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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 12-20-60 Call letters WETT
(gr: 10-5-78 eff: 10-12-78)

COASTAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS/OCEAN CITY CORP (AL Station location Ocean City, Maryland.....

x GUY R. AYRES, III, TRUSTEE IN BANKRUPTCY (AL gr 3/25/77 EFF: 3-29-77)

x PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES, INC. (AL-11-24-65: EFF: 3-9-66)

x OCEAN CITY BROADCASTING CORPORATION (BAL & BAP 12-4-63 EFF: 12-18-63)

Name of licensee x THE WETT CORPORATION

Saltgrass Point Road at Mouth of St. Martins River, Ocean City, Md. (BP 11-8-79)

Transmitter location x NE corner Stephen Decatur Memorial Rd. and Harbor Rd., West Ocean City, Md.

Main studio location NE corner Stephen Decatur Memorial Rd. and Harbor Rd., West Ocean City, Md.

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period	
					From	To
BP-11857	10-7-59	1590	500w, 1kw-LS DA-2	U	12-7	6-7-60
			CP for a new standard broadcast station (Cond'1).			
BP-11857	10-7-59		Superseding auth. to correct the Theoretical Specifications.			
BMP-8991 (1)	5-26-60		Mod. of CP(BP-11857) for extension of completion date to 8-1-60.			
BMP-9073 (2)	7-22-60		Mod. of C.P. (BP-11857, as mod.) which auth. new standard b/c station) to chg. type trans. (Auxiliary 250-1000)			
BP-14295	9-29-60	1590kc	250w	Aux.	11-29	5-29-61
FORFEITED			CP to install a new trans. (GATES 250-C-1) at NE corner Stephen Decatur Memorial Rd. & Harbor Rd., West Ocean City, Md. (main trans. loc.) to be used as an auxiliary transmitter on 1590kc with power of 250w DA, for auxiliary purposes only.			
BL-8089	12-20-60	1590kc	500w-1kw-LS	DA-2	12-20	10-1-63
			Lic. to cover CP(BP-11857 as mod.) which auth. a new standard broadcast station, Cond'1			
BP-15028	8-31-61	1590kc	250w-DA-2	Aux.	10-31	4-30-62
			CP to install a new trans. (GATES 250-C1) at main trans. location to be operated on 1590kc, 250w, for auxiliary purposes only.			
BMP-10277 (1)	5-11-62		Modification of construction permit (BP-15,028) for extension of completion date to 6-15-62			
BP-10415 (2)	8-7-62		Mod. of CP(BP-15028 as mod.) for ext. of completion date to 9-1-62.			
Wire	10-17-62		Auth. remain silent thru 10-31-62 Cond'1			
Wire	11-14-62		Ext. auth. remain silent thru 11-30-62			
Wire	12-14-62		Ext. auth. remain silent thru 1-2-63.			
Wire	1-9-63		Ext. auth. remain silent thru 2-2-63			
Letter	3-19-63		Ext. auth. remain silent thru 6-10-63			

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June 1954

CARD # 2

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters W E T T

Station location OCEAN CITY, MARYLAND

Name of licensee THE WETT CORPORATION

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
Wire	6-17-63	Ext. auth. remain silent thru 7-12-63.			
Wire	6-28-63	Auth. granted to Ocean City Broadcasting Corp. proposed assignee, to operate for a 90 day period, terms of current license.			
Telegram rec'd	7-2-63	stating station resumed operation 3pm, July 1, 1963. Per Commission auth.			
Telegram	9-26-63	Ext. auth. assignee to operate period ninety days.			
Wire	10-11-63	Auth. oper. sign-off 7pm, except for special events thru 12-25-63.			
RR-3936	11-29-63	Renewal of license 11-29 10-1-66			
BAL-4816 BAP-642 EFF:	12-4-63 12-18-63	Voluntary assignment of license and Construction permit (BP-15028) to Ocean City Broadcasting Corporation			
Wire	1-16-64	Ext. auth. oper. 7pm sign-off except for special events thru 4-1-64			
BL-1590Kc	10-55	1590Kc	250w-DA-2	AMK	10-10-66
		EFF. 3-6-66 as mod. which auth. install new aux. trans.			
Wire	9-18-64	Auth. remain silent thru 10-31-64			
Wire	11-5-64	Ext. auth. remain silent thru 1-1-65.			
Wire	11-25-64	Ext. auth. resume oper. reduced hrs. (7:55am-5pm) thru 3-1-65.			
BAL-5517 EFF:	11-24-65 3-9-66	Voluntary assignment of license to Public Service Enterprises, Inc.			
Wire	3-14-66	Auth oper. 5pm sign-off thru 6-1-66.			
Wire	9-29-66	Auth. 6pm sign-off thru 12-1-66.			
Wire	10-27-66	Comtel 9-29-66 mod. to specify 5pm.			
Wire	1-12-67	Auth. 5pm sign-off thru 3-31-67.			
BR-2736	9-1-66	1590Kc	200w-1kw-LS	DA-2	10-1 10-1-69
BTC-6123	1-16-70	VOL. TC	EFF. 3-6-70		
Ltr. rec'd	5-26-71	stating that a Bauer, 707 trans. is installed and operating.			

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Station location _____

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	
EBSA	5-22-72				---	
BZ-8098(L)	7-11-72	Direct Measurement				
BR-3936	1-10-73	RENEWAL			10-1-75	
BTC-7103	5-7-73	VOL TC	EFF:	6-18-73		
COMTEL	2-6-75	AUTH GRANTED TO SUSP OPER THRU				3-1-75
BAL-8927	3/25/77	InVol AL	EFF:	3-29-77		
BAL-8989	10-5-78	VOL. AL	EFF:			
BR780724UP	10-24-78		RENEWAL		10-1-78	
BR-3936(L)	10-5-78	Supersede renewal to correct file No., gr.date & expiration date.				10-1-81
BP-21,231	11-8-79	1590khz. 500w, 1kw DA-2		Unl.	11-8-80	
		CP to chg. TL, install new trans.				
BTC800514FC	6-4-80	vol TC	EFF:	7-1-80		
BL-800709AB(L)	12-10-80	Lic. to cover BP-21,231 for chgs.				10-1-81

Aug 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters NEW WETTName THE WETT CORPORATION(P.C. - J.L. O'Conner, Jr., Box 61, Ocean City, Md.)
(vice pres.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-11,857	2-12-58	Construction permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on:	GRANTED	10-7-59
Rec'd	2-13-58	Frequency - 1420kc 1230kc 1420kc 1590kc	Cond'l re: Phase Mon.,	
Filed	2-13-58	Power - 500w 250w 500w 500w-1kwLS DA-2	Field meas. equip., DA	
		Hours of operation - Daytime Unlimited Daytime Unlimited	& non-DA proof, Permittee shall accept any interf.	
		Trans. location - N.E. corner Stephen Decatur Memorial Road & Harbor Road, West Ocean City, Maryland	that may result from a subsequent grant of the application of Southfield B/Casting Co., Inc., File No. BP-12372 and of Eastern B/Casting Co., Inc., File No. BP-10722.	
		Studio location - Same as transmitter		
		STATION LOCATION: OCEAN CITY, MARYLAND		
		Atty. - Harry J. Daly		
		Engr. - John H. Mullaney		
AMENDMENT	5-13-58	AMENDED to change frequency to 1230kc, decrease		
R & F	5-14-58	power to 250w, change hours of operation to Unlimited, change type trans (PCA-BTA-250W) and make changes in stockholders.		
		(Contingent on grant of BP-11982 - WCMC chge)		
AMENDMENT	12-5-58	AMENDED to delete amend. of 5-14-58 (frequency)		
R & F	12-8-58	(chge freq. power, hrs. of oper. & type trans.) to revert to original facilities of 1420kc 500w, Day: Delete contingent clause.		

RCA BTA 500M 250M
1R 500M

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Letters new W E T TName THE WETT CORPORATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-11,857 AMENDMENT R & F	2-5-59 2-10-59	AMENDED to change frequency to 1590kc; change hours of operation to Unlimited using power of 500w-1kwLS; install directional antenna night & day (DA-2); make changes in ground system; change type transmitter (RCA BTA 1R)	GRANTED	10-7-59
AMENDMENT R & F	4-17-59 4-20-59	Atty- <u>Smith & Pepper</u> Engr.-John Mullaney AMENDED to make changes in the daytime DA system; changes in ground system.		
BP-8991 R & F	5-5-60 5-6-60	Modification of C. P. (BP-11857 which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 6-7-60 to 8-1-60. Atty's: <u>Smith & Pepper</u>	GRANTED to	5-26-60 8-1-60
BMP-9043 Rec'd Filed	6-23-60 6-27-60 6-27-60	Modification of construction permit (BP-11857) which authorized a new standard broadcasting station) to change type of transmitter (Raytheon RA-1000)	AS MOD GRANTED	7-22-60

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Letters WETTName The WETT Corporation
Ocean City, Maryland

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-9090 Rec'd Filed	7-19-60 7-29-60 7-29-60	Modification of construction permit (BP-11857) which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 8-1-60 to 11-1-60. Atty's: Smith & Pepper		
BP-14,295 Rec'd Filed	6-23-60 8-10-60 8-10-60	Construction permit to install a new trans. (Gates 250-C-1) at NE Corner Stephen Decatur Memorial Rd & Harbor Rd., West Ocean City, Md. (main trans. location) to be used as an auxiliary transmitter on 1590KC with power of 250W-DA, for auxiliary purposes only. Atty's: Smith & Pepper	GRANTED FORFEITED	9-29-60
----- B L-8089 Rec'd Filed	----- 8-26-60 8-26-60 8-26-60	----- License to cover C.P. (BP-11,857 as modified) which authorized a new standard broadcast station. Atty's: Smith & Pepper	----- GRANTED Lic. shall accept interf. resulting from sub.grant of Southfield B/C Co., Inc. P-12372	----- 12-20-60

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Letters W E T TName THE WETT CORPORATION
OCEAN CITY, MARYLAND

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP- Rec.d	2-14-61 2-24-61	Mod. of CP (BP-14,295 which auth. install. of a new transmitter as an auxiliary trans.) for extension of completion date to 4-30-61 Atty: Smith & Pepper	RETURNED as unnecessary (CP expires 5-29-61)	3-10-61
BP-15028 R&F	8-2-61 8-11-61	CP to install a new trans (Gates 250-C-1) at main trans location to be operated on 1590kc 250w, for auxiliary purposes only. Atty: Smith & Pepper	GRANTED	8-31-61
BMP-10277 R.&F.	4-30-62 4-30-62	Mod. of CP (BP-15,028 which auth. an aux trans) for extension of completion date from 4-30-62 to 6-1-62. Atty: Smith & Pepper (Keith E. Putbrese)	GRANTED (Auth. mailed) no wire	5-11-62
EMP-10,415 R. & F.	6-15-62 6-15-62	Mod. of CP (BP-15028 as mod. which auth. install. of new/aux trans.) for extension of completion date from 6-15-62 to _____ Atty: Keith E. Putbrese	GRANTED	8-7-62 to 9-1-62

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PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES, INC.

Name X. TWPETT CORPORATIONOcean City, Maryland

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
PL-9634 R. & F.	8-31-62 8-31-62	License to cover <u>CH-15,028</u> as mod., with auth. install new/trans. Atty: <u>Keith S. Putrese</u>	DISMISSED per Sec. 1.568(b) of Rules	3-19-65
BAL-7816 BAP-642 R & F AMENDMENT R & F	5-17-63 5-20-63 8-5-63 8-5-63	Voluntary assignment of license and construct- ion permit(BP-15028) to OCEAN CITY BROADCAST- ING CORPORATION AMENDED to make chges in officers, directors and stockholders Atty. - <u>Smith & Pepper (T.W. Fletcher)</u>	GRANTED EFF: 12-18-63	12-4-63 12-18-63
Ltr. dated 6-12-63 requesting ext. auth. remain silent thru 7-12-63 - B/C 6-13-63				
BR-3936 Rec'd Filed	9-24-63 9-25-63 9-30-63	Renewal of license---10-1-63 Atty. Robert W. Healy	GRANTED	11-29-63
LICENSEE NO LONGER REPRESENTED BY SMITH & PEPPER PER LETTER DATED MAY 20, 1964 & REC'D 5-21-64				
BAL-5517 R & F	6-8-65 7-2-65	Voluntary assignment of license to PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES, INC. Atty for assignee - <u>R.B. Lubic, Pittsburgh, Pa.</u>	GRANTED EFF:	11-24-65 3-9-66

FORM BC-121 #6
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1590kc

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Letters W E T T

Name PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES, INC.
Ocean City, Maryland

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-3936 R & F	7/5/66 7/5/66	Renewal of License	GRANTED	9-1-66
BR-3936 R & F #539666 \$75 Press SEP 12 1969	8-30-69 9-2-69 -	Renewal of license AMENDED 9-30-69 re: commercial practices AMENDED 10-1-69 re: Engineering	GRANTED	1-15-70
BTC-6123 Rec'd Filed (Form 316) FEE PD: \$30 #561510	11-20-69 11-21-69 12-3-69	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Continental Holding Company and Leonard F. Grazier, Sr. to Leonard F. Grazier, Sr. (100%)	GRANTED EFF. 3-6-70	1-15-70
BTC Rec'd FEE PD: \$30 (Form 316) #601975	4-20-70 5-11-70	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Leonard F. Grazier, Sr. to Leonard F. Grazier, Sr. and Leonard F. Grazier, Jr. (50% each)	RET'D 315 necessary	5-22-70

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1590kc.

Call **W E T T**
Letters

Name **PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES, INC.**
Ocean City, Maryland

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-8098 R & F DM PRESS	9-15-71 10-7-71 6-27-72 JUL 11 1972	Direct Measurement	GRANTED	7-11-72
BTC Rec'd	6-30-72 7-11-72	Voluntary transfer of contr l of lic corp from Leonard F. Grazier, Sr., to Leonard F. Grazier, Sr., Leonard F. Grazier, Jr., and Regina Sprouse Grazier (33 1/3% each)	REXP	7-18-72 incomplete, fee nec
BR-3936 R & F PH PRESS JUL 21 1972	6-30-72 7-5-72 7-5-72	Renewal of License AMENDED 9-15-72 re: community survey; equal employment policy AMENDED 10-24-72 re: community survey; equal employment policy	GRANTED	1-10-73
BTC-7103 R & F FEE PD: \$1000 #164301 Pub. notice filed 4-30-73	3-18-73 3-19-73 CODE 047 APR 4 1973	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Leonard F. Grazier, Sr. to Leonard F. Grazier, Sr., Leonard F. Grazier, Jr. and Regina Sprouse Grazier (33 1/3% each) (SEE OVER) Atty - Washington, DC Fly, Shuebruk etc	GRANTED	5-7-73 Grant Fee: To be determined at a later date, if any. EFF: 6-18-73

RE: ETC-7103 - to reflect pending judgement(^{licensee}transferor)

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10-60 COASTAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS/OCEAN CITY CORP.

x GUY R. AYRES, III, TRUSTEE IN BANKRUPTCY

Name x PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES, INC.

OCEAN CITY, MARYLAND

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-3936 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	9-28-75 10-1-75 OCT 7 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 11-24-75 re: engineering	Designated for Reassignment DEC 9 '75 Min. <u>20674</u> GRANTED	10-24-78 10-5-78
BAL-8927 Rec'd Filed FORM 316	3/3/77 3/2/77 3/4/77 MAR 14 1977	Involuntary assignment of license to GUY R. AYRES, III, TRUSTEE IN BANKRUPTCY Atty - Fletcher, Heald, etc (R. Hildreth) (SEE OVER)	GRANTED EFF:	3/25/77 3-29-77
BAL-8989 R & F (FORM 314)	4-13-77 4-14-77	Voluntary assignment of license to COASTAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS/OCEAN CITY CORP. Atty - Fletcher, Heald etc (R. Hildreth) (SEE OVER)	GRANTED EFF:	10-5-78 MEMO OPINION & ORDER 10-12-78 MEMO 8358
PN filed	5/24/77	PETITION FOR EMERGENCY SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY filed 4-25-77 by attys on behalf of proposed assignee PETITION FOR EXPEDITED ACTION filed 5-3-77 by Fletcher, Heald, etc. for assignee		

RE: BAL-8989 - NOTED: Assets are being bought from bank
RE: BAL-8989 - PETITION TO DENY filed 6-13-77 by Atty
Carroccio on behalf of Edgar F. Britt & M. William Miller
AMENDED 6-6-77- financial data re loans & add'l demographic
data

OPPOSITION TO PET TO DENY filed 6-27-77 by attys ~~XXX~~
MOTION TO DISMISS PET TO DENY filed 6-27-77 by attys ~~XXX~~
OPPOSITION TO MOTION TO DISMISS filed 7-8-77 by Attys for
Britt & Miller

REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO PET TO DENY filed 7-8-77
AMENDED 12-28-77 - chges in stockholders & stockholdings
(reflect Coastal Telecommunications Corporation as sole
stockholder); rev. financial & prog. data & re EEOC
JAN 2 1978

AMENDED 3-28-78 re: Annual finan. report (reports sta.
oper. at profit after being silent in 1977)

AMENDED 4-6-78 re: Bank ltr.; & forego previous loan
contemplation.

AMENDED 8-15-78 re: bal sheet; updated stock subscrip-
tion agree.; pro forma bal. sheet & appl. for Private Sale
of bankruptcy case & update of Section VI

AMENDED 8-25-78 re: bal. sheet; liabilities & securities
equity; Bus. int. of Coastal

AMENDED 9-5-78 re: (FM) CP filing; off. & dir. & stock-
holders are the same for Coastal Telecommunications and
Ocean City Corp.

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Name COASTAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS/OCEAN CITY CORP.
GUY R. AYRES, III, TRUSTEE IN BANKRUPTCY
Ocean City, Maryland

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-21,231 R & F PRESS: JUL 10 1978	5-15-78 5-16-78	CP to change Transmitter location to: Saltgrass Point Rd. at the mouth of St. Martins River, Ocean City, Maryland; install new Trans. (GATES-MW-1) MAJOR ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION 38° 24' 16" 75° 07' 37" Atty: Richard Hildreth Engr: Julius Cohen	GRANTED	11-8-79

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Letters W E T T

Name COASTAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS/OCEAN CITY CORP.
OCEAN CITY, MARYLAND

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR780724UP PRESS DEC 20 1978		RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty. Richard Hildreth (Fletcher, Heald, Kenehan & Hildreth)	DISMISSED AS MOOT previous renewal gr.	12-27-58 10-1-81.
BTC800514FC FORM 316 PRESS JUN 5 1980		Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Coastal Telecommunications Corporation to Stuart D. Frankel MUTUALLY CONTINGENT ON GR OF BTC800514FD Atty-Richard Hildreth	GRANTED EFF:	6-4-80 7-1-80
BL-800709AB R & F PTA PRESS NOV 26 1980	7-9-80 7-17-80	Lic. to cover BP-21,231 for changes Atty: Richard Hildreth(Fletcher, Heald etc.)	GRANTED	12-10-80

BTC800514FC AMENDED 5-28-80 re: Proposed officers and financial data.

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: W E T T

Name: COASTAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS/OCEAN CITY CORP.

Station Location: Ocean City, Maryland

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BR810601VN PRESS AUG 0 4 1981		RENEWAL OF LICENSE ATTY. Richard Hildreth	GRANTED 10-22-81

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 a few sets of microfiche 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.

