lic. Order 107-4				
B3-S-416	9-25-45	550	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	10-1	5-1-46
		Supersedes Lic. dated 9-25-45				
B3-S-416	4-26-46	Extension of license			5-1	7-1-46
B3-S-416	6-20-46	Extension of license			7-1	9-1-46

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters K T S A

Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From.. To..
B3-R-416	3-29-46	550	1kw, 5kw	LS U	8-29 5-1-49
B3-P-4399	12-6-46	550	5kw*	U	
Order issued - CP granted for increase in power and install *DA for night use subject to filing MP for DA with certain radiation values					
BMP-2481	4-25-47	550	*5kw	U Mod.	CP (4399)
for approval DA system, to install new T and change T site, Subj. C&A approval. Ltr. 6-20-47 - Site disapproved.					
B3-P-4399	3-18-48	550	5kw-DA-N	U	5-18 11-18-48
BMP-2481	Mod. CP (4399 as mod) to change type of T, make changes in DA & mount FM antenna on AM tower, & change T site and ext. of completion date.				
BMP-3157	(COND. CLAUSE)				
BMP-4217	11-4-48	550	5kw* *DA-N	U	5-18- 1-1-49
Mod. CP (4399 as mod) for ext. of completion date. (COND. CLAUSE)					
BMP-4354	12-21-48	550	5kw* *DA-N	U	5-18 6-1-49
Mod. CP (4399) as mod) for ext. of completion date (COND. CLAUSE)					
BR-416	4-29-49	550	1kw, 5kw	LS U	5-1- 5-1-52.
BMP-4583	5-10-49	550	5kw* *DA-N	U	5-18 7-1-49
Mod. CP (4399 as mod) for ext. of completion date (COND. CLAUSE)					
BMP-4657	6-23-49	550	5kw-DA-N	U	5-18 8-1-49
Mod. CP (4399 as mod) for ext. of completion date (COND. CLAUSE)					
BTC-722	9-22-49	Vol. transfer of control of licensee corporation to Express Publishing Company			
EFF:	10-5-49				
BL-3754	10-4-49	550	5kw-DA-N	U	10-4 5-1-52
Lic. to cover CP (4399 as mod) to increase power install new transmitter and DA for night use & change in T site. (Cond. CL)					

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Date first licensed

Call letters KTSA

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-416	4-17-52	550	5kilo	DA-NU	5-1 8-1-53
BR-416	7-1-53	Renewal of license			8-1 8-1-56
BRC-1760 EFF:	10-27-54 11-9-54	Vol. trans. of control to O. R. Mitchell Motors (100%)			
BRC-714 (1)	5-5-55	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 1130 Broadway San Antonio, Texas, while using non-directional antenna			
BTC-2203 EFF:	5-3-56 5-4-56	Vol. Trans of Control of licensee corp. xxxx from O.R.Mitchell Motors to McLendon Investment Corporation (100%)			
TELEGRAM	7-29-56	Action on renewal deferred 7-18-56 and continued operation authorized until final determination on renewal applic.			
BR-416	10-17-56	550 kc	5 kilo	U	10-17 TO 8-1-59
BR-416	7-15-59	550	5kw-DA-N	U	8-1 8-1-62
BRC-1767 (1)	11-23-60	Mod. of license to change Remote Control Point to Radio Park 4050 Eisenhaur Road, San Antonio, Texas, while using non-directional antenna.			
BS-416	11-28-61	550	5kw-DA-N	U	11-28 8-1-62
		Mod. of license to redescribe monitor points (Memo)			
BS-416 (1)	7-9-62	Mod. of license to change transmitter location.			
	7-25-62	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BR-416	8-14-62	550kc	5kw	Unl	8-14 8-1-65
			DA-N		
BS-416 (1)	10-26-64	Mod. of license to change operating specifications (Memo).			
BR-416	7-30-65	550kc	5kw	Unl.	8-1 8-1-68
			DA-N		
BAL-5527 EFF:	8-30-65 9-30-65	Voluntary assignment of Lic. to WATERMAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF TEXAS			

Form BC 126

June 1954

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters K T S A

Station location San Antonio, Texas

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-416(L)	7-29-68	Renewal	of License		8-1-71
BS-416 (L)	9-17-69	Mod. of license	to redescribe monitor points (Memo).		
BTC-6217	9-4-70	VOL. TC	EFF: 9-7-70		
BR-416 (S)	7-29-71	RENEWAL			8-1-74
EBSA	5-22-72				
BR-416(L)	7-31-74	RENEWAL			8-1-77
BP-19,792	10-1-74	550khz.	5kw DA-N U Aux. CP to install a new Aux. Trans.		10-1-75
Ltr. recd	2-28-75	Chg. Aux. CP	BP-19,792 to Alt. Main		
COMTEL	3-12-75	Change description	of monitoring points on forty five point five and three fifty five degree radials		
BL-13,941(L)	6-11-75	Lic. to cover	BP-19,792 for New Alternate transmitter		XXX 8-1-77
BS-416(L)	8-21-75	ML chg	ant. monitor and page 2		
COMTEL	10-7-75	Phase for N. Int. (#3) tower:	-66° Phase for N Int. (#4) tower: +53°		
BS-416(L)	12-3-75	ML chg	MP descriptions		
Ltr.	7-8-76	former Alt. Trans.	RCA PTA-5F now aux.		
Ltr.	6-27-77	Trans. now reads:	Continental Elec. 315F Main Trans. American Elec. 5KD Alt. Main Trans.		
BR-416(L)	7-14-77	RENEWAL (MAIN & ALT.MAIN)			8-1-80
Ltr.	6-20-77	Main trans. AM5KD, Continental Electronics 315F and RCA BTA-5F being retained as an aux. trans.			
BR-416(L)	7-14-77	Superseded to add on Auxiliary Trans.			
LTR.	10-31-77	TRANS: CONTINENTAL ELECTRONICS 315/F now installed as MAIN & CONTINENTAL ELECTRONICS 315/F now installed as ALT. MAIN			
BR 800401	K9 7-28-80 (S)	RENEWAL (MAIN, ALT. & AUX.)			8-1-83

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STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Alamo Broadcast Co. CALL LETTERS: KTSB

ADDRESS: Plaza Hotel, San Antonio, Texas. FILE NO: 3-S-B-416 DATED: 4-16-27

Present

Assignment: 1140 kc. 5 KW ACTION: T.P. 4-26-27; 1140 kc. 2 KW
lic. 6-1-27; 1130 kc. 2 KW unlim.

Requested: 1140 kc. 2 KW

APPLICANT: Alamo Broadcast Co. CALL LETTERS: KTSB

ADDRESS: Plaza Hotel, San Antonio, Texas. FILE NO: 3-R-B-416 DATED: 8-10-27

Present

Assignment: 1130 kc. 2 KW unlim. ACTION: 8-8-27 letter of ext.
from 8-15 to 10-15-27

Requested: renewal

APPLICANT: Alamo Broadcast Co. CALL LETTERS: KTSB

ADDRESS: Plaza Hotel, San Antonio, Texas. FILE NO: 3-R-B-416 DATED: 10-4-27

Present

Assignment: 1130 kc. 2 KW unlim. ACTION: 10-24-27 letter of ext.

Requested: renewal from 11-1-27 to 1-1-28

APPLICANT: Lone Star Broadcast Co., Inc. CALL LETTERS: KTSA
 ADDRESS: Bandera Rd., San Antonio, Texas. FILE NO: 3-R-B-416 DATED: 1-12-28
 Present
 Assignment: allocation; 1290 kc. 1 KW nite 2 KW day + KEUL ACTION: superseded by 3-A-B-2
 Requested: renewal

APPLICANT: Lone Star Broadcast Co. Inc. CALL LETTERS: KTSA
 ADDRESS: $7\frac{1}{2}$ mi from town on Bandera Rd., San Antonio, Texas. FILE NO: 3-P-B- DATED: 4-7-28
 Present
 Assignment: 1130 kc. 2 KW unlim. ACTION: denied for incr. pr min 11-8-28
 Requested: ~~renewal~~ chg name location and incr. pr. to 5 KW

APPLICANT: Lone Star Broadcast Co., Inc. CALL LETTERS: KTSA
 ADDRESS: Bandera Rd., San Antonio, Texas. FILE NO: 4-P-B-242 DATED: 7-2-28
 Present
 Assignment: 1130 kc. 2 KW unlim. ACTION: denied min 11-8-28
 Requested: chg name and incr. pr. to 10 KW

APPLICANT: Lone Star Broadcast Co., Inc. CALL LETTERS: KTSA

ADDRESS: 7½ mi. from town, Bandera Rd., San Antonio, Texas. FILE NO: 3-A-B-2 DATED: 8-14-28

Present

Assignment: allocation; -11-28; 1290 kc. 1 KW nite 2 KW day + KFUL ACTION: covered by lic. issued 11-8-28 1290 kc. 1 KW nite 2 KW day

Requested: chg ownership + KFUL term 11-11-28 to 1-31-29
min 11-8-28

APPLICANT: Lone Star Broadcast Co., Inc. CALL LETTERS: KTSA

ADDRESS: 7½ mi from San Antonio, Texas on Bandera Rd. FILE NO: 3-M-B-99 DATED: 10-18-28

Present

Assignment: allocation 1290 kc. 1 kw nite 2 KW day + KFUL ACTION: denied order dated 4-10-29

Requested: 1290 kc. 10 KW + KFUL

APPLICANT: Lone Star Broadcast Co., Inc. CALL LETTERS: KTSA

ADDRESS: 7½ MI from San Antonio, Texas. FILE NO: 3-R-B-416 DATED: 12-13-28

Present

Assignment: 1290 kc. 1 KW nite 2 KW day + KFUL ACTION: ext. 1-28-29; for 1-31 to 3-16-29; ext. 3-12-29; for 3-16 to 4-30-29

Requested: renewal

APPLICANT: Lone Star Broadcast Company, Inc. CALL LETTERS: KTSA

ADDRESS: Bandera Rd. 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ mi from San Antonio, Tex. FILE NO: 3-R-B-416 DATED: 3-27-29

Present
Assignment: 1290 kc. lkw nite 2 KW day + KFUL ACTION: lic. 4-26-29; 1290 kc.
1 KW nite 2 KW day + KFUL
Requested: renewal 4-30 to 7-31-29

APPLICANT: ~~Inc~~ Lone Star Broadcast Co., Inc. CALL LETTERS: KTSA

ADDRESS: Bandera Rd. 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ mi from San Anton, Texas. FILE NO: 3-R-B-416 DATED: 6-3-29

Present
Assignment: 1290 kc. 1 KW nite 2 K^u day + KFUL ACTION: lic ext. by G.O. 69 from
7-31 to 10-31-29
Requested: renewal

APPLICANT: LONE STAR BROADCAST CO., INC. CALL LETTERS: KTSA

ADDRESS: Bandera Rd. 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles from San Antonio, Texas. FILE NO: 3-M-B-419 DATED: 9/30/29

Present
Assignment: 1290 Kc. 1 KW nite 2 KW day, Divide KFUL ACTION: Denied Min. 2-7-30
Notice 2-10-30
Requested: 1290 Kc. 1 KW nite 2 KW day Full time.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: LONE STAR BROADCAST COMPANY, INCORPORATED CALL LETTERS: KTSA

ADDRESS: Bandera Road, 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles NW of San Antonio, Texas FILE NO: 3-R-B-416 DATED: 9/28/29

Present
Assignment: 1290 kc. 1 KW. 2 KW.-LS + KFUL ACTION: Lic. 10-12-29
1290 kc. 1 KW - 2 KW.-LS
Requested: Renewal + KFUL Per. 10-31-29 to 1-31-30

APPLICANT: LONE STAR BROADCAST COMPANY, INC. CALL LETTERS: KTSA

ADDRESS: Bandera Road, 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles N.W. of San Antonio, Texas FILE NO: 3-R-B-416 DATED: 12-30-29

Present
Assignment: 1290 kc. 1 KW 2 KW - LS + KFUL ACTION: Renewal license 1-10-30.
Period 1-31 to 4-30-30.
Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: Same CALL LETTERS: KTSA

ADDRESS: Same FILE NO: 3-R-B-416 DATED: 3-24-30

Present
Assignment: 1290 Kc. 1 KW 2 KW LS + KFUL ACTION: Renewal Lic. 4-5-30
Per: 4-30 to 7-31-30
Requested: Renewal

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: LONE STAR BROADCAST COMPANY, INC. CALL LETTERS: KTSA
 ADDRESS: 7½ miles N.W. of San Antonio, Texas FILE NO: 3-M-B-566 DATED: 3/21/30
 Present Assignment: 2 KW. day
1290 kc. 1 KW. nite Divides with KFUL ACTION: Denied 4-30-31
 Requested: Unlimited time

APPLICANT: Same CALL LETTERS: KTSA
 ADDRESS: Same FILE NO: 3-R-B-416 DATED: 6-28-30
 Present Assignment: 2 KW - LS
1290 Kc. 1 KW night † KFUL ACTION: Renewal License 7-7-30
 Requested: Renewal ACTION: Per: 7-31 to 10-31-30

APPLICANT: CALL LETTERS:
 ADDRESS: FILE NO: DATED:
 Present Assignment: ACTION:
 Requested:

Call

Letters KTSAName Lone Star Broadcast Company

File No.	Dated Received	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
3-R-B-416	9-24-30	Renewal of lic.	Granted	10/21/30
3-F-B-106	9/24/30	Make changes in equipment and install Automatic Frequency Control.	Retired Letter	to files 10-21-30
3-P-B-1827	11/11/30	Install new equipment. (reducing maximum power of equipment from 10 KW. to 5 KW.)	Granted	12-19-30
3-R-B-416	12-29-30	Renewal of license	G.O. 103 Taken from hearing and Granted	1-20-31 3-3-31 4-24-31
3-MP-B-173	1-26-31	To move transmitter to lots, -7, 8, 9, 10, 11, & 12 of block No. 6906 Jefferson Heights subdivision midway between side of Eastern City limits of San Antonio, Bexar Co., Texas. Also compl. date extended 90 days from approval of this appl.		
Amended	4-2-31	To change location to $\frac{1}{2}$ miles east of San Antonio on St. Hedwig, Rd., Texas.	Granted	C.A. 4-10-31 Min. 4-14-31

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters KTSAName SOUTHWEST BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol.Assign.Lic. 12-2-32)
x LONE STAR BROADCAST COMPANY, INC.

File No.	Date & Received	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
3-L-B-685	7-22-31	License to cover 3-MP-B-173, for change in equipment and local transmitter move.	Granted	9-4-31
3-R-B-416	7-30-31	Renewal of license	Granted	9-11-31
3-ML-B-884	9-14-31	Increase power from 1 KW-2 KW LS to 1 KW-2 $\frac{1}{2}$ KW LS.	Granted	10-3-31
3-R-B-416	1-28-32	Renewal of license	Granted	3-8-32
3-R-B-416	7-30-32	Renewal of license	Granted	9-13-32
3-AL-B-472	10-20-32	Vol.assign.lic. to Southwest Broadcasting Co.	Granted	12-2-32
3-R-B-416	1-30-33	Renewal of license	Granted	3-31-33
3-ML-B-1151A	3-25-33	Mod.lic. to change hours of operation from Shares with KFUL to full time. Fac.KFUL as stated in Petition-KFUL to be assigned to above applicant & then deleted & hrs granted to KTSA.	Granted	4-25-33
Amended	4-12-33	to change power from 1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS to 1kw		

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Letters KTSAName SOUTHWEST BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol. Assign. Lic. 12-2-32)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
3-R-B-416	8-8-33	Renewal of License	Granted	9-19-33
2-R-B-416	2-5-34	Renewal of license	Granted	3-23-34
3-SA-B-146	6-13-24	Special Experimental Authorization to change frequency from 1290 kc. to 550 kc., to increase power ^{from 1kw} to 1kw-night, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS, for period ending 10-1-34. (H)	Granted	6-19-34
			2. Grant suspended and designated for hearing because of the protest filed by KSD pursuant to Rules 44 & 45 Min. 7-18-34.	
			3. Comm. action 47-18-34 reconsidered and KTSA given authority to continue operation on 550 kc 1 kw night 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS for period ending 8-8-34	
			4. Authority extended to 8-15-34 O.A. 8-7-34 Min. 8-14-34	
			5. Authority extended to 8-31-34 Min. 8-14-34	
			6. Dismissed and Granted ORDER, Min. 8-21-34	

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B3-R-416	8-4-34	FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS RECORDS: Renewal of license	Granted	9-11-34
B3-SA-29	9-11-34	Extension of Special Experimental Authorization to operate on 550 kc., 1kw-night, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS, for period from 10-1-34 to 4-1-35.	Granted	9-25-34
B3-MSA-6	10-17-34	Modification of Special Experimental Authorization to operate on 550 kc, 1kw night, 5kw-LS (Present Auth. to operate with power 1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS, S.A. Exp.) For period ending 4-1-35.	Granted	12-11-34
B3-MSA-10	11-19-34	Modification of Special Experimental Authorization as modified to operate on 550 kc, 5kw from midnight to 6:00 a.m. ^{1:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m.} For period ending 4-1-35. (Present auth. to operate with power 1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw LS)	Request of Appl. Order of Dismissal, Min. 2-12-35	
Amended	12-31-34	Requesting hrs. of operation of 1:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m.		

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Name K T S A BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol. Assign. Lic. 5-4-36)
x Southwest Broadcasting Company

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B3-R-416	1-30-35	Renewal of license	Granted	3-12-35
B3-ML-162	3-15-35	Mod. of license to change freq. from 1290 to 550 kc, power from 1kw----- to 1kw-5kw-LS,	Granted	3-26-35
B3-R-416	6-23-35	Renewal of license	Granted	8-13-35
B3-R-416	1-6-36	Renewal of License	Granted	2-21-36
B3-AL-95	3-7-36	Voluntary assignment of license from Southwest Broadcasting Co. to KTSA Broadcasting Co.	Granted	Min. 5-1-36 Effective 5-4-36
B3-R-416	6-24-36	Renewal of license	Granted	C.A. 8-29-36
B3-P-1294	8-4-36	C.P. to install new transmitter.	Granted	C.A. 8-29-36

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Letters KTSAName KTSA BROADCASTING CO.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B3-L-399	9-28-36	License to cover C.P. (B3-P-1294) for new transmitter.	Granted	10-20-36
B3-Z-73	9-28-36	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna.	Granted	10-20-36
B3-R-416	12-21-36	Renewal of license	Granted	2-9-37
B3-AV-166	3-1-37	Voluntary assignment of license from KTSA B/c Co., to Hearst Radio, Inc.,	ORDER OF DISMISSAL Request of Applicant Min. 10-5-37	
B3-R-416	6-24-37	Renewal of license	Granted	8-18-37
B3-R-416	12-20-37	Renewal of license	Granted	CA 2-15-38 Min 3-1-38
B3-R-416	8-24-38	Renewal of license	Granted	8-16-38

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SUNSHINE BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol. Assign. Lic. Eff. 5-24-39)

Name K T S A BROADCASTING CO.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B3AL-222	8-31-38	Voluntary assignment of license from KTSA Broadcasting Co. to Sunshine B/c Co. Inc.	Granted Effective Dock. 5431	5-23-39 5-24-39 B-10
B3-R-416	12-28-38	Renewal of license	Granted	2-6-39
B3-R-416	6-19-39	Renewal of license	Granted	8-8-39
B3-R-416	1-22-40	Renewal of license	Granted	3-12-40
B3-ML-943	1-24-40	Modification of license to increase power from 1kw 5kw-LS to 5kw day and night and request station classification as III-A.	Returned request	4-9-40 applicant

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B3-R-416	5-22-40	Renewal of license	Granted 550kc, 1kw-5kw-LS	3-24-41 U
B3-R-416	2-5-42	Renewal of license 335-filed atty. Foley	Granted	4-7-42
B3-2-1514 Rec'd	3-28-43 4-5-43	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power	Returned Add'l copy & 335	4-7-43
Resubmitted Rec'd	3-28-43 5-1-43	335's filed	Granted	7-21-43
B3-R-416 Rec'd	3-28-44 3-31-44	Renewal of license Filed by Robert Irwin atty.	Granted	1-25-45

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B3-R-416 Rec'd	2-18-46 3-4-46	Renewal of license Filed by John P. Carr atty.	Granted	8-29-46

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B3-P-4399 Rec'd.	1-9-46 1-18-46	C.P. to increase power from 1kw night, 5kw daytime, to 5kw day and night and install D.A. for night use. (Filed by Atty. Dwight Rorer - Engr. Cullum)	Docket No. 7174 Granted after hearing Order B-313 12-6-46 subject filing MP for mod. of DA specifying certain radiation values Issued with MP	
BMP-2481 Rec'd Filed	1-24-47 1-30-47 1-30-47	Mod. of C.P. (B3-P-4399, which authorized increase in power and installation of D.A. for night use) for approval of D.A. system, to install new transmitter (RCA 5-DX) and change transmitter location from Hedwig Rd., $\frac{1}{2}$ mi. E. of San Antonio, Texas <u>to</u> On Rittiman Rd. 3.7 mi. E. of intersection of Rittiman Rd. and U.S. Highway 81, Rural, Texas. (Filed by Paul O. Bryan, Atty.; Cullum, Engr.-Dallas, Texas)	GRANTED subject to CAA approval Site disapproved, Ltr. 6-20-47. Issued with 3157	4-25-47

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Name SUNSHINE BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-3157 Rec'd Filed	8-28-47 9-5-47 9-5-47	Mod. of C.P. (B3-P-4399, as mod., which authorized increase in power, installation of new transmitter and DA for night use, and change in transmitter location) to change type of transmitter (RCA BTA-5F) make changes in DA and mount FM antenna on AM Tower, and change transmitter location from On Rittiman Rd., 3.7 mi. E. of intersection of Rittiman Rd. & U.S. Hwy. 81, Rural, Texas <u>TO</u> On Eisenhower Rd., approx. 0.25 mi. E. of W.W. White Road and approx. 7 mi. NE of center of San Antonio, Texas. and extension of completion date to 180 days after grant. (Filed by John P. Carr, Atty.; C. M. Daniell, Engr., Dallas, Texas)	GRANTED subj. to cond. that the Commission shall be notified of any changes made along Eisenhower Rd. which might affect opr. of DA which changes will necessitate submission of sufficient proof to show that opr. is in accordance with the terms of the license.	3-18-48

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-4217 Rec'd Filed	9-20-48 9-30-48 9-30-48	Mod. of C. P. (B3-P-4399, as mod., which authorized increase in power, installation of new transmitter and DA for night use, and change in transmitter location) for extension of completion date from: 11-18-48 <u>TO</u> : 1-1-49. (Francis X. McDonough, Atty.)	GRANTED subj. to cond. same as BMP-3157	11-4-48
BMP-4354 Rec'd Filed	11-26-48 12-3-48 12-3-48	Mod. of C. P. (B3-P-4399, as mod., which authorized increase in power, installation of new transmitter and DA for night use and change in transmitter location) for extension of completion date from: 1-1-49 <u>TO</u> : 6-1-49. (Francis X. McDonough, Atty.)	GRANTED same cond as BMP-3157	12-11-48

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Letters KTSAName SUNSHINE BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-722 Recd. Filed	12-11-48 12-17-48 1-10-49	Voluntary Transfer of Control of Licensee Corporation from Taylor Radio & Television Corporation to Gene Autry. 3,000 shares of common stock (Filed by P. A. O'Bryan, Atty.)	Consolidated with Supplement to TC-722 in accordance with amend. 5-18-49 whereas Gene Autry assigned interests to Transferee of Supplemental application. Filed in Docket	
SUPPLEMENT to BTC-722 Recd. Filed	2-15-49 2-17-49 2-17-49	Application to purchase 100% common stock of Sunshine Broadcasting Company by Express Publishing Company. (Filed by Maurice M. Jansky, Atty.)	Docket # 0377 GRANTED EFF Granted after being removed from the hearing docket.	9-22-49 10-5-49
AMENDED Recd. Filed	5-16-49 5-18-49 5-18-49	AMENDED to assign Gene Autry's right to purchase all of outstanding stock of K T S A to Express Publishing Company.		

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Letters K.T.S.A.Name SUNSHINE BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-4583 Recd. Filed	4-19-49 4-27-49 4-27-49	Mod. of CP (BP-4399, as mod. which authorized increase in power, installation of new transmitter and DA for night use and change in transmitter location) for extension of completion date from: 6-1-49 to 7-1-49 Clair L. Stout, Atty.	GRANTED same cond	5-10-49 as MP 3157
BMP-4657 Recd. Filed	6-14-49 6-16-49 6-16-49	Mod. of CP (BP-4399, as mod. which authorized increase in power, installation of new transmitter and DA for night use and change in transmitter location) for extension of completion date from: 7-1-49 to: 8-1-49. Clair L. Stout, Atty.	GRANTED same cond	6-23-49 as MP 3157

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LettersK.T.S.A.....

Name SUNSHINE BROADCASTING COMPANY.....

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-416 Recd.	2-21-49 2-23-49	Renewal of license (Francis X. McDonough, Atty.)	GRANTED	4-29-49
BL-3754 Rec'd Filed	7-9-49 7-12-49 7-12-49	License to cover C.P. (BP-4399, as mod.) which authorized increase in power, in- stallation of new transmitter and DA for night use and change in transmitter location. (Francis X. McDonough, Atty.)	GRANTED	10-4-49 subj. cond. that Com. shall be notified of any changes made along Eisenhower Rd. which might affect opr. of the DA which changes will necessitate submission of sufficient proof to show that opr is in accordanc with the terms of the license.

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Letters XKTSAName SUNSHINE BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-416 Rec'd Filed	1-24-52 1-24-52 1-24-52	Renewal of license Maurice M. Jansky, atty.	GRANTED	4-17-52
BR-416 Rec'd Filed	4-15-53 4-23-53 4-23-53	Renewal of License Filed by Maurice M. Jansky, Atty.	GRANTED	7-1-53
BTC-1760 Rec'd Filed	5-26-54 6-25-54 6-25-54	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Express Publishing Company to O. R. Mitchell Motors. (100%). Contingent on grant of BTC-1759 (KGBS). Maurice Jansky, Atty	GRANTED EFF:	10-27-54 11-9-54

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

K T S A (11-27-58)

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Letters X K T S A

Name SUNSHINE BROADCASTING COMPANY
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-714 Rec'd Filed	4-28-55 5-2-55 5-2-55	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 1130 Broadway, San Antonio, Texas, while using non-directional antenna. Francis X. McDonough, Atty.	GRANTED	5-5-55
BTC-2203 Rec'd Filed **	3-26-56 4-3-56 4-3-56	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from O. R. Mitchell Motors to McLendon Investment Corporation. (100%) Leonard H. Marks, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	5-3-56 5-4-56
BR-416 Rec'd Filed	4-27-56 4-30-56 4-30-56	Renewal of License	GRANTED	10-17-56

*PETITION FILED RE TC-2203 6-1-56 by Levett for KITE as PROTEST OF RADIO KITE, INCORPORATED
OPPOSITION TO "PROTEST OF RADIO KITE INC." FILED 6-11-56 by Cohn for Assigner
REPLY OF RADIO KITE, INC. TO OPPOSITION TO PROTEST FILED 6-18-56 by Levett
RE: Petitions above EFFECTIVE DATE OF GRANT POSTPONED. APPL. DESIGNATED FOR HEARING 6-27-56
DOCKET 11762
PETITION GRANTED 9-6-56 AUTHORIZING ASSIGNEE TO CONTINUE OPERATION PENDING FINAL DECISION
AFTER HEARING. MEMO OPINION & ORDER ISSUED 9-6-56 - ORDER 10-3-56 PET. to Terminate (OVER)

Hearing Proceeding filed by transferor & transferee GRANTED 10-3-56. ORDER ISSUED.

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Letters KTSAName SUNSHINE BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-416 Rec'd & Filed	4-25-59 4-28-59	Renewal of license Marcus Cohn, Atty.	GRANTED	7-15-59
BRC-1767 Rec'd Filed	11-9-60 11-10-60 11-10-60	Modification of license to change Remote Control Point from 1130 Broadway, San Antonio, Texas to Radio Park, 4050 Eisenhour Road, San Antonio, Texas, while using non-directional antenna Marcus Cohn, Atty.	GRANTED	11-23-60
BR-416 Rec'd Filed	5-7-62 5-11-62 5-11-62	Renewal of license Stanley B. Cohen, Atty.	GRANTED	8-14-62

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WATERMAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF TEXAS

Name x SUNSHINE BROADCASTING COMPANY
San Antonio, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-416 R & F	4-24-65 5-5-65	Renewal of license Attys: Cohn & Marks	GRANTED	7-30-65
BAL-5527 R & F	7-20-65 7-21-65	Voluntary assignment of license to WATERMAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF TEXAS ATTY - Cohn and Marks	GRANTED EFF:	8-30-65 9-30-65
BR-416 R & F #426038 \$75 Press MAY 28 1968	4-22-68 5-3-68	Renewal of license AMENDED 5-6-68 re: Balance Sheet (statement) Atty- Marcus Cohn	GRANTED	7-29-68
BIC-6217 Record Filed FEE PD: \$30 - #583332 (Form 316) also see FM KTFM Ltr from atty filed 3-16-70 to show TC rather than AL MAR 27 1970	3-5-70 3-8-70 3-16-70	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Waterman Broadcasting Corp. (Mass. corp) to Waterman Broadcasting Corporation (Del corp) Atty - Cohn & Marks (SEE OVER FOR AMENDMENTS)	GRANTED EFF:	9-4-70 9-7-70

over for forfeiture

The Commission by letter of 3-24-71 notified KTSA of apparent liability for \$2,000 for failure to log commercial matter.

AMENDED 8-25-70

RE: amended to show reasons for
Transfer

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Call
Letters K T S AName WATERMAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF TEXAS
San Antonio, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-416 R & F P.N. PRESS JUN 21 1971	4-15-71 4-29-71 4-29-71	Renewal of License Atty: Martin J. Gaynes (Cohn and Marks) AMENDED 7-12-71 re: agreement between licensee & the Bi-Lingual Bi-Cultural Coalition of Mass Media	GRANTED	7-29-71
BR-416 R & F PN Recd. PRESS -----	4-15-74 5-1-74 " MAY 9 1974	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-31-74
BP-19,792 R & F \$50-345055 AC-056 SEP 8 4 1974	9-13-74 9-16-74 9-16-74	Construction permit to install a new Auxiliary transmitter AEL AM5KD. Atty: Martin J. Gaynes (Cohn & Marks)	GRANTED	10-1-74

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Letters KTSA

Name WATERMAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF TEXAS
San Antonio, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-13,941 R & F \$50#405457 PTA PRESS MAY 6	3-3-75 3-6-75 3-27-75 4-15-75 1975	Lic. to cover BP-19,792 for New Alternate Transmitter, AEL AM5KD	GRANTED	6-11-75
BR-416 R & F P.N. PRESS	3-8-77 3-30-77 3-30-77 APR 22 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & ALTERNATE) Atty. Martin J. Gaynes (Cohn & Marks)	GRANTED	7-14-77
BR800401K9 PRESS APR 29 1980		RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN, ALT. & AUX.) Atty. Roy R. Russo (Cohn & Marks) PETITION TO DENY filed 4-21-80 by Dan Martinez.	GRANTED	7-28-80

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(BR800401K9) WITHDRAWAL OF PETITION TO DENY filed
5-21-80 by Dar. ...inez.

OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY filed 5-21-80 by Roy R.
Russo, Counsel on behalf of Waterman Broadcasting Corp.
of Texas.

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

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Call Letters: K T S A

Name: WATERMAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF TEXAS

Station Location: SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BP810309BF PRESS (0)	APR 20 1980	CP to increase MEOV's on the Nighttime Directional Antenna Pattern. Atty. Roy R. Russo (Cohn & Marks)	

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.

