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## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 3-4-46

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STATION LOCATION: Jacksonville, N. C.

X SLOW BROADCASTING CORPORATION (AL 9-7-55, EFF: 9-23-55)

X GREATER CAROLINAS TELEVISION &amp; RADIO INDUSTRIES, INC. (AL 6-1-54 EFF: 6-1-54)

X LESTER L. GOULD (AL 3-10-49: EFF: 4-1-49)

X JACKSONVILLE BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL-12-23-47 Eff: 1-20-48)

Name of licensee X LOUIS N. HOWARD and ELLIS H. HOWARD, d/b as JACKSONVILLE BROADCASTING COMPANY

Lejeune Boulevard, Jacksonville, N. C. (BP 1-13-69)

X New Bridge Street, Jacksonville, North Carolina (BZ 1-15-57)

Transmitter location On Highway #24, East of city limits, Jacksonville, N. Car. (CP 8-14-45)  
(Lic. 3-4-46)

Same as transmitter (BP 1-13-70)

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X New Bridge Street, Jacksonville, N. C. (BR-7-2-52)

Main studio location X On Highway #24, East of city limits, Jacksonville, N. Car. (CP 8-14-45)  
(LIC. 3-4-46)



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
Letter B3-P-3860	7-17-45	1240	250w	U	Subj. compliance of policy of 1-26-44 (Cond'l Clause) For a new station at Jacksonville, N. C.
B3-P-3860	8-14-45	1240	250w	U	10-14 4-14-46 (Conditional Clause) C.P. for new station
B3-L-1923 B3-Z-1749	3-4-46	1240	250w	U	3-4 8-1-46 Lic. to cover C.P. (P-3860) for a new station & authority to determine operating power by direct method. (Conditional Clause)
B3-S-1231	7-25-46	Extension of license			8-1 10-1-46
B3-R-1231	8-22-46	1240	250w	U	8-22 8-1-49 (COND'LC LAUSE)
BAL-646	12-23-47	Assignment of License to JACKSONVILLE BROADCASTING COMPANY.			
EFF: 1-20-48					
BP-6539	1-29-48	1240	250w	U	By 3-29-48 to 9-29-48 C.P. to install new transmitter
BL-1042	3-31-48	1240	250w	U	3-31 8-1-49 Lic. to cover CP (6539) to install new T.
BAL-809	3-10-49	Vol. assignment of lic. from Jackson- ville Broadcasting Company to Lester L. Gould.			
EFF:	4-1-49				
BR-1231	7-13-49	1240	250w	U	8-1 8-1-52
BR-1231	7-2-52	1240kc	250w	Unl.	8-1-52 12-1-54
BAL-1791	6-1-54	Vol. AL to GREATER CAROLINAS TELEVISION & RADIO INDUSTRIES, INC.			
EFF: 6-1-54					
Telegram	11-29-54	Action on renewal deferred 11-24-54 and continued operation authorized until final determination on renewal.			
BR-1231	1-19-55	1240kc	250w	U	1-19 12-1-57
BAL-2095	9-7-55	Vol. assignment of license to ONSLOW BROADCASTING CORPORATION			
EFF:	9-23-55				
BZ-3840	1-15-57	1240kc	250w	U	1-15 12-1-57 Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power
BR-1231	11-6-57	Renewal of License			12-1 12-1-60



Form BC 126  
June 1954

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## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters ..... W J N C

Station location

BEASLEY BROADCAST GROUP OF JACKSONVILLE, INC. (AL gr 1/15/76 EFF: 1/25/76)

x Onslow Broadcasting Corporation

x BEASLEY BROADCAST GROUP OF JACKSONVILLE, INC. (AL gr 11/25/75 EFF:

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-
BP-12309	10-5-60	1240kc	250w, 1kw-LS U	12-5	6-5-61
	CP to increase daytime power to 1kw and install a new transmitter (GATES BC-1T) (Cond'1).				
	11-30-60	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BR-1231	1-18-61	Renewal of License			1-18 12-1-63
L-8245	5-25-61	1240kc	250w, 1kw, LS U	12-5	12-1-63
	License to cover (BP-12309) for 1st year. (Gates BC-1T)				
BR-1231	11-27-61	Renewal of license			12-1 12-1-66
BZ-5559 (1)	6-30-65	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power			
BZ-6007 (2)	6-22-66	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.			
BR-1231	11-18-66	1240kc	250w-1kw-LS U	12-1	12-1-69
BR-1231(S)	11-26-69	Renewal of License & NDBA			12-1-72
BP-18654	1-13-70	1240kc	250w, 1kw-LS U	9-13-70	
	CP to make changes in antenna system & series limiting resistor (Cond'1).				
Comtel	6-5-70	TA operate with BP-18654 to 6-26-70			
BL-14,723(L)	9-30-70	Lic. (BP-18,654) changes			12-1-72
EBSA	5-25-72				
BZ-8167(1)	12-12-72	Direct Measurement			12-1-72
BR-1231(L)	11-14-73	RENEWAL			12-1-75
BAL-8510	11/25/75	Vol AL	EFF (GRANT RESCINDED)	12-24-75	
BTC-7809	11/25/75	Vol TC	EFF (GRANT RESCINDED)	12-24-75	
BR-1231(S)	11-12-75	RENEWAL			12-1-78
BAL-8510	1/15/76	Vol AL	EFF: 1/23/76		
BTC-7809	1/15/76	Vol TC	EFF: 1/23/76		
BR780801WS(L)	2-26-79	Renewal of License			12-1-81



## APPLICATION RECORD—BROADCASTING

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Call letters X NewName LOUIS N. HOWARD and ELLIS H. HOWARD, d/b as JACKSONVILLE BROADCASTING COMPANY  
(P.O. Box 551, New Bern, N.C.)

FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
<b>B3-P-3860</b>	3-24-45	Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 1240 kc Power: 250w Hours of Operation: Unlimited time Trans. & Studio Locations: On Highway #24, East of City Limits, Jacksonville, N.C. (Geo. O. Sutton, Atty.; Geo. C. Davis, Engr.)	Memo Opinion and Order of Grant	7-17-45
Rec'd	4-5-45		Waived provisions of Sec 3.55(b) and 3.60, and subj. compliance procedural requirements of policy of 1-26-44	
Filed	4-12-45		Letter Written ) Grant accepted per letter of 7-26-45 Issued 8-14-45 waived 3.55(b) & 3.60 & subj. to continuous monitor of percentage modulation, daily frequency checks until satisfactory operation & weekly thereafter until approved freq. monitor installed & installation of freq. & modulation monitors as soon as available.	



COMPOSITE Transmitter



Form 94

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call

Letters W J N C

JACKSONVILLE BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL-12-23-47; Eff. 1-20-48)

Name x LOUIS N. HOWARD and ELLIS H. HOWARD d/b as JACKSONVILLE BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B3-L-1923 Recd. Filed	11-21-45 11-23-45 1-21-46	License to cover C.P. (B3-P-3860) which authorized a new standard broadcast station and	GRANTED Conditional Clause re waiver Section 3.55(b)	3-4-46
B3-Z-1749 Recd. Filed	11-21-45 11-23-45 1-21-46	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. (Filed by Atty. Geo. Sutton - Engr. Wm. Greer)		
B3-K-1231 Rec'd	5-29-46 5-31-46	Renewal of license Filed by Wm. Thomson atty. Geo. Sutton <del>For atty 17th XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX</del>	Granted	8-22-46
BAL-646 Rec'd Filed	9-12-47 9-15-47 9-15-47	Voluntary Assignment of License from Louis N. Howard and Ellis H. Howard d/b as Jacksonville Broadcasting Company to Jacksonville Broadcasting Company. (Filed by John H. Midlen, Atty.)	GRANTED Eff: 1-20-48	12-23-47



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters WJNC#3  
Name JACKSONVILLE BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-6539 Rec'd Filed	1-12-48 1-14-48 1-14-48	Construction Permit to install new trans- mitter (Gates 250-C1).  (Filed by John H. Midlen, Atty.)	GRANTED	1-29-48
BL-3042 Rec'd Filed	3-6-48 3-12-48 3-12-48	License to cover C.P. (BP-6539) which authorized installation of new transmitter.  (John H. Midlen, Atty.)	GRANTED	3-31-48



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters W J N C#4  
LESTER L. GOULDName JACKSONVILLE BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-809 Rec'd Filed	9-28-48 10-4-48 12-2-48	Voluntary Assignment of License from Jacksonville Broadcasting Company to Lester L. Gould.  (Filed by John H. Midlen, Atty.)	GRANTED EFF:	3-10-49 4-1-49
BR-1231 Rec'd	5-20-49 5-24-49	Renewal of License	GRANTED	7-13-49
BR-1231 Rec'd Filed	4-29-52 4-30-52 4-30-52	Renewal of License	GRANTED	7-2-52
BAL-1791 Rec'd Filed	5-12-54 5-12-54 5-12-54	Voluntary assignment of license to Greater Carolinas Television & Radio Industries, Inc.  Harry Plotkin, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	6-1-54 6-1-54



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FORM A-170

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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ONSLow BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Call

Letters

W J N C

Name **X** GREATER CAROLINAS TELEVISION & RADIO INDUSTRIES, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1231 Rec'd Filed	7-14-54 8-19-54 8-19-54	Renewal of License	GRANTED	1-19-55
BAL-2095 Rec'd Filed	8-8-55 8-12-55 8-12-55	Voluntary assignment of license to Onslow Broadcasting Corporation.  Harry Plotkin, Atty for Assigner Peter Shuebruk, Atty for Assignee	GRANTED EFF:	9-7-55 9-23-55
BZ-3840 Rec'd Filed	12-15-56 12-17-56 12-17-56	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED	1-15-57



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Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters W.J.N.C.

Name ONslow BROADCASTING CORPORATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1231 Rec'd Filed	8-26-57 9-3-57 9-3-57	Renewal of License Peter Shuebruk, Attorney	GRANTED	11/6-57
BP-12,309 Rec'd Filed	8-25-58 8-28-58 8-28-58	Construction permit to increase daytime power from 250w to 1kw and install new transmitter (GATES BC 1T) Atty. - Fly, Shuebruk, Blume & Gaguine Engr. - Vandivere & Cohen	GRANTED Cond'l re: That Onslow B/Casting Corp. accept any objectionable interf. which may be caused to its operation.	10-5-60
BR-1231 Rec'd Filed	8-29-60 9-6-60 9-6-60	Renewal of license Atty: Jerome S. Boros	GRANTED	1-18-61



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

AUG. 1955

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Letters WJNCName ONSLow BROADCASTING CORPORATIONJacksonville, North Carolina

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-8246 Rec'd Filed	12-1-60 12-9-60 12-9-60	License to cover construction permit (BP-12,309) which authorized increase in daytime power and installation of a new transmitter.	GRANTED	5-25-61
BR-1231 Rec'd Filed	8-15-63 8-30-63 8-30-63	Renewal of license---12-1-63 Atty. Peter Shuebruk c/o Joe Kessler	GRANTED	11-27-63
BZ-5559 R & F	4-21-65 4-22-65	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. Atty - Fly, Shuebruk, Blume & Gaguine	GRANTED	6-30-65
BZ-6007 Rec'd & F	11/24/65 12/9/65	Authority to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power Atty: Fly, Shuebruk, Blume & Gaguine	GRANTED	6-22-66
BR-1231 R & F	8-29-66 9-1-66	Renewal of license	GRANTED	11-18-66



FORM BC-121  
Aug. 1955

# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters W J N C

## ONSLOW BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Name .....  
Jacksonville, North Carolina

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1231	8-25-69	Renewal of license	GRANTED 11-26	11-26-69
R & F	9-2-69	Atty-Fly, Shuebruk, Blume and Gaguino (J.K.		
#539579\$75.	9-2-69	Edmundson)		
P.N. filed	9-2-69	AMENDED 10-20-69 re: business interests		
PRESS	9-2-69			
BR-12,721	9-9-69	CP to make changes in antenna system (Increase	GRANTED	1-13-70
W F	9-10-69	height) and series limiting resistor.	Cond'l re: Before prog. test oper. may be auth.	
30 #613468	9-10-69	Howard Braun, Atty. Jules Cohen, Engr.		
Amended 10-21-69 re Engineering.	OCT 20 1969			
BR-12,723	6-12-70	Lic.(BP-18,654) for changes.	GRANTED	9-30-70
Rec'd	6-26-70			
#611370 \$30.	6-26-70	Atty: Howard Jay Braun(Fly, Shuebruk, etc.)		
Amended & F	8-10-70	Engr. data		
PTA ltd.	8-13-70			
Amended	8-25-70	Engr. data(new 302 Sect. II-A)		
PTA ext.	SEP 17 1970			
PRESS				



Re: BR-1231-Sect. II, Para. 5 dated later than the Sect.  
called atty., 9-19-69, for amondment.



# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name ONSLOW BROADCASTING CORPORATION  
JACKSONVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1231	8-29-72	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	11-14-73
R & F	9-5-72	Peter Shuebruk, Atty. (Fly & Gaguine)	Granted	12-6-72
PN Recd.	"	AMENDED 11-29-72 re: ascrt. of comm. needs	Not issued	
PRESS SEP 14 1972		AMENDED 1-11-73 re: equal emp. program	(RESCINDED 12-14-72)	
BZ-8167	7-10-72	Direct Measurement.		
Rec'd	7-14-72		GRANTED	12-12-72
W 091329-\$50	7-14-72	AC-067 - Refunded		
Amended	8-7-72	sect. II-A (cor. engr. data)		
Amended & F	9-11-72	sect. II-A & engr. exhibits (add'l pr. of perf. meas.)		
DM	9-29-72			
PRESS NOV 2 1972		Atty: Fly, Shuebruk, Blume and Gaguine		
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BTC-7809	6-28-75	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from	GRANTED	11/25/75
R & F	7-2-75	Robert P. Mendelson and Eileen E. Shuebruk to	GRANT RESCINDED	12-24-75
FEE PD \$200 #144963		Beasley Broadcast Group of Jacksonville, Inc.	FEE REQ	
CODE 047 (ALSO SEE		Atty for transferor - Fly, Shuebruk etc	ReGRANTED	1/15/76
FM filed		for transferee - Bilger & Blair	EFF:	1/23/76
7/31/75 2 1975			FEE REQ:	Fee Pd 3/1/76
				W 535798



BTC-7809 - AMENDED to reflect pending renewal of  
WJNC and WRCM(FM) 8/20/75

AMENDED 9-23-75 revised Table II(completed); financial  
data & engr. data re overlap etc(

AMENDED 10/30/75 - Modified stock agreement

AMENDED 10/29/75 - to reflect bus and fin interest of  
George G. Beasley



Form BC-121

September 1969

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

12-46

BEASLEY BROADCAST GROUP OF JACKSONVILLE, INC.

\*ONSLOW Broadcasting Corporation

Call  
Letters W J N C

\*BEASLEY BROADCAST GROUP OF JACKSONVILLE, INC.

Name \*ONSLOW BROADCASTING CORPORATION

JACKSONVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1231 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	7-21-75 8-1-75 " SEP 8 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE  Stuart A. Shorenstein, Atty. (Fly & Gaguine)	GRANTED	11-12-75
BAL-8510 R & F FEE PD: \$200.00 #1480072 CODE 047 (FEE INCLUDES FM (Form 316) WRCM)	9-15-75 9-23-75 OCT 7 1975	Voluntary assignment of license to BEASLEY BROADCAST GROUP OF JACKSONVILLE, INC. CONTINGENT ON GR OF BTC-7809  Atty - Bilger & Blair	<del>GRANTED</del> <del>GRANT RESCINDED</del> NO FEE GRANTED EFF: NO FEE	<del>11-25-75</del> <del>12-24-75</del>  1/15/76 1/23/76
BR780801WS R & F PRESS	7-27-78 8-1-78 AUG 18 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE  Lee W. Shubert, Atty.	GRANTED	2-26-79



## APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

1240 KHz

Call Letters: W J N C

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Name: BEASLEY BROADCAST GROUP OF JACKSONVILLE, INC.

Station Location: JACKSONVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BZ-810506AA R & F DM PRESS MAY 14 1981	5-6-81	DIRECT MEASUREMENT  Atty: ---	ISSUED



## 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 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.

