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COSMOS-ORION, INC (AL 8-14-81, EFF: x x WMT, INC. (ML 1-28-69)

Call Letters W M T LOCATION: CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA

X EASTERN IOWA BROADCASTING, INC. (AL 6-12-68 EFF. 7-16-68) x AMERICAN BROADCASTING STATIONS, INC. (ML 12-11-44) X AMERICAN BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 9-19-44, Eff. 10-1-44)

Name of Licensee: x IOWA BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol. Assign. Lic. 1-10-36) x The Waterloo Broadcasting Co.

Iowa Highway #13, 3 miles Northeast of Marion, Iowa (Redes. 7-29-71)

Transmitter Location: X near Marion, Iowa (License 2-21-36) x Marion Township, 7 1/2 miles northeast of Cedar Rapids, Iowa (MPB 3-26-35) Lic. 7-2-35 x Approx. 5 miles from Waterloo, Iowa.

Broadcast Park, 600-2 Old Marion Road, N.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa (BS-5-6-75) x Paramount Building, 123 Third Ave., S.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa (Redes. 7-29-71) X Paramount Building, Cedar Rapids, Iowa (Letter 10-237)

Main Studio Location: x Montrose Hotel, 3rd Ave. & 3rd Street, Cedar Rapids, Iowa (MPB 326-35) Lic. 7-2-35 x Third and Lafayette Sts., Waterloo, Iowa.

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD	
					From	To
Z-B-22	7-24-31	600	500 Exp.	Unltd.	7-24	9-1-31
R-B-514	8-7-31	600 250	w & 250	exp. Unltd.	9-1-	3-1-32
R-B-514	2-16-32	600 250	w & 250	exp. Unltd.	3-1	9-1-32
R-B-514	8-23-32	600	250	U (H)	9-1	3-1-33
S-B-514	8-23-32	600	250	U (H)	9-1	3-1-33
R-B-514	10-21-32	600	500W	U	10-21	3-1-33
Z-B-70	2-24-33		Direct Meas. Antenna pr.		2-24	3-1-33
R-B-514	2-24-33	600	500w	U	3-1	9-1-33
R-B-514	8-4-33	600	500w	U	9-1	3-1-34
B-1277	1-19-34	600	500w-1kw-LS	U	1-19	3-1-34
R-B-514	2-6-34	600	500w, 1kw-LS	U	3-1	9-1-34
R-B-149	6-29-34	600	1 kw, 2 kw-LS	U	7-1	9-1-34
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION						
B4-R-514	8-7-34	600	500w, 1kw-LS	U	9-1	3-1-35
SA-13	8-14-34		new equip. operate with 1kw, 2kw-LS		9-1	3-1-35
R-S-514	10-23-34		Transfer of control			
C.A.	11-27-34		use 100w portable trans. to conduct field intensity tests near Waterloo, and Cedar Rapids, Iowa, between 1 and 6 pm CST		11-27	12-12-34
P-181	1-8-35		C.P. to move studio and transmitter		3-8	9-8-35
R-S-514	2-26-35	600	1kw, 2kw-LS	U	3-1	9-1-35
B4-R-514	2-26-35	600	500w-1kw-LS	U	3-1	9-1-35
B4-MP-114	3-26-35		Appr. trans. site & new equip.		5-26	9-8-35
B4-S-514	5-21-35		Oper. reduced power 1kw, local sunset, 5-21-35 to 6-19-35 pending removal and installation of amplifier from Waterloo to new site, and in order to permit the continuous rendition of program service.			
B4-L-187	7-2-35	600	500w, 1kw-LS	U (Cond)	7-2	9-1-35
B4-S-514	7-2-35		Lic. to cover C.P. for move trans. & studio; new equip.			
B4-S-514	7-2-35		Oper. 1kw, 2kw-LS at new location		7-2	9-1-35
B4-MSA-17	7-30-35		Install directional antenna at night (Cond)		7-30	9-1-35
B4-S-514	8-6-35	600	500w, 1kw-LS	U	8-6	9-1-35
			Mod. License to extend time to 9-1-35 within which to file certain data.			

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

#2

Date First
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See Card #1

Name of IOWA BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol.Assign.Lic. 1-10-36)
Licensee: THE WATERLOO BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter
Location: _____

Main Studio
Location: _____
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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div. (Conditional)	PERIOD		
					From	To	
B4-R-514	8-27-35	600	500w, 1kw	LS U	9-1	3-1-36	
B4-SA-158	9-10-35	600	1kw-2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw	LS (Cond)	9-10	3-1-36	
			using directional antenna	night			
B4-S-514	11-2-35	Ext. date to 12-2-35				in which to report	
	Min. 11-12-35	to Com.			11-2	3-1-36	
						re directional an.	
B4-S-514	11-2-35	Ext. date on Spec. Exp. Auth.				to 12-1-35	
	Min. 11-12-35	to report to Com.					
B4-MSA-37	1-10-36	600	1kw-2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw	LS U	1-10	3-1-36	
			using directional antenna	night			
			Mod. S. Exp. A. to make equip. changes				
B4-AL-61	1-10-36	Vol. Assignment of License to IOWA BROADCASTING COMPANY					
B4-L-281	2-21-36	600	1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw	LS U	2-21	3-1-36	
			Directional antenna	night			
			License to cover Spec. Exp. Auth. increasing power				
B4-R-514	2-21-36	600	1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw	LS U	3-1	9-1-36	
B4-P-1021	6-20-36		Inct. power to 1kw, 5kw	LS		and chg. equip	
			Directional ant. night.		8-20	2-20-37	
B4-MP-353	CA 8-18-36	Mod. CP 1021				for new equip	
					8-20	2-20-37	
B4-S-514	C.A. 8-19-36	Oper. with reduced power of				1kw	
					8-19	9-1-36	
B4-R-514	CA 8-15-36	600	1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw	LS U	9-1	3-1-37	
B4-L-381	9-29-36	600	1kw*5kw	LS U	9-29	3-1-37	
			*Directional antenna	night			
			Lic. to cover C.P. for incr. day power & chg. equip.				
B4-R-514	8-18-37	600	1kw*5kw	LS U	3-1	9-1-37	
			*Directional antenna	night			
B4-R-514	CA 8-27-37	600	1kw*5kw	LS U	9-1	3-1-38	
			*Directional antenna	night.			
B4-S-514	Mins. 9/7/37		Rebroadcast over WMT conversation bet. exp. sta. W5XAR and W5XAS of Western Radio not more than one hr. bet. 9/18 and 9/24 - flying weather permitting				
B4-R-514	CA 2-15-38	600	1kw*5kw	LS U	3-1	9-1-38	
			*Directional antenna	night			
B4-R-514	8-23-38	600	1kw, *5kw	LS U	9-1	3-1-39	
			*Directional antenna	night			
B4-R-514	2-13-39	600	1kw*, 5kw	LS U	3-1	9-1-39	
			*Directional antenna	night			

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Card #3 BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

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Name of licensee
See Card #1
IOWA BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location See Card #1.

Main studio location See Card #1.
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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME Div.	PERIOD	
					From	To
B4-R-514	2-13-39	600	1kw*5kw-LS	U	3-1	9-1-39
*Directional antenna night. Supersedes renewal of license of the same date.						
B4-R-514	8-28-39	600	1kw*5kw-LS	U	9-1-	4-1-40
*Directional antenna night.						
B4-R-514	3-22-40	600	1kw*5kw-LS	U	4-1	8-1-40
*Directional antenna night.						
B4-S-514	4-13-40	600	1kw*5kw-LS	U	4-13	8-1-40
Med.Lic. to add sunrise *DA-N						
Order	6/12/40	Extension of License			8-1	10/1/40
Order	9-10-40	Extension of license			10-1	3-29-41
B4-P-2825	11-26-40	600	5kw*5kw-LS	U	1-26	7-26-41
C.P. make changes in DA* for night use and incr. night power.						
NARBA REALLOCATION						
B4-R-514	3-24-41	600	1kw*5kw-LS	U	3-29	4-1-42
*DA-N						
B4-L-1401	7-17-41	600	5kw*5kw-LS	U	7-17	4-1-42
B4-Z-892	Lic. to cover C.P.2825 for increase in night power and changes in *DA for night use. Determine operating power by direct method.					
B4-Z-1316	1-7-42	600	5kw*5kw-LS	U	1-7	4-1-42
*DA-Night Determine operating power by direct method						
B4-R-514	3-17-42	600	5kw*5kw-LS	U	4-1	6-1-44
*DA-Night						
B4-S-514	11-6-42	600	5kw*5kw-LS	U	12-1	6-1-44
*DA-N Mod. Lic. accordance Order 107						
B4-S-514	5-30-44	Extension of license			6-1	8-1-44
B4-S-514	7-25-44	Extension of license			8-1	10-1-44
B4-AL-433	9-19-44	Voluntary assignment of license to				
EFF. 12:01am 10-1-44 AMERICAN BROADCASTING COMPANY						
B4-S-514	9-26-44	Extension of license			10-1	12-1-44
B4-S-514	11-21-44	Extension of license			12-1	2-1-45

B.S. #4

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

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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-
B4-ML-1209	12-11-44	600	5kw* *DA-N	U (T)	12-11 2-1-45
B4-R-514	1-25-45	600	5kw* *DA-Night	U	1-25 5-1-46
B4-S-514 Mod. Lic.	9-25-45 Order 107A	600	5kw* *DA-N	U	10-1 5-1-46
B4-P-4002	10-22-45	CP install new transmitter			12-22 6-22-46
B4-L-1925	3-11-45	600	5kw* *DA-N	U *DA-N	3-11 5-1-46
	Lic. cover C.P. (P-4002) for new transmitter				
B4-S-514	4-26-46	Extension of license			5-1 7-1-46
B4-R-514	6-5-46	600	5kw* *DA-N	U	6-5 5-1-49
BS-514	4-29-49	Extension of license			5-1 9-1-49
BR-514	8-31-49	600	5kw* *DA-N	U	8-31 5-1-52
BR-514	4-23-52	600	5 kw DA-N	U	5-1 2-1-53
BR-514	1-14-53	600	5kw- DA-N	U	2-1 2-1-56
BRC-801 (1)	9-2-55	Modl of lic. to op. trans. by remote control from Paramount Theatre Bldg., 123 3rd Ave., S.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa, while using non-directional antenna			
BR-514	1-18-56	600kc	5kw- DA-N	U	2-1-56 2-1-59
BTC-2107 EFF:	1-25-56 3-23-56	Vol. trans. of control to Helen S. Mark, et al			
BS-514 (1)	4-19-56	Mod. of license to correct field ratios.			
BTC-2927 EFF:	11-5-58 11-20-58	Voluntary trans. of control of licensee corporation from William B. Dolph and William B. Quarton, Trustees to Helen S. Shaffer Mark, Helena Mark Hermann, and Herbert M. Bingham, Trustees; and from F. E. McMillen, Trustee to F. E. McMillen and Robert L. Hood, Co-Trustees			
BR-514	1-14-59	600kc.	5kw- DA-N	U	2-1 2-1-62

Form BC 126 #5
June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Station location Cedar Rapids, Iowa

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
BTC-3528 EFF:	9-7-60 10-3-60	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Helen Shaffer Mark, Helena Mark Hermann and Herbert M. Bingham, Voting Trustees and Helen Shaffer Mark, Individually to Helen Shaffer Mark, Helena Mark Hermann and William B. Quarton, Voting Trustees.			
BRC-1855 (1)	5-25-61	Mod. of license to operate transmitter by Remote Control from 600 and No. 2 Old Marion Road, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, while using non-directional antenna (Second remote control location) (WMT TV Studios).			
BP-15002	8-22-61	600kc	1kw-DA-N	A ux.	10-22 4-22-62
	CP to install a new trans. (COLLINS 20-V) to be operated by remote control at main trans. loc. on 600kc with a power of 1kw for auxiliary purposes only.				
BR-514	1-9-62	600kc	5kw-DA-N	Unl	2-1 2-1-65
BL-9310	8-10-62	600kc	1kw	Aux	8-10 2-1-65
	Lic. to cover CP (BP-15,002) which auth. instl. of a new trans., operated by RC at main trans. loc. on 600kc, with a power of 1kw for aux. purp. only.				
BR-514	1-7-65	Renewal of License Main and Aux			2-1 2-1-68
BR-514	1-30-68	Renewal of Lic. NDEA, Main & Aux.			2-1 2-1-71
BAL-6311 EFF:	6-12-68 7-16-68	Vol. AL			
BML-2275	1-28-69	ML to chg. name, Main(L) & Aux.(L)			
BR-514(S)	5-12-71	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary)			2-1-74
BZ-7808(L) EBSA	7-29-71 5-25-72	Direct Measurement (Main & Auxiliary)			
BRC-3615(L)	3-9-73	ML to operate trans. by RC (Main & Aux.)			
BZ-8272(L)	3-9-73	Direct Measurement issued with BRC-3615			
BR-514(S)	1-31-74	RENEWAL OF MAIN & AUX.			2-1-77
ES-514(1)	5-6-75	NL to change SL			
BS-514(L)	6-23-75	NL chg ant monitor (page 2)			
CONT. L	2-16-77	GATES M-5 now installed as main			

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June 1975

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Station location Cedar Rapids,
Iowa

Name of licensee WMT, INC.

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From.. To.
BR-514(L)	1-13-77	Renewal of license Main and Auxiliary			2-1-80
BR791001WX (S)	1-24-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			2-1-83
BAL801230GH	8-14-81	VOL	AL	EFF:	
BTC801230GD	8-14-81		VOL AL	EFF:	

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

#1.
 APPLICANT: WATERLOO BROADCASTING CO. CALL LETTERS: WMT
 (Waterloo Tribune)
 ADDRESS: 405 Lafayette St. at Third, Waterloo, Iowa. FILE NO: 4-M-B-225 DATED: 1/22/29

Present Allocation 11/11/29: 1200 Kc. 100 night, 250 LS. Abandoned: No reply to
 Assignment: Shares KFJB. ACTION: Secretary's letter dated
 3/11/29

Requested: 1050 Kc. 500 w. Full time

APPLICANT: WATERLOO BROADCASTING CO. CALL LETTERS: WMT
 ADDRESS: 405 Lafayette St., Waterloo, Iowa. FILE NO: 4-R-B-514 DATED: 3/26/29

Present
 Assignment: 1200 Kc., 100 W., + KFJB ACTION: Lic. 4/6/29, 1200 Kc.,
 100 W., + KFJB, period 4/30/29
 to 7/31/29

Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: WATERLOO BROADCASTING CO., INC. CALL LETTERS: WMT
 ADDRESS: Third and Lafayette Sts., Waterloo, Iowa. FILE NO: 4-R-B-514 DATED: 7/9/29

Present
 Assignment: 1200 kc. 100 w. night, 250 w. LS Divides KFJB ACTION: G.O. 69 - 7/31/29 to
 10/31/29

Requested: Renewal

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

#2.

APPLICANT: THE WATERLOO BROADCASTING COMPANY CALL LETTERS: WMT

ADDRESS: 405 Lafayette Street, Waterloo, Iowa FILE NO: 4-M-B-409 DATED: 9/30/29

Present 100 nite
 Assignment: 1200 kc. 250 day Divide with KFJB
 500 day
 Requested: 600 kc. 250 nite Divide with WEBW

Approved Min. 10/2/29
 Issued 10/9/29 for 600 Kc.
 ACTION: 250 W. not to operate during
 daytime when WEBW is operating.
 only on experimental basis, temp.
 Oct. 31/29

APPLICANT: THE WATERLOO BROADCASTING CORPORATION CALL LETTERS: WMT

ADDRESS: 405 Lafayette Street, Waterloo, Iowa FILE NO: 4-M-B-428 DATED: 10-15-29

Present Unlimited nite
 Assignment: 600 kc. 250 W. Divides with WEBW daytime
 500 Watts
 Requested:

Approved Minutes 11/15/29
 Issued 11/15/29 600 Kc. 500 W.
 ACTION: Unlimited on ex. basis
 per. 11-15-29 to 11-30-29.

APPLICANT: THE WATERLOO BROADCASTING COMPANY CALL LETTERS: WMT

ADDRESS: 15 miles outside of Waterloo, Iowa FILE NO: 4-P-B-997 DATED: 10-28-29

Present Unlimited nite. Divides with WEBW day.
 Assignment: 600 kc. 250 W. experimentally until 10-31-29
 Move transmitter, install new equipment and
 Requested: 500 W. power. Devide with WEBW (2) Comp. date extended to 6-1-30, issued 3-14-30

(1) Approved minutes 11/15/29
 Issued 11/26/29 600 Kc. 250 W
 ACTION: Add. 250 W. Ex. Basis
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#3.

STATION APPLICATION RECORDAPPLICANT: WATERLOO BROADCASTING COMPANY CALL LETTERS: WMTADDRESS: Waterloo Tribune Bldg., 405 Lafayette St.,
Waterloo, Iowa FILE NO: 4-R-B-514 DATED: 9/26/29Present
Assignment: 600 kc. 250 w. Unlim.night (Daytime-Shares) WBT (1) Lic. 10/26/29 600-Kc. 250 W.
Unlimited 10/31 to 11/30/29.Requested: Renewal ACTION: (2) Lic. 11-15-29
600 kc. 250 w. + WSUI
Per. 11-30-29 to 1-31-30APPLICANT: SAME CALL LETTERS: WMTADDRESS: SAME FILE NO: 4-R-B-514 DATED: 12-31-29Present add. 250 w. exp. basis
Assignment: 600 kc. 250 w. Uses 4/7 time Renewal License
ACTION: Per: 1-31 to 4-30-30Requested: RenewalAPPLICANT: THE WATERLOO BROADCASTING COMPANY CALL LETTERS: WMTADDRESS: 405 Lafayette St., Waterloo, Iowa FILE NO: 4-M-B-499 DATED: 1/23/30Present 4/7 time
Assignment: 600 kc. 250 W. and add'l 250 W. experimentally Mod.Lic. granted Min. 2-14-30,
issued 2-19-30 for Unlimited
ACTION: time.
Period 2-19-30 to 4-30-30.Requested: Unlimited time.

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STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: The Waterloo Broadcasting Co. CALL LETTERS: WMT
 ADDRESS: 405 Lafayette St., Waterloo, Iowa FILE NO: 4-R-B-514 DATED: 3-25-30
 Present Assignment: 600 Kc. 500 W 1 KW on experimental basis Renewal Lic. 4-23-30
 Requested: Renewal ACTION: 600 Kc. 250 W 500 W in Ex. Unlimited / B
 Per: 4-30 to 7-31-30

APPLICANT: THE WATERLOO BROADCASTING COMPANY CALL LETTERS: WMT
 ADDRESS: Approx. 5 miles from Waterloo, Iowa FILE NO: 4-L-B-321 DATED: 4/25/30
Under O. P. Mod.Lic. granted C.A. 4-30-30,
 Present Assignment: 600 kc. 250 W. with Add'l 250 W. experimentally Unlimited issued 5-1-30 to cover C.P. for
 Requested: License to cover 4-P-B-997 issued 11/26/29. ACTION: 600 kc., 250 W with add'l 250 w. exp. - Unlimited.
 Period 5-1-30 to 7-31-30.

APPLICANT: Same CALL LETTERS: WMT
 ADDRESS: Same FILE NO: 4-R-B-514 DATED: 6-28-30.
 Present Assignment: 600 Kc. 250 w. Add'l. 250 w. exp., unlimited Renewal License 7-7-30
 Requested: Renewal ACTION: Per: 7-31 to 10-31-30

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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File No.	Dated Received	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
4-R-B-514	9-27-30	Renewal of license	Granted	10-21-30
4-R-B-514	12-27-30	Renewal of license	G. C. 103 Granted	1-20-31 4-24-31
4-Z-B-22	6-26-31	Direct measurement of antenna input	Granted	7-24-31
4-R-D-514	6-19-31	Renewal of license	Granted	8-7-31
4-ML-B-871	7-30-31	Change power from 250 watts with an additional 250 watts on exp. basis to 500 watts (without experimental clause).	Dismissed	10-9-31
4-R-B-514	12-28-31	Renewal of license	(Hearing) (H) Granted	2-18-32 8-23-32 (250w)
		(500 kc., 500 watts,	STATEMENT OF FACTS Granted	10-21-32 unlimited time)
4-P-B-2448	12-28-31	Move station from Waterloo, Iowa to Des Moines Iowa, and utilize a special antenna system. Also change from 250 w. 500 w. exp. to 500 w.	Denied	10-21-32 STATEMENT OF FACTS

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name The Waterloo Broadcasting Company

File No.	Dated Received	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
4-R-B-22	6-24-32	Renewal of license (Unnecessary)	Returned	8-31-32
4-R-B-22	11-3-32	Renewal of license (Requested)	Dismissed from Docket and Granted, effective 3-1-33	
			ORDER	2-21-33
4-Z-B-70	1-30-33	Determine power by antenna measurement	Granted	2-24-33
4-ML-B-1177 Resubmitted	3-30-33	Increase power from 500w to 1kw-LS Rec'd 5-27-33 no change-request hearing.	Returned	5-19-33
			File 6-27-33 Order of Dismissal-Request of Appl.	9-1-33
4-R-B-514	6-27-33	Renewal of license	Granted	8-4-33
4-R-B-514	12-12-33	Renewal of license	Granted	2-6-34

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Name THE WATERLOO BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
4-ML-B-1277	12-20-33	Modification of License to increase daytime power from 500 watts to 1 kilowatt.	Granted	1-19-34
4-SA-B-149	6-20-34	Special authorization for experimental purposes to install new equipment and increase power from 500w.1 kw-LS to 1 kw. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS	Granted	6-29-34
4-R-B-514	6-27-34	Renewal of license	Granted	8-7-34
4-R-B-514	7-7-34	Renewal of license (wrong form for S.A.)	Returned	7-13-34
B4-SA-13	7-23-34	FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Extension of special experimental authorization for increased power from 500w,1kw-LS, to 1 kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS, for next license period - to 3-1-35.	Granted	8-14-34

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Call
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Name THE WATERLOO BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B4-P-181	10-26-34	Construction permit to change location of transmitter from Approximately 5 miles from Waterloo, Iowa to Site to be determined, Near Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and studio from Third & Lafayette Sts., Waterloo, Iowa to 3d Avenue & 3d Street, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.	Granted	1-8-35 with conditional clause on interference with WREC.
B4-R-514	12-18-34	Renewal of license	Granted	2-26-35
B4-MP-114	1-11-35	Modification of construction permit for approval of transmitter site as Marion Township, Iowa, to install new equipment and extend commencement date to 60 days after grant and completion date to 90 days thereafter.	Order of Dismissal from docket & Granted	3-26-35

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WMTName Waterloo Broadcasting Co.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B4-MSA-15	1-11-35	Modification of special experimental authorization to operate on 1kw, 2½kw-LS with 5kw transmitter at new site to be effected when station begins equipment and program tests under terms of modification of construction permit., for period ending 3-1-35.	ORDER - Request Min.	Dismissal of Appl. 7-9-35
B4-SA-95	2-6-35	Extension of special experimental authorization to operate with power of 1kw, 2½kw-LS for period to 9-1-35.	Granted	Min. 2-26-35
B4-MSA-17	4-17-35	Mod. of S.A. to install Directional antenna, for period ending 9-1-35.	Granted	7-30-35 Still conditional
B4-R-514	8-15-35	Renewal of license	Granted	8-27-35

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x Waterloo Broadcasting Co.

IOWA BROADCASTING COMPANY (Vol. Assign. Lic. 1-10-36)

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B4--187	6-11-35	License to cover (B4-P-181) as modified to move trans from approx. 5 miles from Waterloo, I. to Marion Twp, Iowa, to install new equip. and extend c.c dates 60 and 90 days respectively.	Granted (Certain conditions and limitations)	7-2-35
B4-AL-61	7-26-35.	Voluntary assignment of license from Waterloo Broadcasting Co. to Iowa Broadcasting Co.	Granted	1-10-36
B4-SA-158	8-15-35	Extension of S.A. to operate with power of 1 kw; 2½kw-LS for period 9-1-35 to 3-1-36.	Granted Period 9-10 to 3-1-36 (Conditionally)	9-10-35
B4-MSA-37	12-6-35.	Mod. of S.A. to operate with power of 1kw-2½kw-LS. using directional antenna night, to make equip. changes.	Granted	1-10-36

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BA-L-281	1-2-36.	License to cover S.A. (B4-SA-158) to operate permanently on 1kw-2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS, (Filed under new name) and equip. changes.	Granted	2-21-36
BA-R-514	1-14-36	Renewal of License	Granted	2-21-36
BA-P-1021	2-29-36	C.P. to make equip. changes, and increase power from 1kw-2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS, to 1 kw; 5kw-LS. (consideration under rule 6 (g).)	ORDER of Recon. and Grant	6-20-36
BA-R-514	6-29-36	Renewal of license	Granted	C.A. 8-15-36

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FILE No.	DATE	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B4-MP-353	7-7-36	Modification of construction permit (B4-P-1021) to install a new transmitter.	Granted	C.A. 8-18-36
B4-L-381	8-22-36	License to cover C.P. (B4-P-1021) as mod. to make equip. changes, increase power.	Granted	11-10-36 9-29-36
B4-ML-371	10-15-36	Modification of license to increase power from 1kw, 5kw-LS to 5kw day and night, using directional antenna at night.	Retired to Files Superseded	Closed 3-29-40 by B4-P-2825
B4-R-514	12-28-36	Renewal of license	Granted	2-16-37

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B4-R-514	7-9-37	Renewal of license	Granted	C.A. 8-27-37
B4-R-514	12-28-37	Renewal of license	Granted	C.A. 2-15-38 Min 3-1-38
B4-R-514	6-27-38	Renewal of license	Granted	8-23-38
B4-R-514	12-27-38	Renewal of license	Granted	2-13-39
B4-R-514	6-28-39	Renewal of license	Granted	8-28-39
B4-R-514	1-29-40	Renewal of license	Granted	3-22-40
B4-P-2825	3-22-40	C.P. to increase power from 1kw, 5kw-LS to 5kw day and night, and make changes in DA (Night). Requests Class III-A Station.	GRANTED	11-26-40 (No action on class)

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B4-R-514	5-29-40	Renewal of license	Granted 600kc, 1kw, 5kw-LB, U.	3-24-41
B4-L-1401 Rec'd Amended Rec'd	4-10-41 4-12-41 4-25-41 4-28-41	License to cover C.P. (B4-P-2825) to increase night power * and make changes in directional antenna system for night use *to 5kw. Form 335 filed 6-23-41	Granted	7-17-41
B4-Z-892 Rec'd	4-10-41 4-12-41	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna input in compliance with Sec. 3.54	Granted	7-17-41
B4-Z-1316 Rec'd	12-1-41 12-5-41	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power Filed by G.S. Smith, Atty.	Granted	1-7-42

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

AMERICAN BROADCASTING STATIONS, INC. (ML 12-11-44)
 xAMERICAN BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 9-19-44, Eff. 12:01 am 10-1-44)

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Letters W M TName x IOWA BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B4-R-514	1-26-42	Renewal of license 335's filed atty. Geo. Smith	Granted	3-17-42
B4-R-514	3-29-44 3-31-44	Renewal of license Filed by George Smith atty. Amend. filed 12-8-44 by Atty. Bingham	Granted	1-25-45
B4-AL-433 Rec'd Filed	7-6-44 7-10-44 7-10-44	Voluntary Assignment of License to AMERICAN BROADCASTING COMPANY. (Contingent on grant of B1-AL-434 for WOL) (335s filed) (Filed by Harold G. Cowgill, Atty.)	Granted Eff. 12:01	9-19-44 10-1-44
B4-ML-1209 Rec'd Filed	11-11-44 11-28-44 11-28-44	Modification of license to change corporate name to American Broadcasting Stations, Inc.	Granted	12-11-44

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B4-P-4002 Rec'd Filed	9-21-45 9-24-45 9-24-45	C.P. to install new transmitter. (Filed by Herbert M. Bingham, Atty.)	GRANTED	10-22-45
B4-L-1925 Rec'd Filed	12-12-45 12-17-45 2-1-46	License to cover C.P. (B4-P-4002) which authorized installation of a new transmitter. Robert M. Booth, Jr., Atty.	Granted	3-11-46
B4-R-514 Rec'd Resub.	2-27-46 3-1-46 4-12-46	Renewal of license (Per 5e, - operating log, 17b & - just on 303-B) par. 5d)	Ret'd Granted	4-2-46 6-5-46

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-514 Rec'd	2-28-49 2-28-49	Renewal of license	Granted	8-31-49
BR-514 Rec'd Filed	1-29-52 1-29-52 1-29-52	Renewal of license R. M. Booth, Jr., atty.	GRANTED	4-23-52
BR-514 Rec'd Filed	11-5-52 11-6-52 11-6-52	Renewal of License Filed by William A. Porter, Atty.	GRANTED	1-14-53
BRC-801 Rec'd Filed	8-26-55 8-30-55 8-30-55	Mod. of lic. to operate transmitter by remote control from Paramount Theatre Building, 123 Third Avenue, S.E./ while using non-directional antenna. Cedar Rapids, Iowa David L. Steel, Sr., Atty.	GRANTED	9-2-55

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FORM BC-121

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-514 Rec'd Filed	11-21-55 11-21-55 11-21-55	Renewal of license E. R. Schneider, Atty	GRANTED	1-18-56
BTC-2107 Rec'd Filed	11-28-55 11-29-55 11-29-55	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Helen S. Mark to Helen S. Mark, Helen Mark Kamons, John Shaffer Mark, Sale Shaffer Mark and Mary Mark Merrill. E. R. Schneider, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	1-25-56 3-23-56

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Cedar Rapids, Iowa

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BTC-2927 Rec'd. Filed	9-29-58	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from William B. Dolph and William B. Quarton, Trustees to Helen Shaffer Mark, Helena Mark Hermann, and Herbert M. Bingham, Trustees; and from F.E. McMillen, Trustee to F.E. McMillen and Robert L. Hood, Co-Trustees. Edwin R. Schneider, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	11-5-58
	10-8-58			11-20-58
	10-8-58			
PR-514	11-6-58	Renewal of license	GRANTED	1-14-59
R & F	11-7-58	Edwin R. Schneider, attorney		
BTC-3528 Rec'd Filed	8-22-60	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Helen Shaffer Mark, Helena Mark Hermann and Herbert M. Bingham, Voting Trustees and Helen Shaffer Mark, Individually to Helen Shaffer Mark, Helena Mark Hermann and William B. Quarton, Voting Trustees. Edwin R. Schneider, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	9-7-60
	8-23-60			10-3-60
	8-23-60			

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CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-1855 Rec'd Filed	5-10-61 5-12-61 5-12-61	Modification of license to operate transmitter by Remote Control from 600 and No. 2 Old Marion Road, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, while using non-directional antenna (Second remote control location). (WMT TV Studios) William A. Porter, Atty.	GRANTED	5-25-61
BP-15002 R&F	7-13-61 7-27-61	CP to install a new trans (Collins 20V-2) to be used on remote control at main trans location on 600kc with a power of 1kw for auxiliary purposes only. Atty: Collins, Robb, Porter & Kistler	GRANTED	8-22-61

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CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-514 R. & F.	10-31-61 11-3-61	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty- Covington & Burling (Ernest W. Jennes)	GRANTED	1-9-62
BL-9310 R. & F.	4-9-62 4-13-62	Lic to cover CP(BP-15,002) which auth installation of a new trans to be used on remote control at main trans loc; on 600kc with a power of 1kw for AUXILIARY PURPOSES ONLY. ATTY*COVINGTON & BURLING	GRANTED	8-10-62
BR-514 Rec'd Filed	11-2-64 11-3-64 11-3-64	Renewal of License (Main and Aux.) Atty. - Covington & Burling (Edgar F. Czarra, Jr.)	GRANTED	1-7-65
BR-514 R & F BR-514 R & F	10/31/67 11/3/67 9/27/67 11/3/67	Renewal of license (Main) Renewal of license (Aux.) Atty:Ernest W. Jennes	GRANTED	1-30-68

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WMT, INC.

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Letters W M TName x EASTERN IOWA BROADCASTING, INC.
x AMERICAN BROADCASTING STATIONS, INC.
Cedar Rapids, Iowa

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL -6311 R & F MAR 13 1968 (see over for amendments)	2-27-68 2-29-68	Voluntary assignment of license to EASTERN IOWA BROADCASTING, INC. Atty - Covington & Burling	GRANTED EFF.	6-12-68 7-16-68
EML-2275 R. & F. #482844 \$30 JAN 23 1969	1-7-69 1-10-69 1-10-69	ML to change name of licensee to WMT, Inc. Atty-Covington & Burling (Edgar F. Czarra, Jr.)	GRANTED	1-28-69
BR-514 R & F P.N. DEC 3 1970	10-30-70 11-3-70 11-3-70	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) Atty: Robert H. Loeffler (Covington & Burling) AMENDED 2-16-71 re: business interests	GRANTED	5-12-71
82-7808 39014 618002-003160 Amended & F MAY 11 1971	7-21-70 7-23-70 7-23-70 8-16-70 8-16-70	Direct Measurement (Main & Auxiliary) Refunded Engr. Data (Main) Atty: J. Peter Luedtke (Covington & Burling)	GRANTED	7-29-71

RE: BAL-6311 - AMENDED 4-22-68 - legal data; incorporate exhibits by ref. to WMT-TV application

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Cedar Rapids, Iowa

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-3615 R & F §50-125242 AC-067 NOV 29 1972	10-11-72 11-6-72 11-6-72	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 6072 Old Marion Road, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, DA-N	GRANTED	3-9-73
BZ-8272 R & F DM PRESS	1-10-72 1-19-72 1-18-73 FEB 23 1973	Direct Measurement - Main & Auxiliary Atty: Covington & Burling(J. D. Blake)	GRANTED	3-5-73 issued with BRC-3615
BR-514 R & F PN PRESS	10-26-73 11-5-73 11-5-73 NOV 8 1973	Renewal of License(Main & Auxiliary) Atty: Edgar F. Czarra, Jr.(Covington & Burling)	GRANTED	1-31-74

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2-22 COSMOS-ORION, INC.

Name WMT, INC.
CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-514 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	9-28-76 10-1-76 " DEC 6 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Joseph Volpe, III, Atty. (Covington & Butling)	GRANTED	1-13-77
BR791001WX PRESS: OCT 31 1979		Renewal of License Atty.: Michael D. Berg	GRANTED	1-24-80
BAL801230GH Form 316 PRESS JAN 28 1981 Also see WMT (fm)		Vol AL to Cosmos-Orion, Inc. Atty Werner K. Hartenberger	GRANTED EFF:	8-14-81

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COSMOS-ORION, INC.

Name: xWMT, INC.

Station Location: Cedar Rapids, Iowa

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BTC801230GD Form 315 PRESS Also see WMT-FM, WAVE-TV WFIE-TV PN FILED 1-22-81	JAN 28 1981	Vol TC from Jane Morton Norton to Cosmos-Orion, Inc. Atty for transferor Edgar F. Czarra, Jr. Atty for transferee Werner K. Hartenberger Over	GRANTED 8-14-81 EFF:

BTC801230GD

MOTION TO DESIGNATE EARLIER EFFECTIVE DATE FOR
COMMISSION ACTIONS FILED 4-30-81 by Edgar F. Czarra, Jr.
for Jane Morton Norton

RECORD OF APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSES OF BROADCASTING STATIONS

x American Broadcasting Company (Lic. 9-29-34, Exp. 12:01 am 10-1-44) *WMT*
 x American Broadcasting Company (Lic. 9-29-34, Exp. 12:01 am 10-1-44)

x IOWA BROADCASTING COMPANY

Licensee x The Waterloo Broadcasting Co.

File No.	Date	Call Letters	Name and Location of Applicant	Remarks	Disposition
4-P-B-2570	4-21-32	new	Central Brdstg. Co., Davenport, Iowa.	500 kc. 500 w. unlt. fac. WMT.	Dismissed 1-20-33

Renewal
Requested

10-25-32

Date
Received

11-8-32

Designated
for Hearing

Reason

4-P-B-2570

Remarks

Granted 2-21-33

RECORD OF APPLICATIONS REQUESTING FACILITIES OF BROADCASTING STATION.....

Licensee

File No.	Date	Call Letters	Name and Location of Applicant	Remarks	Disposition

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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.

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