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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 11-30-49

Call letters W-J-C-D

Location: Seymour, Indiana

WJCD, INC. (AL-7-15-77 EFF: 8/1/77
XEDNA GERTRUDE BAKER, EXECUTRIX OF THE ESTATE OF AZRA C. BAKER, DECEASED
(AL gr 7/8/76 EFF: 11/9/76 (per 323)

Name of licensee DR. AZRA C. BAKER

1534 Ewing, Seymour, Indiana (Redescription as FM)
Transmitter location East side of alternate U.S. 31, Approx. 1 mile N. of city limits of
Seymour, Indiana (MP 1-18-49) (Lic. 11-30-49)

Same as transmitter.
Main studio location East side of alternate U.S. 31, Approx. 1 mi. N. of city limits of
Seymour, Indiana (MP 1-18-49) (Lic. 11-30-49)
FCC-65

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BP-6200	9-8-48	1390	500w	Daytime	
	ORDER ISSUED. CP for a new station granted subj. filing MP for approval T site and antenna. (COND. CLAUSE)				
BP-6200 BMP-4336	1-18-49	1390	500w	Daytime	3-18 9-18-49
	Mod. CP (6200) for approval of antenna, T and studio site and change type of transmitter (COND. CLAUSE)				
BMP-4767	9-21-49	1390	500w	Daytime	3-18 10-18-49
	Mod. CP (6200 as mod) for ext. of completion date. (COND. CLAUSE)				
BMP-4828	10-19-49	1390	500w	Daytime	3-18 11-18-49
	Mod. CP (6200 as mod) for ext. of completion date. (COND. CLAUSE)				
BL-3867	11-30-49	1390	500w	Day	11-30 11-1-50
	Lic. to cover CP (6200 as mod) for a new station. (COND. CLAUSE)				
BS-2368	10-23-50	Extension of license			11-1 3-1-51
BS-2368	2-21-51	Extension of license			3-1 6-1-51
BR-2368	3-14-51	1390	500w	Daytime	3-14 11-1-53
BL-3315	8-29-51	1390	500w	Day	8-29 11-1-53
	(COND. CLAUSE)				
	Determine operating power by direct measurement				
BR-2368	10-7-53	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			11-1 8-1-55
BR-2368	7-20-55	Renewal of license			8-1 8-1-58
BP-9665	10-12-55	1390	1kw	Day	12-12-55 6-12-56
	CP to increase power and install new transmitter				
BMP-7074 (1)	12-9-55	Mod. of CP(BP-9665) to change type of transmitter.			
BL-5994 (1)	1-31-56	Lic to cover CP(BP-9665 mod) to increase power and install new transmitter			-----
TELEGRAM	6-4-56	SIGN-OFF 7 PM CDT thru August 1956 except for special events			-----
BR-2368	7-2-58	1390	1kw	Day	8-1 8-1-61
Wire	6-2-59	Sign-off 7PM CDT period ending 8-31-59.			-----
Wire	5-17-60	Sign-off 7PM CDT period ending 9-1-60.			-----

Form BC 126
June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Station location Seymour, Indiana

Name of licensee DR. ATRA C. BAKER

Transmitter location

Main Studio Location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

APPL. NO.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME DIV.	PERIOD FROM TO
BT-4448 (1)	7-18-61	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of ant. power.			
BR-2368	7-20-61	1390kc	1kw	Day	8-1 8-1-64
		Renewal of License.			
BR-2368	7-10-64	Renewal of License			8-1 8-1-67
BR-2368	7-31-67	Renewal of License & NDEA			8-1 8-1-70
TELEGRAM	10-17-67	PSA	500w		
BS-2368(1)	4-27-69	Mod. of Lic. to change to EST and advance daytime oper. one hour.			
BR-2368(L)	7-30-70	Renewal and NDEA			8-1-73
BR-2368(L)	7-30-70	Superseding Authorization to correct Obstruction Markings.			
					8-1-73
EBSA	5-25-72				
BR-2368(S)	1-11-74	RENEWAL			8-1-76
BAL-8716	7/8/76	Invol AL EFF: 11/9/76 (per 323)			
BR-2368(L)	7-15-77		RENEWAL		8-1-79
BAL-9006	7-15-77	VOL. AL EFF: 8/1/77			
-----	10/26/79	LICENSEE NAME CHANGED			
BR790402CY(L)	7-18-79	Renewal of License			8-1-82

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name DR. AZRA C. BAKER

(PO 1340 -28 th Street, Louisville, Kentucky)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-6200	7-1-47	Construction Permit for a new standard broad-	DOCKET # 8596	
Rec'd	7-10-47	cast station to be operated on:	GRANTED 9-8-48 after be-	
Filed	7-10-47	Frequency: 1370kc 1390kc	ing removed from the	
		Power: 350w 500w	hearing docket; subj. to	
		Hours of operation: Daytime only	cond. that grantee does	
		Trans. location: To be determined-	not start opr. on 1390 kc	
		Seymour, Indiana	until WGRC has ceased	
		Studio location: To be determined-	opr on 1400 kc. & further	
		Seymour, Indiana	subj. to filing MP for	
			approval of site and	
AMENDED	9-11-47	AMENDED to change frequency from 1370kc to	antenna.	
Rec'd	9-24-47	1390kc	ORDER ISSUED.	
Filed	9-24-47	(Frank G. Kear, Engr.) (Neville Miller, Atty.)		
AMENDED	12-3-47	AMENDED to change power from 250w to 500w		
Rec'd	12-3-47	and change type of transmitter (GATES BC-1E).	Issued with MP 4336	
Filed	12-12-47	On 1-30-48 Northside B/Cing Corp. (EGRC) Louisville, Ky. filed an opposition to petition for recon- sideration, removal from the hearing docket and grant of application of Dr. Baker		

~~Transmitter-Composite-~~ GATES BC-1E

R. L. Easley, Engr.
600 Pickens Street
Columbia, S.C.

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters W J C DName DR. AZRA C. BAKER

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-4336 Rec'd Filed	11-19-48 11-23-48 11-23-48	Mod. of C.P. (BP-6200, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for approval of antenna, transmitter and studio locations at East side Alternate U.S. 31, approximately 1 mile north of Seymour city limits, Seymour, Indiana and change type of transmitter (Gates BC-500-D). (Neville Miller, Atty. Willis C. Beecher, Engr.)	GRANTED re blanketing clause & subj. to permittee not commencing opr. on 1390kc until WGRC, Louisville Ky. has ceased to opr. on 1400 kc. also waiver Sec. 3.30(a) of the Rules and Regulations to permit identification of its location at Seymour, Ind.	1-18-49
BP-4767 Rec'd Filed	9-10-49 9-12-49 9-12-49	Modification of construction permit (BP-6200, as modified, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for extension of completion date from: 9-18-49 to 10-18-49.	GRANTED same cond. as above	9-21-49

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters **W J C D**Name **DR. AZRA C. BAKER**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
EMP-4828	10-14-49	Modification of constfuction permit (EP-6200, as modified, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for extension of completion date from: 10-18-49 to 11-18-49.	GRANTED	10-19-49
Rec'd	10-17-49		re waiver Sec. 3.30(a)	
Filed	10-17-49		of rules to permit identification as location as Seymour, Ind. Re blanketing clause and subj. to cond. that permittee will not commence opr. on 1390 kc until WGRC, Louisville, Ky has ceased opr. on 1400 kc.	

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Letters W J C DName DR. AZRA C. BAKER

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-3867 Rec'd Filed	10-29-49 10-31-49 10-31-49	License to cover C.P. (BP-6200, as mod.,) which authorized a new standard broadcast station. (Neville Miller, Atty.)	GRANTED re blanketing clause	11-30-49
BR-2368 Rec'd	8-22-50 8-31-50	Renewal of license Filed by Neville Miller atty.	GRANTED	3-14-51
BZ-3815 Rec'd Filed	7-23-51 8-7-51 8-7-51	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. Neville Miller, Atty.	GRANTED Cond'l re blanketing	8-29-51
BR-2368 Rec'd Filed	6-10-53 6-12-53 6-12-53	Renewal of License	GRANTED	10-7-53

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters **W J C D**Name **DR. AZRA C. BAKER**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-9665 Rec'd Filed	1-17-55 1-31-55 1-31-55	Construction permit to increase power from 500w to 1kw and install a new transmitter (Gates BC-1F).	GRANTED	10-12-55
BR-2368 Rec'd Filed	4-28-55 4-29-55 4-29-55	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	7-20-55
BMP-7054 Rec'd Filed	12-8-55 12-9-55 12-9-55	Modification of construction permit (BP-9665 which auth. increase power & installation of a new transmitter) for change in type transmitter (COLLINS 20V-2).	GRANTED	12-9-55
Neville Miller, Atty.				

F. C. C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

FORM BC-121
FORMERLY FORM A-170

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Name DR. AZRA C. BAKER

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-5994 Rec'd Filed	12-1-55 12-2-55 12-2-55	License to cover construction permit (BP-9665, as mod.) which authorized an increase in power and the installation of a new transmitter. Neville Miller, Atty.	GRANTED	1-31-56
BR-2368 Rec'd Filed	4-28-58 5-1-58 5-1-58	Renewal of License	GRANTED	7-2-58
BZ-4448 Rec'd	2-20-61 2-27-61	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	RETURNED - 5-1-61 Incomplete	
BR-2368 REC'D&FILED	4-28-61 5-1-61	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-20-61
Resub. R. & F.	3-3-61 3-7-61	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED	7-18-61

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters W JCDName Dr. Azra C. Baker
Seymour, Indiana

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2368 R. & F.	4-28-64 5-4-64	Renewal of license. 8-1-64	GRANTED	7-10-64
BR-2368 R & F	4-28-67 5-1-67	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-31-67
BR-2368 R & F #598238 \$75 PN PRESS JUN 11 1970	4-28-70 5-1-70	Renewal of License	GRANTED	7-30-70
BR-2368 R & F PN PRESS MAY 11 1973	4-2-73 4-30-73 4-30-73	Renewal of License AMENDED 5-24-73 re: employment program AMENDED 7-17-73 re: financial statement	GRANTED	1-11-74

Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters W J C D

EDNA GERTRUDE BAKER, EXECUTRIX OF THE ESTATE OF AZRA C. BAKER, DECEASED

Name ~~xxx~~ DR. AZRA C. BAKER
SEYMOUR, INDIANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2368 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	3-30-76 4-1-76 " JUN 1 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 8-17-76 re: comp. of area, comm. leaders, prog. & EEO	GRANTED	7-15-77
BAL-8716 Rec'd Filed Fee pd \$100 Fee pd \$100 Code 047(FORM 316) JUN 25 1976	6/4/76 6/10/76 6/21/76 W 579379	Involuntary assignment of license to EDNA GERTRUDE BAKER, EXECUTRIX OF THE ESTATE OF AZRA C. BAKER, DECEASED	GRANTED EFF: NO FEE:	7/8/76 11/9/76 (per 323)
BZ-9193 R & F DM PRESS AUG 5 1976	6-28-76 7-1-76 7-29-76	Direct Measur ment	GRANTED issued with BR-2368	7-15-77

Form BC-121
May 1976

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Letters ...W.J.C.D.

WJCD, INC.

Name x EDNA...GERTRUDE...BAKER, EXECUTRIX OF THE ESTATE OF AZRA C. BAKER, DECEASED
SEYMOUR, INDIANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-9006 Rec'd Also see WJCD-FM FORM 314 Filed Pub notice filed JUN 8 1977	3/22/77 3/28/77 5-13-77 5-13-77	Voluntary assignment of license to WJCD, INC. Atty - A.L. Stein Over	GRANTED EFF:	7-15-77 8/1/77
BR790402CY PRESS JUN 18 1979		Renewal of License AMENDED 5-31-79 to change name of applicant to "WJCD, INC."	GRANTED	7-18-79

re: AL - Called atty 4/1/77. No By-Laws filed with appl.
AMENDED 5-13-77 - reasons for forming corp; re meeting of
stockholders(no contract); re Table I; relationships; by
laws filed; Statement re EEOP (not nec.)

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING
1390KHz.

Call Letters: W J C D

A. C. BAKER BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Name: XXWJCD, INC.

Station Location: SEYMOUR, INDIANA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
APPL. DATED PRESS (0)	9-18-79 OCT 19 1979	Filed by A. L. Stein Request to change Name of Licensee to: A. C. BAKER BROADCASTING CORPORATION.	GRANTED 10/26/79

Renewal
Requested

Date
Received

Designated
for Hearing

Reason

Remarks

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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.

