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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

W A B S 11-13-77

X W A V A (Eff: 1-1-61)

Date first licensed 2-4-47

Call letters W A R L  
LOCATION: ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA

\*See Card #9 re protest

RADIO 780, INC. (AL 9-30-77 EFF: 11-14-77)

x UNITED STATES TRANSDYNAMICS CORPORATION, (AL 7-27-60; EFF: 8-10-60)

Name of licensee x NORTHERN VIRGINIA BROADCASTERS, INCORPORATED

5232 Lee Hwy., Arlington County, Virginia (CP 2-29-52) (Lic. 5-19-52)

Transmitter location x Near Bailey's Cross Roads, 2.5 mile S.W. of Arlington, Va. (CP 9-27-46)

- 1901 Fort Myer Drive, Arlington, Virginia (BRC 2-17-65) (Eff: 5-20-65)

X 5232 Lee Hwy., Arlington County, Virginia (CP, 2-29-52) (Lic. 5-19-52)

x 3102 10th Rd., North, Arlington, Va. (CP 9-27-46)

22209  
Main studio location

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

App. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
4604 Letter 8-1-46	6-13-46 C.P.	780	1kw	Daytime	for new station granted subject to filing NO for approval of T site & antenna (Conditional Clause)
4604 CP-2023	9-27-46 Mod.CP	780	1kw	Daytime	11-27 5-27-47 (4604) for approval of antenna and T & S sites (Conditional Clause)
	11-29-46				to oper. add'l time from 4:45 pm to 5:45 pm, EST, 12-1-46 to b/c dedication program of Station
	12-8-46				to oper. add'l time from 4:45 pm to 5:45 pm, EST, 12-8-46 to b/c dedication program of station
145 -2-1961	2-4-47	780	1kw	Daytime	2-4 11-1-49 Lic. to cover CP (4604 as mod.) for new station and determine operating power by direct method
1392	5-27-47				STA to opr. Add'l time from 12:00 midnight 5-27-47 to 5:00 am, EST 5-28-47, in order to broadcast election returns Arlington School & Bond Referendum, only.
1392	8-1-47				STA to opr. add'l time from 7:00 pm EST to end of broadcast of election returns for the Democratic Primary (power reduced to 250w after 8:00 pm) on Aug. 5, 1947, to broadcast said returns only.
1392	10-30-47				STA to opr. add'l time from 9:00 pm, EST to end of broadcast of election results on local, state, and national constest on 11-4-47, (power 250w) to broadcast said programs, only.
1962	11-16-48	780	1kw	Daytime	11-16 11-1-49 Determine opr. power by direct method.
1392	10-28-49	780	1kw	Daytime	11-1 11-1-52.
1392	6-14-50	780	1kw	Day	6-14 11-1-52 Mod. of lic. correct. geographic description of T site.
5188	8-8-50	780	1kw	Day	8-8 11-1-52 Auth. to determine power by direct meas.
1157 Aff.	9-6-51 9-15-51				Vol. Transfer of control of licensee corp. from Frank U. Fletcher and R. Bourne Castell to JOU POLLER

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Date first licensed .....

Call letters

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Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BP-8320	2-29-52	CP to chg. T&S sites and install new trans. (COND'L CLAUSE)			4-29 10-29-52
BL-4709	5-19-52	780	1kw	Daytime	5-19 11-1-52
	Lic. cover CP(8320) for change in T & S sites and install new T <sub>a</sub> antenna changes (COND'L CL.)				
Telegram	10-23-52	Action on renewal deferred 10-15-52 and continued operation authorized until final determination on renewal			
BR-1392	11-5-52	780kc	1kw	Daytime	11-1 10-1-54
BZ-3593(1)	8-9-54	Auth. determining operating power.			
<del>BR-1392</del>	<del>9-8-54</del>	<del>780</del>	<del>1kw</del>	<del>Daytime</del>	<del>10-1 10-1-57</del>
BTC-1984	6-8-55	Vol. trans. of control to Cy Blumenthal			
	EFF: 6-14-55				
BR-1392	9-19-57	780	1kw	Daytime	10-1 10-1-60
BAL-3927	7-27-60	Voluntary assignment of license to United States Transdynamics Corporation.			
	EFF: 8-10-60				
	9-28-60	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BR-1392	7-26-61	780kc	1kw	Daytime	7-26 to 8-1-62 (Short Term)
BZ-4482 (1)	9-7-61	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.			
BRC-2338 (2)	12-3-63	Mod. of Lic. to oper. trans. by RC from studio loc.			
Wire sent.	Not issued. To be issued with Renewal.				
BR-1392					
BZ-4885					
BRC-2338	7-24-64	780kc	1kw	Day	7-24 10/1/56
	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. Mod. of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 5232 Lee Hwy., Arlington, Va. Renewal of license.				

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Station location .....

Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BZ-5238	9-28-64	780kc	1kw	Day	9-28 10-1-66
		Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.			
BRC-2605 (1) Eff: 3-20-65	2-17-65	Mod. of license to change studio loc. and remote control point to 1901 Fort Myer Drive, Arlington, Va.			
BZ-6012 (1)	6-22-66	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power			
BR-1392	9-30-66	780kc	1kw	Day	10-1 10-1-69
Ltr. 2-6-68, rec'd 2-8-68 giving notification per Sect. 73.48(a)(5) Rules that a Gates Vanguard II trans. is now installed & in oper. (Eff: 2-5-68)					
BZ-6905 (1)	8-19-68	Direct Meas.			
BS-1392(I)	9-17-68	ML correct Sep	sunrise		10-1-69
BR-1392(S)	10-22-69	Renewal			
BS-1392(I)	1-28-70	Mod. Lic. redescrbe antenna (homo)			
BP-18,738	4-7-70	780kc	1kw	Day	12-7-70
		CP to increase height of the antenna by the addition of an FM broadcasting antenna.			
BMP-13,108(1)	11-5-70	Mod. of CP (BP_18,738) to make changes in antenna system; change type trans. to GATES VANGUARD II and change geographic coordinates.			
BMP-13,135(2)	12-11-70	MP(BP-18,738) ext. time to 2-15-71			
BL-12,594(L)	3-29-71	Lic. (BP-18,738) as mod. changes			
BZ-7818(S)	3-26-71	Direct Measurement (1)			
EBSA	6-12-72				
BR-1392 BZ-8176(L)	1-10-73	Renewal and Modification			10-1-75
		Sparta/Bauer 701B (Main)			
BP-19,659	5-7-74	780 kHz	1kw	Alt. M	5-7-75
		CP to install a new Alt M. Trans operate by remote control			

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Station location .....

Name of licensee UNITED STATES TRANSDYNAMICS CORPORATION

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....



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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-	
BP-20025	9-10-75	CP to replace expired CP(BP-19,659) for changes. <i>all maintenance</i>				
BP-20,053	9-29-75	CP to add tv trans. ant.				9-29-76
BR-1392(L)	10-16-75	RENEWAL				10-1-78
BL-14,099(L)	6-30-76	Lic. to cover BP-20,025 for <del>changes</del> ALTERNATE Transmitter				10-1-78
BZ-9333(L) BL-14,221	2-14-77	Direct Measurement and Modification to cover BP-20,053 for changes				10-1-78 10-1-78
BAL-9077	9-30-77	Vol. AL EFF: 11-14-77				
EBSA	11-13-77	chg. call				
BR-1392(L)	11-21-78	Renewal of License (Main & Alter. Trans.)				10-1-81
BZ-791114AL(1)	1-23-80	DIRECT MEASUREMENT				

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name NORTHERN VIRGINIA BROADCASTERS, INCORPORATED  
(P.O. 4274 South 35th St., Arlington, Virginia)

3102 N. 10th Rd.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-P-4604	3-7-46	Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - <del>860 kc</del> 780 kc Power - 1kw Hours of Operation - Daytime Trans. Location - To be determined, near Arlington, Virginia Studio Location - To be determined, Arlington, Virginia (Dixie B. McKey, Engr.) Filed by Frank Fletcher, Atty.	Docket No. 7476 GRANTED WITHOUT HEARING Order issued 6-13-46 Granted subject to filing MP for approval of T site and antenna and conditional re waiver 3.55(b) and 3.60 Letter 8-1-46 ISSUED WITH MP2023	
Rec'd	3-8-46			
Filed	3-8-46			
Amended	4-19-46	Amended to change frequency from 860 kc to 780 kc.		
Rec'd	4-19-46	(Filed by Frank U. Fletcher, Atty.; Dixie B. McKey, Engr.)		
Filed	4-25-46			

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-MP-2023 Rec'd Filed	7-19-46 7-19-46 7-31-46	Mod. of C.P. (B2-P-4604, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for approval of antenna and approval of transmitter and studio locations near Bailey's Cross Roads, 2.5 miles S.W. of Arlington, Virginia and 3102 10th. Road, North, Arlington, Virginia, respectively.  (D. B. McKey, Mgr.)	GRANTED (Conditional re waiver 3.55(b) and 3.60)	9-27-46

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-L-2146 Rec'd Filed	11-6-46 11-6-46 11-6-46	License to cover C.P. (B2-P-4604, as mod.,) which authorized a new standard broadcast station  and Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.  (Frank Fletcher, Atty.; D.B. McKey, Engr.)	GRANTED	2-4-47
B2-Z-1961 Rec'd Filed	11-6-46 11-6-46 11-6-46			
BAL-1240 Rec'd Filed AMENDMENT R & F	1-29-47 1-29-47 1-29-47 10-3-60 10-11-60	Modification of License to change hours of operation from Daytime to Limited Time.  AMENDED to change applicant name to UNITED STATES TRANSDYNAMICS CORPORATION as auth. by BAL-3927 gr 7-27-60.  Atty. - Spearman & Roberson	DISMISSED Per Section 3.38 Rules.	12-6-61.

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BZ-2962 Rec'd Filed	10-20-48 10-21-48 10-21-48	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	<del>GRANTED</del>	<del>11-16-48</del>
BR-1392 Rec'd	8-30-49 9-2-49	Renewal of license. (Filed by Frank U. Fletcher, Atty.)	Granted	10-28-49
BP-7638 Rec'd Filed	4-27-50 4-28-50 4-28-50	Construction permit to make changes in the transmitting equipment.  Frank J. Fletcher, Atty. John Creutz, Engr.	DISMISSED	as of 7-3-50 per request of applicant (per attorney)

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-3185 Rec'd Filed	7-14-50 7-18-50 7-18-50	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED	8-8-50
BTC-1157 Rec'd Filed	7-19-51 7-20-51 7-20-51	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Frank U. Fletcher and R. Kilbourne Castell to Lou Poller. (100%).  Frank Fletcher, Atty. for Transferor Philip Baker, Atty. for Transferee	Granted Eff.	9-6-51 9-15-51

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
EP-8320 Rec'd Filed	11-21-51 11-23-51 11-23-51	Construction permit to change transmitter location from Near Bailey's Cross Roads, 2.5 mi S.W. of Arlington, Va. to 5232 Lee Highway, Arlington, Virginia and change main studio location from 3102 10th Rd., North, Arlington, Va. to 5232 Lee Highway, Arlington, Virginia.  Philip M. Baker, Atty. Russell P. May, Engr.	GRANTED Cond'l re blanketing and taking corrective action to prevent interf. between AT&T relay tower and WARL ant. and submission meas. to show interf. does not exist	2-29-52
AMENDED Rec'd Filed	1-18-52 1-18-52 1-18-52	AMENDED to make changes in the antenna system, to include FM antenna.		
AMENDED Rec'd Filed	1-14-52 1-14-52 1-14-52	AMENDED to change type of transmitter (Gates BC-1F)		



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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-4709 Rec'd Filed	4-28-52 4-28-52 4-28-52	License to cover construction permit (BP-8320) which authorized change in transmitter and studio locations, changes in the antenna system to include FM antenna and change type transmitter.	GRANTED Conditional re blanketing	5-19-52
BR-1392 Rec'd Filed	7-30-52 8-1-52 8-1-52	Renewal of License Filed by Philip M. Baker, Atty.	GRANTED	11-5-52
BR-1392 Rec'd Filed	6-30-54 6-30-54 6-30-54	Renewal of License	GRANTED	9-8-54
BZ-3593 Rec'd Filed	6-24-54 6-30-54 6-30-54	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED	8-9-54

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-1984 Rec'd Filed	5-6-55 5-9-55 5-9-55	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Lou Poller to Cy Blumenthal.  Philip Baker, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	6-8-55 6-14-55
BR-1392 Rec'd Filed	6-29-57 7-5-57 7-5-57	Renewal of license.  Phil. Baker, Atty.	GRANTED	9-19-57
BAL-3927 Rec'd Filed	6-22-60 6-22-60 6-22-60	Voluntary assignment of license to United States Transdynamics Corporation.  Philip M. Baker, Atty. for Assignor Frank U. Fletcher, Atty. for Assignee	GRANTED EFF:	7-27-60 8-10-60

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Letters W.A.R.L.Name NORTHERN VIRGINIA BROADCASTERS, INCORPORATED

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1392	6-22-60	Renewal of license	GRANTED (Short Term) to 8-1-62	7-26-61
Red'd	6-23-60	Atty: Philip M. Baker		
Filed	6-23-60			
AMENDED	8-13-60	Amended to change applicant name to:		
R & F	8-18-60	"UNITED STATES TRANSDYNAMICS CORPORATION"		
PETITIONS RE CHANGE IN CALL LETTERS FROM WARL TO WAVA PETITION THAT CHIEF OF SAFETY AND SPECIAL SERVICES BUREAU SET ASIDE OR STAY EFFECTIVENESS <u>of action filed 12-29-60</u> by McKenna for WBVA - Ltr. dated 12-30-60 re no action taken <u>PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION</u> filed 12-29-60 by McKenna for WBVA - DENIED 2-8-61 - MEMO <u>OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION</u> filed 1-11-61 by Hildreth for WAVA OPINION & ORDER <u>REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION</u> filed 1-23-61 by Barly for WBVA				
BZ-4482	5-19-61	Authority to determine operating power	GRANTED	9-7-61
R. & F.	5-24-61	by direct measurement of antenna power. Atty's-Spearman and Roberson		

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Arlington, Virginia

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1392 Rec'd Filed	4-30-62 5-1-62 5-1-62	Renewal of license  Richard Hildreth, Atty.	GRANTED (Issued with BZ-4885 & BRC-2338)	7-24-64
BZ-4885 Rec'd Resub R. & F.	12-14-62 12-18-62 12-28-62 12-31-62	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	RETURNED - <del>Incomplete</del> GRANTED (Issued with BR-1392 & BRC-2338)	12-21-62 7-24-64
BRC-2338 Rec'd Filed	9-25-63 9-27-63 9-27-63	Modification of license to operate trans- mitter by remote control from 5232 Lee Highway, Arlington, Virginia.	GRANTED Wire sent. Not issued. To be issued with Renewal	12-3-63 7-24-64
BZ-5238 R. & F.	4-24-64 4-28-64	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. Atty- Spearman & Roberson Engr- Creutz & Snowberger	GRANTED	9-28-64

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Arlington, Virginia

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-2605 Rec'd Filed	2-9-65 2-10-65 2-10-65	Modification of license to change studio location and remotecontrol point to 1901 Fort Myer Drive, Arlington, Virginia.	GRANTED	2-17-65 Eff: 5-20-65
BZ-6012 R & F	5/19/66 5/19/66	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.	GRANTED	6-22-66
BR-1392 R & F	5-5-66 5-5-66	Renewal of license Atty. Fletcher, Heald, Rowell & Hildreth	GRANTED	9-30-66
10-25-67 \$500 FORFEITURE		Apparent liability. (Sect. 73.55 Rules).		
BZ-6905 R & F \$435112 \$30 Refunded \$30 DM AUG 15 1968	6/10/68 6/11/68 6/11/68 8/13/68 6/20/68	Direct Meas. Engr: Charles I. Gallagher, D.C.	GRANTED	8-19-68

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Letters W A V AName UNITED STATES TRANSDYNAMICS CORPORATION  
Arlington, Virginia

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1392 R & F #526863 \$75. P.N. filed PRESS AUG 6 1969	7-2-69 7-3-69 7-3-69 7-15-69	Renewal of license Atty-Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, etc. (Vincent J. Curtis, Jr.)	GRANTED	10-22-69
8-13-69. By 10-1-69. By	Commission. Memorandum	Notice of Apparent Liability. for \$1,000 Forfeiture. Opinion and Order. DENIED request for Mitigation of Remission of Forfeiture.		
2-8-70 By	Memorandum	Opinion and Order Ordered to pay forfeiture of \$1000.		
BP-18,738 Rec'd Resub. \$30-576166 Amended 3-10-70 re: Change in facilities MAR 27 1970	2-2-70 2-6-70 <del>2-27-70</del> 2-6-70	CP to increase height of the antenna by the addition of an FM broadcasting antenna. Atty. Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, Kenehan & Hildreth	<del>RETURNED 2-24-70</del> <del>incomplete - do not show any of the comm- -type antennae mounted on present tower etc.</del> GRANTED	<del>2-24-70</del> 4-7-70

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Letters W.B.V.A.

Name UNITED STATES TRANDYNAMICS CORPORATION  
ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-13,108 R & F 615983 \$30 P. N. Press	7-1-70 7-17-70 7-17-70	Mod. of CP(BP-18,738) to make changes in antenna system; change type transmitter to GATES VANGUARD 11 and change geographic coordinates.  38° 53' 44" - 77° 08' 04"	GRANTED	11-5-70
BMP-13.135 Rec'd File \$50-645603 AC-067  7-2-71 110 94	10-30-70 11-2-70 11-23-70 11-23-70 DEC 2 1970  To office 3-3-71	MP(BP-18,738) for extension of completion date to 2-1-71 (changes	GRANTED TO	12-11-70 2-15-71
3-11-71 Annual filing fee \$180.00 paid 10-26-70. #638730.				

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Letters WAVA

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Arlington, Virginia

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BL-12,894 Rec'd #663453 \$50 AC-067 PTA (1td) Amended Amended & P PTA ext. PRESS MAR 2 1971 Ltr.	2-5-71 2-8-71 2-8-71 2-18-71 3-2-71 3-4-71 3-8-71 3-22-71	Lic.(BP-18,738, as mod.) for changes. Engr: Gautney & Jones (Wm G. Ball)  Engr. exhibit Engr. statement  Harry Plotkin (Arent, Fox) now atty.	GRANTED	3-29-71
BZ-7818 R & P DM PRESS	4-20-71 4-22-71 4-29-71 MAY 24 1971	Direct Measurement.	GRANTED	5-26-71



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Arlington, Virginia

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1392 R & F P.N. PRESS JUL 19 1972	6-30-72 7-3-72 7-3-72	Renewal of License AMENDED 9-1-72 re: programming AMENDED 10-10-72 re: ascertainment of community needs; employment policy	GRANTED	1-10-73
BZ-8176 R & F W 109988-\$50. DM PRESS NOV 14 1972	9-15-72 9-18-72 9-18-72-AC-067 9-27-72	Direct Measurement Refunded Engr: <u>Gautney &amp; Jones</u>	GRANTED issued with renewal	1-10-73
BP-19,659 R&F \$50-301322 AC-056 PRESS APR 29 1974	4-4-74 4-8-74 4-8-74	Construction permit to install a new Alternate main transmitter Sparta/Bauer 701B. and operate by remote control from studio location.	GRANTED	5-7-74

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ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1392 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	6-2-75 " " JUL 2 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	10-16-75
BP-20,025 R & F \$50-465707 AC-001 PRESS: <del>AUG 10 1975</del>	8-11-75 8-11-75 8-11-75 <del>AUG 10 1975</del>	Construction permit to replace expired permit (BP-19,659) for chgs. (Alternate Main Transmitter)	GRANTED	9-10-75
BP-20,053 Rec'd Filed \$100-470978 AC: 001 Press; SEP 15 1975	8-28-75 8-29-75 9-10-75 8-29-75 SEP 15 1975	Construction permit to add television trans- lator antenna to top of tower.	Granted to	9-29-75 9-29-76

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Arlington, Virginia

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-14,099 R & F \$50.#516951 PTA PRESS APR 9	12-29-75 1-15-76 1-13-76 3-31-76 1976	Lic. to cover BP-20,025 for Alternate transmitter	GRANTED	6-30-76
BL-14,221 R & F \$100#619558 PTA PRESS Amend PRESS DEC 17	9-28-76 9-28-76 9-30-76 12-7-76 10-19-76 - engr. data 1976	Lic. to cover BP-20,053 for changes	GRANTED	2-14-77 issued with BZ-9333
BZ-9333 R & F DM PRESS JAN 24	1-3-77 1-3-77 1-12-77 1977	Direct Measurement	GRANTED	2-14-77 issued with BL-14,221

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Name RADIO 780, INC.  
x UNITED STATES TRANSDYNAMICS CORPORATION  
Arlington, Va.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-9075 R & F FORM 316 (ALSO SEE FM) AUG 15 1977	7-22-77 7-29-77	Voluntary assignment of license to ARTHUR W. ARUNDEL  CONTINGENT on GRANT OF BAL-9076 filed simultaneously Atty - Arent, Fox etc (P. Tannenwald)	GRANTED	9-30-77
BAL-9076 R & F (Form 314) (ALSO SEE FM) AUG 15 1977 PN filed	7-29-77 7-29-77 8-23-77	Voluntary assignment of license to WAVA LIMITED PARTNERSHIP (Alexander W. Sheftell, Melvin Lenkin, Edward Lenkin and J U Investment Associates, Inc. GENERAL PARTNERS) CONTINGENT ON GRANT OF ABOVE BAL-9075 (SEE OVER) Atty for assignor - P. Tannenwald for assignee - Jason Shrinsky	GRANTED EFF:	9-30-77 11-14-77
BAL-9077 R & F (Form 314) (ALSO SEE FM) AUG 15 1977 PN filed	7-29-77 7-29-77 8-23-77	Voluntary assignment of license to RADIO 780, INC.  CONTINGENT ON GRANT OF ABOVE BAL-9076 Atty for assignor - Jason Shrinsky for assignee - same (SEE OVER)	GRANTED EFF:	9-30-77 11-14-77

RE: BAL-9077 - AMENDED 8-23-77 endorsement re bank loan  
AMENDED 9-20-77 - financial data  
RE: BAL-9076 - AMENDED 9-15-77 - amended financial plan  
AMENDED 9-15-77 - financial data  
AMENDED 10-5-77 - report settlement of lawsuit

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

#19

Call Letters W A B S  
X W A V AName  RADIO 780, INC.  
 UNITED STATES TRANSDYNAMICS CORPORATION  
Arlington, Va.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
Appli. R & F	8-10-77 8-11-77	Req. waiver of Sec. 73.1201(b)(2) of the rules to identify as: Arlington, Virginia-Wash. DC	DISMISSED	4-3-78
	AUG 27 1977	Atty: Jason L. Shrinsky		
BR-1392 R & F PRESS	5-18-78 5-26-78 JUN 7 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & ALTER. TRANS.) Jason L. Shrinsky, Atty.	GRANTED	11-21-78
BZ-791114AL R & F DM PRESS JAN 22 1980	11-14-79 11-28-79	Direct Measurement	GRANTED	1-23-80

## APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

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Call Letters: W A B S

Name: RADIO 780, INC.

Station Location: ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BR810521UB PRESS	JUL 31 1981	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty. Jason L. Shrinsky	GRANTED 10-22-81

WARL - RECORD OF DENIAL OF INFORMAL APPLICATIONS

ES-1392 7-19-48 - to opr. add'l time from sign-off time to end of dedicatory program of Radio Station WARL-FM, 7-31-48 and to end of election results of democratic and republican primaries 8-3-48 to broadcast said programs, only.



## 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.

