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Form BC 126
June 1954 #4575

6-30-72 Granted request for on-the-air station ID as: "BEVERLY-DANVERS"
Massachusetts

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 11-9-66

Call letters WBVD 12-5-79
XWMLD

Station location Beverly, Massachusetts

Name of licensee PAULEY ENTERPRISES, INC. (AL: 9-21-79 EFF:
* ALGONQUIN BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. (AL 11-17-67 EFF. 12-7-67)
x UNITED BROADCASTING CO., INC.

Transmitter location N. of Clinton St., S. of Crane River, Danvers, Mass. (red. BMP-9-4-63)
x Rt. 128 and Endicott Street, Danvers, Massachusetts (BP 1-18-61)

Main studio location N. of Clinton St., S. of Crane River, Danvers, Mass. (red. BMP-9-4-63)
x Rt. 128 and Endicott Street, Danvers, Massachusetts (BP 1-18-61)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period	
					From	To
BP-13103	1-18-61 CP for a new standard broadcast station (Cond'1)	1570kc	500w-DA-	Day	3-18	9-18-61
BP-13103 (1)	3-16-61	Mod. of CP(BP-13103) to assign Call Letters.				
BMP-9775 (2)	3-13-62	Mod. of CP(BP-13103) for extension of completion date to			8-20-62	
BMP-10,133	4-2-62	1570kc	500w-DA,	Day	3-18	8-20-62
	Mod. of CP(BP-13,103) to chg. ant-trans. & studio location & make changes in antenna system					
BMP-10,494 (1)	9-4-62	Mod. of CP (BP-13,103, as mod, for ext. of completion date to			11-1-62	
BP-15787 (Cond'1)	12-26-62	1570kc	500w-DA-	Day	2-26	8-26-63
	CP to replace expired permit BP-13,103 as mod., which auth. a new standard broadcast station.					
BMP-10,988 (1)	9-3-63	Mod. of CP (BP-15,787, which replaced BP-13,103 which auth. a new standard b/c station) for ext. of completion date from 8-26-63 to 11-26-63.				
BMP-10,389	9-4-63	1570kc	500w-DA-	Day	2-26	11-26-63
	Mod. of CP (BP-15,787 as mod, which auth new standard b/c station) to make chg. in DA system. cond1					&/reinstated
BMP-10,389 (1)	11-7-63	Mod. of (BP-15,787 as mod. & reinstated) to chg. obstruction markings.				
BL-10,471	11-9-66	1570kc	500w-DA-	Day	11-9	4-1-69
	Lic to cover CP(BP-15,787 as mod & reinstated) which auth a new standard b/c station) specify type trans GATES BC-500T					
BAL-6112 EBS.	11-17-67 12-3-67	Voluntary assignment of license.				
Contel	2-1-71	PSA	500w			
BR-4575(L)	3-29-71	Renewal			4-1-72	
BR-4575(L)	5-10-72	Renewal			4-1-72	
EBSA	6-12-72					

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Station location

Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To
BS-4575(L)	6-26-72	ML to show corrected current. 1570kc	500w	DA Day	4-1-75
BTC-6843	7-24-72	Vol. TC		EFF: 9-1-72	
COMLET	4-9-75	ant monitor	Potomac Instr.		AM-19(204)
BTC-7751	5-20-75	VOL. TC.		EFF:	
BS-4575(L)	9-15-75	ML chg	ant. monitor and		page 2
BS-4575(L)	9-15-75	ML chg	MP descriptions &		values
COMTEL	1-7-76	Marking:	Para. 1 only		
BR-4575(L)	11-26-75		RENEWAL & Mod.		4-1-78
BTC-8301	5/26/77	Vol rel	of neg con	EFF: 6/27/77	
BR-4575(S)	3-28-78	Renewal	of License		4-1-81
BTC-8711	9-29-78	VOL TC		EFF: 10-2-78	
BAL790731BI	9-21-79	VOL. AL		EFF:	10-1-79
EBSA	12-5-79	chg. call			
COMTEL	11-5-80	AUTH. & TERMS	COMTEL 8-19-80 EXT.		
		THRU 1-30-81	REDUCE POWER TO MAINTAIN		
		MONITOR POINTS	WITHIN LIMITS.		
COMTEL	8-19-80	TEMP. AUTH. GR.	OPERATE PARAMETERS		
		AT VARIANCE WHILE	MAINTAINING MONITOR		
		POINTS WITHIN LIC.	LIMITS TO		
		FACILITATE TESTING	OF ARRAY AUTH ESPIRES		
		10-30-80-			

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

AUG. 1955

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Letters NEW WMLDName UNITED BROADCASTING CO., INC.
(P.O. c/o John MacLellan, 126 Dartmouth St., ^{Boston}~~Beverly~~, Mass.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-13,103	5-13-59	Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 1570kc Power - 500w-DA-D Hours of operation - Daytime Trans. location - Route 128 and Endicott St. Danvers, Massachusetts Studio location - Same as transmitter STATION LOCATION: BEVERLY, MASSACHUSETTS Atty.- Samuel Miller Engr.- Richard O'Conner, Latham, N.Y.	GRANTED	1-18-61
Rec'd	5-15-59		Cond'l re: Phase Mon., Field meas. equip., DA & non-DA proof. After Hearing Docket No. 13070 Order Issued.	
Filed	5-15-59			
5-77	2-1-61	Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 1570kc Power - 500w-DA-D Hours of operation - Daytime Trans. location - Route 128 and Endicott St. Danvers, Massachusetts Studio location - Same as transmitter STATION LOCATION: BEVERLY, MASSACHUSETTS Atty.- Samuel Miller Engr.- Richard O'Conner, Latham, N.Y.	GRANTED	3-13-62 to 8-20-62

Gates BC-500T

FORM BC-121
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Name United Broadcasting Co., Inc.
Beverly, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-10,103 R & F	2-7-62 2-9-62	Mod. of CP (BP-13,103 which auth. new standard broadcast station) to change antenna and main studio loc from Rt. 128 and Woodcott St., Beverly, Mass.; to Rt. 28, Springfield, Mass. in antenna system (top load). Engr. - David Miller	GRANTED	4-2-62 (Cond'l re; phase mon.; Field meas. equip.; DA & non-DA proof
BMP-10389 R. & F.	6-20-62 6-22-62	Mod. of CP (BP-13,103/which auth. new standard broadcast station) to make changes in the directional antenna system.	GRANTED	9-4-62 Call
SEE BELOW FOR AMENDMENT				
BMP-10,494 R. & F.	7-16-62 8-13-62	Mod. of CP (BP-13,103 as mod. which auth. new standard broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 8-20-62 to 11-1-62.	GRANTED	2
BMP-10,389 R & F	11-1-62 11-2-62	AMENDED to make changes in DA system (top load) Engr. - Ralph Winkquist, W.C.C. WASHINGTON, D.C. Bridgeport, Conn.	GRANTED	11-2-62 Call

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BP-15, 787 R. & F.	11-21-62 11-23-62	CP to replace exp. date of BP-13,103, which auth. a new standard broadcast station (modified)	GRANTED Cond'l re: Phase Mon., Field meas. equip., DA & non-DA proof.	12-26-62
BMP-10,389 AMENDMENT R & F	Continued 7-23-63 7-24-63	AMENDED to make changes in ground system.	GRANTED	9-4-63
BMP-10, 983 R. & F.	8-5-63 8-12-63	Modification of CP (BP-15,787, which replaced BP-13,103, which auth. a new standard broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 8-26-63 to 11-26-63.	GRANTED	9-3-63
BP-15, 787 R. & F.	11-21-63 11-23-63	now of BP-15, 787, to reauthorize and auth. which auth. a new station, for ext. of completion date from 11-26-63 to 11-27-63.	DISMISSED As proof	2-4-64

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BEVERLY, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BL-10,471 Rec'd Resub. R.&F.	12-9-63	Lic. to cover CP(BP-15,787 as mod & reinstated) which auth. a new standard broadcast station) specify type trans. GATES BC-500T. Atty-Samuel Miller	RETURNED ---incomplete	12-12-63
	12-10-63			
	12-16-63			
	12-18-63			GRANTED 11-9-66
BP- Rec'd	10-10-64	CP to inc. power from 500w to 1kw, and install new trans. (GATES BC-1T) ● Atty: Samuel Miller	RETURNED Incomplete engr.	1-26-65
	10-12-64			
BAI-6112 R & F JUL 17 1967	7-3-67 7-6-67	Voluntary assignment of license to ALGONQUIN BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. Atty for assignor - Jason Shrinsky for assignee - Arnold & Porter	GRANTED R.F.	11-17-67 12-2-67

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ALGONQUIN BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

Name UNITED BROADCASTING CO., INC.

Beverly, Massachusetts

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BR-4575 R & F 481406 575. PRESS FEB 2 1969	12-23-68 1-2-69 1-2-69	Renewal of License AMENDED 4-10-69 re: Programming Atty. David H. Lloyd	GRANTED	3-29-71
BR-4575 R & F PN PRESS JAN 19 1972	12-28-71 1-3-72 1-3-72	Renewal of License Atty-Robert A. Belmonte AMENDED 4-5-72 re: programming; bus. interests AMENDED 5-4-72 re: statement re community survey	GRANTED	5-10-72
ETC -68143 R & F FEE FD: \$250 #065099 CODE 053 (Form 316) ALSO SEE: WPBB(am) 1972	4-11-72 4-18-72	Voluntary transfer of control of Algonquin Broadcasting Corporation (parent corp of lic) from Joseph J. Alfano, Gregory J. Montalbano Robert A. Belmonte, and Richard H. Hallett (25% each) to Robert A. Belmonte, and Richard H. Hallett (50% each) (NOTE: Licensee no longer has parent corporation) Atty - Arnold & Porter	GRANTED EFF: 9-1-72	7-24-72

Atty. called 2-11-69 re: Outdated balance sheet

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Name ALGONQUIN BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
BEVERLY, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
Received PRESS:	5-30-72 JUN 1972	Request for waiver of Section 73.1201(b)(2) of the Rules to identify as BEVERLY-DANVERS, MASSACHUSETTS.	GRANTED	6-30-72
BR-4575 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	11-20-74 12-2-74 " JAN 28 1974	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Reed Miller, Atty. AMENDED 3-3-75 re: composition of area & EEO	GRANTED	11-26-75
BTC-7751 R & F FEE PD: \$50 # CODE 047 (FORM 316) MAY 1975	4-21-75 4-29-75 4-19-74	Voluntary transfer of negative control of lic corp from Richard H. Hallett to Richard H. Hallett, Trustee of Jamie Realty Trust Atty - Arnold & Porter (R. Miller)	GRANTED EFF: 6-26-75 no gr fee req	5-20-75

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Name ALGONQUIN BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
Beverly, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP- Rec'd Filed \$100-452010 AC-001	6-5-75 7-17-75 7-17-75	Construction permit to increase daytime power from 500w to 1kw and make changes in DA system, install new trans. Gates BC-1T. Atty: Reed Miller Eng. Raymond E. Rohrer	RETURNED prohibited overlap sec. 73.37(a)	1-14-76
BP- Rec'd Filed \$100-551251 \$100 filed AC-001	3-31-76 4-1-76 4-1-76 7-17-75	Construction permit to increase daytime power to 1kw, and make chgs. in DA system, Trans. Gates BC-1T. Req. waiver of Sec. 73.37(a) of the rules Atty: Reed Miller Eng. Raymond E. Rohrer	RETURNED Pursuant the rules	8-30-77 Sec. 0.281 of

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Name ALGONQUIN BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
LEVERLY, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-8301 R & F Also see WKRI (AM) FORM 316 APR 13 1977	3/30/77 4/5/77	Voluntary relinquishment of negative control of lic corp by Bach, Jamie Realty Trust and Robert A. Belmonte thru issuance of new stock by the licensee corp to John E. Weld Atty - Arnold & Porter (Reed Miller) (OVER)	GRANTED EFF:	5/26/77 6/27/77
BR-4575 R & F P.N. PRESS	11-18-77 11-30-77 11-30-77 DEC 21 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	3-28-78
BTC-8711 R & F FORM 315 MAY 25 1977	5/1/78 5/10/78	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Jamie Realty Trust, Richard H. Hallett, Trustee (40%), Drumar Trust, Robert A. Belmonte, Trustee (40%) and John E. Weld (2%) to R.H. Insurance Trust, Bernard A. Dwork, Trustee (40%), Drumar Trust, Robert A. Belmonte, Trustee (40%) and John E. Weld (2%) Atty - Arnold & Porter (Reed Miller)	GRANTED EFF:	9-29-78 10-2-78

RE: BTC-8301 - Called Atty 4/7/77 re: amended Art. of Inc.
to reflect increase in shares of corp. *filed 5-17-77*

Also Robert A. Belmonte to transfer his 49% of stock to
Drumar Trust (Mr. Belmonte is sole trustee)

RE: BTC-8711 - Write-up of TC per Roy Stewart

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PAULEY ENTERPRISES, INC.

Name^x PAULEY ENTERPRISES, INC.
Beverly, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL 79073EI FORM 314 (ALSO SEE AT PRESS: AUG 1979) PN FILED	8-20-79	Vol AL to PAULEY ENTERPRISES, INC. (see over) atty for assignor - Reed Miller for assignee - M. Finkelstein	GRANTED EFF:	9-21-79 10-5-79
BR-801201YK PRESS	FEB 06 1981	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Ltr. 8-26-81 re: programming	<i>GRANTED</i>	<i>10-5-81</i>
BAL810814GH Form 314 PRESS AUG 2 1981		Vol AL to Harbor Broadcasting Corp. Atty. for assignee Harry Sells Atty. for assignor Michael Finkelstein	ISSUED	

RE: BAL, ~~RE~~ - NOTED Table I incomplete re place(s) of birth
AMENDED 8-22-79 re: Request exception to or, in the
alternative a waiver of Rule 1.597(a)
AMENDED 9-4-79 re: Substituted Tables. I and II; rela-
tionships of assignees
AMENDED 9-21-79 re: bal. sheet & chges. in stockholders
and stockholders - less than .01%

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.

