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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 10-24-46

Call letters WKIL
LOCATION: CONCORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE

CAPITOL BROADCASTING CORPORATION, INC. (AL 3-24-54, EFF 4-12-54)

* CAPITOL BROADCASTING CO., INC. (AL 7-5-51, EFF. 7-29-51)

Name of licensee * CHARLES M. DALE

37 Redington Road, Concord, N.H. (redescrip. 9-19-61)

* South Side of Redington St., West of South Fruit St.,

Transmitter location Concord, N. H. (MP 5-1-46)

37 Redington Road, Concord, New Hampshire (redescrip. 9-19-61)

BS- 4-4-61.

* South side of Redington Street, West of S. Fruit Street, Concord, New Hampshire/

* 110 North Main Street, Concord, New Hampshire (Lic. 10-24-46)

Main studio location * Concord, N. H. (MP 5-1-46)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
B1-P-4229 Letter	12-6-45 1-10-46	1450	250w	U	C.P. for new standard broadcast station subject filing MP for approval T site & antenna
B1-P-4229 B1-MP-1851	5-1-46 Mod.C.P. (P-4229) for T and studio sites	1450	250w	U	7-1 1-1-47 approval of antenna and
B1-MP-2188	10-24-46	Mod.CP (4229 as mod.)			to change type T. 7-1 1-1-47
B1-L-2074 B1-Z-1896	10-24-46	1450	250w	U	10-24 2-1-48 Lic. to cover CP(4229 as mod.) for new station and specify S location and determine operating power by direct method (Conditional Clause)
BR-1313	1-30-48	1450	250w	U	2-1 2-1-51
BZ-2914	8-12-48	1450	250w	U	8-12 2-1-51 Determine opr. power by direct method, ^{Cond} Clause
BR-1313	1-17-51	1450	250w	U	2-1 2-1-54
BAL-1186 Eff.	7-5-51 7-29-51	Voluntary assignment of license to CAPITOL BROADCASTING CO., INC.			
BRC-77 (1)	6-11-53	Mod. of lic. to operate trans. by R. C. from Eagle Hotel, Concord, New Hampshire			
BR-1313	1-13-54	1450	250w	U	2-1 4-1-54
BR-1313	3-3-54	Renewal of license			4-1 4-1-57
BAL-1729 EFF	3-24-54 4-12-54	Assignment of license to CAPITOL BROADCASTING CORPORATION, INC.			
BTC-1874 EFF	1-28-55 2-18-55	Vol. trans. of control to Tele-Broadcasters, Inc.			
TC-2414 EFF:	2-20-57 4-1-57	Vol. transfer of control from Tele- Broadcasters, Inc., to Frank B. Estes, (50%) and WKNE Corporation(50%).			
Telegram	3-29-57	Action on renewal deferred 3-27-57 and continued operation authorized until final determination on renewal applic.			
BR-1313	4-17-57	1450	250	U	4-17 4-1-60

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Station location Concord, New Hampshire

Name of licensee CAPITOL BROADCASTING CORPORATION, INC.

Transmitter location See Card #1

Main studio location See Card #1

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period	
					From	To
BTC-2875 EFF:	8-21-58 8-29-58	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of licensee corporation by Frank B. Estes thru purchase of stock from WKNE Corporation (50%)				
BR-1313	3-30-60	Renewal of license			4-1	4-1-63
BS-1313 (1)	4-4-61	Mod. license to change studio location.				
BP-12712	5-25-61	1450kc	250w-1kw	LS(RC)U	7-25	1-25-62
		CP to increase daytime power from 250w to 1kw and install a new transmitter (GATES BC-1T) Cond'				
BL-8706	9-19-61	1450kc	250w-1kw	U	9-19	4-1-63
		Lic. to cover CP (BP-12,712) which auth. incr. daytime power and instl. of new trans.				
BL-8707	9-19-61	1450kc	250w	Aux	9-19	4-1-63
		Lic. to use old main trans. (RCA BTA-250L) at 37 Redington Road, Concord, N. H. (Main Trans. Loc.) as Aux. Transmitter on 1450kc, power 250w.				
BR-1313	3-11-63	Renewal of license Main & Aux			4-1	4-1-66
BR-1313	3-31-66	Renewal of license (MAIN & AUXILIARY)			4-1	4-1-69
BR-1313	5-28-69	Renewal of License & NDEA (Main-S & Aux.-S)			4-1	4-1-72
BR-1313(L)	3-30-72	RENEWAL MAIN & AUX. NDEA			4-1	4-1-75
EBSA	5-25-72	-----			-----	-----
BR-1313(S)	4-10-75	RENEWAL MAIN & AUX.			4-1	4-1-78
Ltr.	6-25-76	Main: HARRIS MW-1			Aux: GATES BC-1T	
BR-1313	5-12-78	(L) REN. OF LIC.			-----	-----
-----	-----	MAIN & AUX.			-----	4-1-81
BR-1313	5-12-78	(L) SAME AS ABOVE			-----	-----
Superseded	5- -78	to correct Aux. Trans.			-----	4-1-81
BTC800314CM	5-23-80	VOL TC			EFF:	

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name CHARLES M. DALE

(P.O. 110 N. Main St., Concord, N. H.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B1-P-4229	9-29-45	Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 1450 kc Power: 250w Hours of Operation: Unlimited time Trans. & Studio Locations: To be determined, Concord, N.H. (John Barron, Engr.)	GRANTED subject filing MP for approval of T site and antenna Letter Issued with MP-1851	12-6-45
Rec'd	10-4-45			1-10-46
Filed	10-4-45			

RCA 250-K Transmitter

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Letters W K X LName CHARLES M. DALE

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B1-MP-1851 Rec'd Filed	1-31-46 2-5-46 2-5-46	Mod. of C.P. (B1-P-4229, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for approval of antenna and approval of transmitter and studio locations at So. side of Redington St.; West of So. Fruit St., Concord, New Hampshire and Concord, New Hampshire, respectively. (Filed by John Barron, Engr.)	GRANTED	CA 5-1-46 MIN. 5-13-46
B1-MP-2188 Rec'd Filed	9-27-46 10-2-46 10-2-46	Modification of C.P. (B1-P-4229, ^{as mod.} which authorized a new standard broadcast station) to change type of transmitter (EQ. BTA-250L).	GRANTED	10-24-46

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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B1-L-2074	6-10-46	License to cover C.P. (B1-P-4229, as mod.,) which authorized a new standard broadcast station and to specify studio location at 110 N. Main St., Concord, New Hampshire and	GRANTED (Conditional re Waiver 3.55(b))	10-24-46
Rec'd	6-13-46			
Filed	6-13-46			
B1-2-1896	6-10-46	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. (Ralph E. Patterson, Engr.)		
Rec'd	6-13-46			
Filed	6-13-46			

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B1-P-5593 Rec'd Filed	1-4-47 1-6-47 1-6-47	Construction permit to make changes in transmitting equipment.	Granted by Engr. Dept. as formal application unnecessary Letter	1-29-47
BR-1313 Rec'd.	11-29-47 12-1-47	Renewal of License.	GRANTED	1-30-48
Rec'd BZ-2914 Rec'd Filed	6-24-48 6-28-48 7-22-48 7-26-48 7-26-48	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	Returned 7-13-48 signed by Chief Engineer. GRANTED	8-12-48 re waiver 3.55(b)

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Name CAPITOL BROADCASTING CO., INC. (AL 7-5-51, Eff.
xCHARLES M. DALE

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1313 Rec'd	11-29-50 12-1-50	Renewal of license	GRANTED	1-17-51
BAL-1186 Rec'd Filed	4-20-51 4-25-51 4-25-51	Voluntary assignment of license from Charles M. Dale to Capitol Broadcasting Co., Inc. Harold G. Cowgill, Atty.	GRANTED Eff.	7-5-51 7-29-51
BRC-77 Rec'd Filed	5-29-53 6-1-53 6-1-53	Modification of license to operate transmitter by Remote Control from Eagle Hotel, Concord, New Hampshire.	GRANTED	6-11-53
BR-1313 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd Filed	10-27-53 11-3-53 12-4-53 12-7-53 12-7-53	Renewal of License (Signed by Gen. Mgr. & Sect. II dated after Sect. I)	RETURNED GRANTED	DEC 1 1953 1-13-54

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1313 Rec'd Filed	2-3-54 2-5-54 2-5-54	Renewal of License, Informal request	GRANTED	3-3-54
BAL-1729 Rec'd Filed	2-20-54 2-24-54 2-24-54	Voluntary assignment of license to Capitol Broadcasting Corporation, Inc. Leonard H. Marks, Atty.	GRANTED EFF	3-24-54 4-12-54
BTC-1874 Rec'd Filed	1-6-55 1-6-55 1-6-55	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from H. Scott Killgore to Tele-Broadcasters, Inc.	GRANTED EFF:	1-28-55 2-18-55
BTC-2414 Rec'd Filed	1-18-57 1-18-57 1-23-57	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Tele-Broadcasters, Inc., to Frank B. Estes (50%) and WKNE Corporation (50%). Alfred C. Gordon, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	2-20-57 4-1-57
BR-1313 Rec'd Filed	12-31-56 1-3-57 1-3-57	Renewal of license Marcus Cohn, Atty. F.C.C. WASHINGTON, D. C.	GRANTED	4-17-57

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BTC-2875 Rec'd. Filed	8-8-58 8-11-58 8-11-58	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of licensee corporation by Frank B. Estes thru purchase of stock from WKNE Corporation (50%) Al Gordon, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	8-21-58 8-29-58
BP-12,712 REc'd Filed	12-18-58 12-23-58 12-23-58	Construction permit to increase daytime power from 250w to 1kw and install new transmitter (Gates BC-1T) Atty. - Dow, Lohnes and Albertson Engr. - Lohnes & Culver	GRANTED	5-25-61 Cond'l re accept interf. of Class IV stat. if auth incr. power to 1kw.
BR-1313 Rec'd Filed	12-7-59 12-10-59	Renewal of license. Dow, Lohnes and Albertson, Attys.	GRANTED	3-30-60

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Concord, New Hampshire

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BL-8706 R. & F.	8-12-61 8-14-61	License to cover C.P. (BP-12,712) which auth. increase daytime power and the installation of a new transmitter. Atty: Dow, Lohnes and Albertson	GRANTED	9-19-61
BL-8707 R. & F.	8-12-61 8-14-61	License to use old main trans.(RCA BTA-250-L) at South side of Redington St., W. of S. Fruit St., Concord, N.H. (main trans. loc.) as Aux. trans. on 1450kc, with power of 250w. Atty: Dow, Lohnes and Albertson	GRANTED	9-19-61
BR-1313 R. & F.	12-15-62 1-2-63	Renewal of license. (Main & Aux.) Atty: Alfred C. Cordon, Jr.	GRANTED	3-11-63
BR-1313 R & F	12-14-65 12-30-65	Renewal of license (Main & Auxiliary) Atty- Dow, Lohnes & Albertson (Alfred C. Cordon, Jr.)	GRANTED	3-31-66

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Letters W.K.V.I.Name CAPITOL BROADCASTING CORPORATION, INC.
Concord, New Hamp.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BR-1313 R & F #481030 \$105. PRESS JAN 31 1969	12-30-68 1-2-69 1-2-69	Renewal of license---(Main & Auxiliary)	GRANTED	5-28-69
BR-1313 R & F PN PRESS JAN 19 1972	12-30-71 1-3-72 1-3-72	Renewal of License(Main & Auxiliary) AMENDED 3-6-72 re: commercial policy	GRANTED	3-30-72
BR-1313 R & F PN Recd. Press JAN 20 1975	11-27-74 11-29-74	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) AMENDED 3-25-75 re: commercial policy & EEO	GRANTED	4-10-75
BR-1313 R & F PN PRESS JAN 3 1978	11-23-77 11-29-77	Renewal of license (Main & Auxiliary)	GRANTED	5-12-78

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Name: CAPITOL BROADCASTING CORPORATION, INC.

Station Location: CONCOARD, NEW HAMPSHIRE

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BTC800314GM Form 315 PRESS Also see WKXL-FM	APR 18 1980	Vol TC from Frank B. Estes to Richard W. and Jessie L. Osborne, Donald A and Sandra G. Shapiro, J.W. Patrick and Jean Marie Chaloux et al (all stockholders)	GRANTED 5-23-80 EFF:
BR801128UE PRESS	JAN 12 1981	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	3-30 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 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.

