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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 1-23-57

KYSN (7-1-58)
Call letters XKAPA

Station location Colorado Springs, Colorado

KYSN BROADCASTING COMPANY, (AL 11-2-60; EFF: 11-16-60)
*GENERAL BROADCASTING CORPORATION (BAPL 6-18-58) EFF: 7-1-58

Name of licensee *TAYLOR BROADCASTING COMPANY

146 West Arvada, Colorado Springs, Colorado (Ltr. 10-6-58) (Redscr. 1)
Transmitter location *At Arvada & Ivy Sts., southern edge of Colorado Springs (CP 10-10-56) (L 1-23-57)

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146 W. Arvada St., Colorado Springs, Colo. (BS 1-20-67)

*30 South Tejon, Colorado Springs, Colorado (ltr. 6-7-60)

x 39 South Tejon, Colorado Springs, Colorado (BRC-3-31-60)

xx 146 West Arvada, Colorado Springs, Colorado (Trans. site, Ltr. 10-6-58)
(L 1-23-57)

*Acacia Hotel, 104 E. Platte Ave., Colorado Springs (MP 12-10-56)

Main studio location *At Arvada & Ivy Sts., southern edge of Colorado Springs (CP 10-10-56)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

| Appl. No. | Date Issued | Freq. | Power | Time Div. | Period From- To- |
|------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------------|
| BP-9439 | 10-10-56 | 1460kc | 1kw | Day | 12-10 6-10-57 |
| | CP for a new standard broadcast station | | | | |
| BMP-7452 (1) | 12-10-56 | Mod. of CP(9439) to change studio location, type transmitter, and operate transmitter by remote control from studio location. | | | |
| BL-6462 | 1-23-57 | 1460 | 1kw | Day | 1-23 4-1-59 |
| | Lic to cover BP-9439 as mod for new station | | | | |
| BS-3396 (1) | 5-31-57 | Mod. of license (BL-6462) to show overall height of antenna as 196 feet. (MEMO) | | | |
| BP-11133 | 10-30-57 | 1460kc | 500w, 1kw-LS | Un DA-N | 12-30-57 6-30-58 |
| | CP to change power, change hours of operation, install directional antenna for nighttime use and make changes in ground system. (conditional) | | | | |
| BAPL-154 EFF: | 6-18-58 7-1-58 | Voluntary assignment of license and construction permit to General Broadcasting Corporation. | | | |
| BL-7215 | 12-18-58 | 1460kc | 500w-1kw-LS | U DA-N | 12-18 4-1-59 |
| | License to cover CP(BP-11,133) which authorized change power to 500w, 1kw-LS; change hours of operation; install directional antenna for nighttime use and make changes in the ground system. | | | | |
| BR-3396 | 6-3-59 | Renewal of License | | Mx | 6-3 4-1-62 |
| BRC-1646 (1) | 3-31-60 | Mod. of lic. to chg. Studio location from 146 W. Arvada, Colorado Spgs., Colo., to 39 South Tejon, Colorado Springs, Colorado and operate transmitter by Remote Control from Studio location | | | |
| BAL-4003 EFF: | 11-2-60 11-16-60 | Voluntary assignment of license to KYSN Broadcasting Company | | | |
| | 3-28-62 | Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration. | | | |
| BR-3396 | 10-10-62 | 1460kc | 500, 1kw, LS | U DA-N | 10-10 4-1-65 |

Form BC 126

June 1954

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters KYSN

Station location Colorado Springs,
Colorado

Name of licensee (see card 1)

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

| Appl. No. | Date Issued | Freq. | Power | Time Div. | Period From.. To. |
|---------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|--------------|----------------------|
| BTC-4049 EFF: 12-31-62 | 10-10-62 | Voluntary transfer of licensee corporation from WKID Broadcasting Company to Donald T. Harding, Jr. | | | |
| BR-3396 | 3-24-65 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE | | 4-1 | 4-1-68 |
| BS-3396 (1) | 1-20-67 | Mod. of Lic. to chg. studio to ant.-trans. loc. & delete RC oper. | | | |
| BTC-5565 EFF | 3-21-68 4-15-68 | Vol. TC | | | |
| BR-3396 (L) | 7-10-68 | Renewal of License | | | 4-1-71 |
| BR-3396(S) | 4-20-71 | Renewal | | | 4-1-74 |
| EBSA | 5-22-72 | | | | |
| BR-3396(L) | 11-29-74 | RENEWAL | | | 4-1-77 |
| BS-3396(L) | 6-18-75 | ML chg antenna monitor (page 2) | | | |
| LTR | 9-4-75 | Trans. now installed GATES MW-1 | | | |
| Ltr. | 9-19-75 | Trans. now being installed Gates BC-1J (Aux.) | | | |
| BR-3396(L) | 3-15-77 | Renewal of License (MAIN & AUXILIARY) | | | 4-1-80 |

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters ~~KAPA EYON~~
~~NEW~~

Name **TAYLOR BROADCASTING COMPANY**
PO 315 Exchange Natl. Bank Bldg., Colorado Springs, Colorado

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
|---------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|----------------|
| | | | Nature | Date |
| HP-9439 Rec'd Filed | 8-19-54 | Construction permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 1460ks Power: 5kw 1kw Hours of Operation: Daytime Unlimited Day Trans. Location: At Arvado St. and Ivy St. at southern edge of Colorado Springs, Colorado Studio Location: Same Fred O. Grimwood & Co., Inc., Engrs. Charles Rhyne, Atty. per ltr. 9-21-54 | Docket No. | 11/17 |
| | 8-23-54 | | GRANTED | 10-10-56 after |
| | 8-23-54 | | Hearing + | ORDER ISSUED |
| AMENDED Rec'd Filed | 12-10-54 | AMENDED to change power to 500w 5kw 15 change hours of operation to Unlimited install directional antenna for night use and make changes in stockholders. | | |
| | 12-23-54 | | | |
| | 12-23-54 | | | |
| AMENDED Rec'd Filed | 4-9-55 | AMENDED to change power to 5kw, hours of operation to Daytime and operate with non-directional antenna. <small>WASHINGTON, D. C.</small> SEE CARD 2 FOR ADD'L AMENDMENT | | |
| | 4-21-55 | | | |
| | 4-21-55 | | | |

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name TAYLOR BROADCASTING COMPANY

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BP-9439 (CONT'D) AMENDED REC'D Filed | 7-14-56 7-16-56 7-20-56 | AMENDED to change power to 1kw. | See Card #1 | for Action |
| BMP-7452 Rec'd Filed | 11-1-56 11-16-56 11-16-56 | Modification of construction permit (BP-9439, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) to change studio location from At Arvaca and Ivy Streets, Colorado Springs, Colorado to Acacia Hotel, 104 East Platte Avenue, Colorado Springs, Colorado, change type transmitter (Gates BC-1J) and operate transmitter by remote control from studio location. | GRANTED | 12-10-56 |

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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GENERAL BROADCASTING CORPORATION

X TAYLOR BROADCASTING COMPANY

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Letters KAPALYSH

Name

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BL-6462 Rec'd Filed | 12-14-56 12-17-56 12-17-56 | License to cover Construction Permit (BP-9439 as mod.,) which authorized a new standard broadcast station. | GRANTED | 1-23-57 |
| BP-11,133 Rec'd Filed | 2-19-57 3-4-57 3-4-57 | Construction permit to change power from 1kw to 500w-1kwLS, change hours of operation from Daytime to Unlimited; install directional antenna for nighttime use(DA-N) and make changes in ground system. Engr. - Ralph J. Bitzer, St.Louis,Mo. | GRANTED | 10-30-57 Conditions: Phase Monitor; Field measuring equipment; Submission of non-DA proof of performance. |
| BAPL-154 Rec'd Filed | 5-14-58 5-19-58 5-19-58 | Voluntary assignment of license and construction permit to General Broadcasting Corporation Benito Gaguine, atty. for Assignee | GRANTED EFF: | 6-18-58 7-1-58 |

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Call
Letters K.Y.S.N.Name GENERAL BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Colorado Springs, Colorado

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BL-7215 Rec'd Filed | 6-18-58 6-26-58 6-26-58 | License to cover c.p. BP-11,133 which authorized change power from 1kw to 500w, 1kw-LS, change hours of operation from daytime TO unlimited; install directional antenna for nighttime use (DA-N) and make changes in ground system. | GRANTED | 12-18-58 |
| Amendment Rec'd&Filed | 8-22-58 8-27-58 | Amended to change name of licensee corporation from Taylor Broadcasting Company <u>TO</u> General Broadcasting Corporation | | |
| BR-3396 Rec'd Filed | 3-31-59 4-1-59 4-23-59 | Renewal of License | GRANTED | 6-3-59 |
| BRC-1646 Rec'd Filed | 3-23-60 3-28-60 3-28-60 | Modification of license to change Studio location from 146 West Arvada, Colorado Spgs. Colo., to 39 South Tejon, Colorado Springs, Colorado and to operate transmitter by Remote Control from Studio location, while using non-directional antenna. | GRANTED | 3-31-60 |

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

AUG. 1955

KYSN BROADCASTING COMPANY

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Letters K Y S NName x GENERAL BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Colorado Springs, Colorado

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BAL-4003 Rec'd Filed | 9-9-60 9-15-60 9-15-60 | Voluntary assignment of license to KYSN BROADCASTING COMPANY | GRANTED EFF: | 11-2-60 11-16-60 |
| BR-3396 R.&F. | 12-20-61 1-8-62 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE | GRANTED | 10-10-62 |
| BTC-4049 Rec'd Filed | 5-4-62 5-9-62 5-9-62 | Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from WKID Broadcasting Company to Donald T. Harding, Jr. | GRANTED EFF: | 10-10-62 12-31-62 |
| BR-3396 R & F | 12/29/64 1/4/65 | Renewal of license | GRANTED | 3-24-65 |
| BR-3396 R & F DEC 21 1967 | 12-1-67 12-3-67 21 1967 | Renewal of license | GRANTED | 7-10-68 |

FORM BC-121 #6
 AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

(1460kc)

Call
 Letters K Y S N

Name KYSN BROADCASTING COMPANY
Colorado Springs, Colorado

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BTC-5565 R & F (Form 316) MAR 1 1968 | 2-15-68 2-19-68 | Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from Donald T. Harding, Jr. to Donald T. Harding, Jr. Betty Ellen Harding & Kimberly Ellen Harding, as a Family Group. | GRANTED EFF. | 3-21-68 4-15-68 |
| BR-3396 R & F P.N. JAN 12 1971 | 12-18-70 12-21-70 12-21-70 | Renewal of License AMENDED 1-28-71 re: Ownership Report AMENDED 3-29-71 re: ascertainment of community needs AMENDED 3-30-71 re: equal opportunity program | GRANTED | 4-20-71 |
| BR-3396 R & F PN PRESS 28 JAN 1974 | 12-2-73 1-2-74 1-2-74 | Renewal of License Atty: Cohn and Marks (Lawrence N. Cohn) AMENDED 4-29-74 re: EEO report | GRANTED | 11-29-74 |
| The Commission on 8-14-74 notified station of apparent liability for \$500 for violations of Section 73.47(b) and 73.113(a)(1)(ii). | | | | |

(BR-3396) Form ltr. and 323's sent 1-8-71

Letter sent 1-20-71 re: ownership report

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters K Y S NName KYSN BROADCASTING COMPANY
COLORADO SPRINGS, COLORADO

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BR-3396 R & F PN Recd. PRESS | 11-22-76 11-30-76 " FEB 17 1977 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Brian M. Madden, Atty. | Granted | 3-15-77 |
| BR791126UQ PRESS | JAN 23 1980 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE | GRANTED | 1-14-81 |
| BZ-780810AC R & F DM PRESS | 8-10-78 4-9-80 | DIRECT MEASUREMENT Atty: Lawrence N. Cohn | Issued with renewal GRANTED | 5-1-80 |

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

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Call Letters: KYSN

Name: KYSN BROADCASTING COMPANY

Station Location: Colorado Springs, Colorado

| File No. | Date | Description | Action and Date |
|------------------------------------------------|---------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 801212AC 810326AF RESUBMITTED | 4-24-81 | Construction permit to increase daytime power to 5kw, DA-N and change TL, SL&RC: Intersection of airport Rd., & Miller Rd., Colorado Springs, Colorado 38° 49' 35.5 104° 44' 30" Public Notice | Returned 3-4-81 contravention of Section 73.182 of Rules. |

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DENIAL OF STA'S

WIRE 8-30-57 - Remain on air 10-11-57 & 10-26-57 Football

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.

