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Remington Rand Inc.
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REMOVABLE LABEL GUIDE

Cat. No. 4550L

Patent No. 1390199

Date First

Licensed 12-17-26

Card No. 1.

Call WPEN (4-22)

Letters XTRSN

XTLBA

LOCATION: PHILADELPHIA, PENNA.

GREATER PHILADELPHIA RADIO, INC. (AL 10-16-74 EFF: 1-6-75)

Name of

x Wm. Penn Broadcasting Co. (A.L. 4-17-29)

Licensee:

X Philadelphia School of Wireless Telegraphy (12-17-26) (J.C. VanHorn)

Transmitter

Location:

See Card #2

X1533 Pine St. Philadelphia, Penna.

19103

Main Studio

Location:

200-65

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

License # 1780

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD	
					From	To
BUREAU OF NAVIGATION RECORDS Dept. of Commerce						
Letter	12-17-26	1270 Mc	236.1	not stated	12-17-26 to	3-17-27
(Indl. 50w)						
FEDERAL RADIO COMMISSION RECORDS						
All letters changed to WPEN						
B-363	4-21-27				authorized continue operating	
S.P.		1270	50w		not stated	
B-363	5-1-27	1480	50	U		6-1 7-31-27
Effec. date of previous lic.	deferred by G.O. 13					to 8-15-27
B-363	8-8-27				Letter of extension	8-15 10-14-27
O.18					extending license to	10-31-27
B-363	10-24-27				Letter of Extension	10-31 12-31-27
Mod. Lic.	11-28-27	1450	50w	Divide		12-15 12-31-27
Brr.	12-15-27					
21					Extension of license	12-31 1-31-28
22					"	1-31 3-1-28
23					"	3-1 4-1-28
25					"	4-1 5-1-28
27					"	5-1 6-1-28
33					"	6-1 8-1-28
35					"	8-1 9-1-28
38					"	9-1 10-1-28
44					"	10-1 11-11-28
Relocation						
B-363	11-1-28	1500	50w	S-WALK, WHBW, WOO		11-11 1-31-29
B-363	1-28-29	1500	50	"		1-31 4-30-29
B-363	4-19-29				Voluntary assignment to The Penn B/C Co.	
B-363	4-24-29	1500	50w	S-WHWW		4-30 7-31-29
A-P-B-64	4-28-29	1500	100w	S-WHWW move		
					T & C, consolidate with WALK change call to WPEN	4-30 6-30-29
L-B-138	7-10-29	1500	100w	S-WHWW		7-10 7-31-29
					250w-L-Exp. basis	
G.O. 69					Extension of license	7-21 10-31-29
B-B-363	10-27-29	1500	100w-250w-LS	U		10-31 1-31-30
L-B-131	11-26-29				to change studio loc.	11-26 1-31-30
B-B-363	1-16-30	1500	100w-250w-LS	U		1-31 4-30-

Date First

Licensed.....12-17-26.....

Card No. 2

Call
Letters WPEN.....

Name of

Licensee: WM. PENN BROADCASTING CO.

7701 Brookhaven Road (BR 7-10-63)

77th St., and Brookhaven Road, Philadelphia, Penna. (Ltr. 8-27-48- st. name changed)

x Columbia Ave. & Race St., Philadelphia, Pa. (C.P.1-30-34)

Near Junction Township line road & Edmonds Ave., Philadelphia, Pa. (C.P.10-27-33)

Transmitter

Location:

x Ford Road and Midvale Ave., Philadelphia, Pa. (C.P.4-22-29)

#1 Bala Cynwyd Plaza, Bala Cynwyd, PA (Outside city limits) (ML-1-3-78)

X2212 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (Ltr. 3-28-50 Eff. 4-1-50)

x1528 Walnut St., Philadelphia, Penna. (L-11-2-40, eff.10-17-40).

. x22nd & Walnut Sts., Philadelphia, Pa. (C.P.1-30-34)

217 South Broad St., Philadelphia, Pa. (C.P.10-27-33)

Main Studio

Location:

x Radio Centre, S.E. Cor. 22nd and Walnut St.s, Philadelphia, Pa. let. 9-18-30

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WPEN Bldg., 217 South Broad St., Philadelphia, Pa.

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD		
					From	To	
R-B-363	4-9-30	1500	100w-250w-LS	U	4-30	7-31-30	
R-B-363	7-7-30	1500	"	"	7-31	10-31-30	
R-B-363	10-10-30	1500	100w-250w-LS	U	10-31	1-31-31	
G.O. 102	1-20-31	Extension of license			1-31	4-30-31	
R-B-363	4-21-31	1500	100w-250w-LS	U	4-30	1-1-32	
R-B-363	12-8-31	1500	100w-250w-LS	U	1-1	7-1-32	
2-P-B-2426	1-5-32	Install new transmitter			1-19	4-19-32	
2-L-B-779	2-5-32	1500	100, 250w-LS	(equip.) U	2-5	7-1-32	
2-R-B-363	5-10-32	1500	100w, 250w-LS	U	7-1	1-1-33	
2-R-B-363	12-9-32	1500	100w, 250w-LS	U	1-1	7-1-33	
2-R-B-363	6-9-33	1500	100w, 250w-LS	U	7-1	1-1-34	
-B-2510	10-27-33	920	250, 500w-LS	S-WRAX (C.P. issued jointly to stations WRAX & WPEI) and install new equip.		move station 11-27 2-27-34	
-R-B-363	12-22-33	1500	100w, 250w-LS	U(T)	1-1	7-1-34	
P-B-502	1-30-34	Move Tr & Studio & extend C & C dates			3-1	6-1-34	
-B-3127	3-12-34	Srect auxiliary trans. 250w			4-12	7-12-34	
P-B-541	5-29-34	Extend completion date of P-B-2510 as modified			3-1	8-1-34	
-S-B-363	6-29-34	Extension of license			7-1	8-1-34 *	
-363	8-7-34	Use Aux. Tr. authorized by P-B-3127 as the main tr.			7-22	8-10-34	
-L-22	10-10-34	920	250, 500w-LS	S-WRAX(T)	10-10	1-7-35	
-L-9	10-23-34	920	250, 500w-LS	S-WRAX(T)	10-23	1-7-35	
Auxiliary			250w		10-23	1-7-35	
-B-363	12-18-34	Extension of license			1-1	4-1-35	
-R-363	3-26-35	920	250, 500w-LS	S-WRAX	3-26	9-1-35	
-B-363	7-31-34	Extension of license			8-1	11-1-34	
-R-363	8-27-35	920	250, 500w-LS	S-WRAX	9-1	3-1-36	
2-L-206	9-10-35	920	250w, 500w-LS	S-WRAX	9-10	3-1-36	
Auxiliary			250w				
		Mod. License to use auxiliary transmitter					
B2-R-363	2-8-36	920	250w, 500w-LS	S-WRAX	3-1	9-1-36	
Auxiliary			250w		3-1	9-1-36	
B2-S-363	C.A. 8-29-36	Extension of license			9-1	10-1-36	
Auxiliary	"	"	"	Aux. "	9-1	10-1-36	
B2-R-363	9-29-36	920	250w*500w-LS	S-WRAX	9-29	3-1-37	
AUX.		directional antenna night 250w					
B2-R-363	2-23-37	920	250*500w-LS	S-WRAX	3-1	9-1-37	
AUX.			250w				
		directional antenna night					

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters W P E N

Card #3

Name of licensee WM. PENN BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

APPL. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME Div.	PERIOD	
					From	To
B2-S-363	7/6/37					Increase power to 1 kw/night in order to counteract interference caused by CMX, Havana, Cuba, WWJ, Detroit, Mich. & KPRC, Houston, Texas - 7/6 to 8/4/
B2-S-363	C.A. 8/4/37					Ext.incr.power to 1000w night in order to counteract interference caused by CMX, Havana, WWJ, Detroit, KPRC Houston, 8/5 to 3 a.m. EST 9/1
B2-R-363 Aux.	CAB-27-37	920	250w*500w-LS	WRAX	9-1	3-1-38 *Directional ^{250w} antenna night.
B2-S-363	C.A. 8/30/37					Ext.incr.power to 1000w night-to counteract interference caused by CMX, Havana, WWJ, Detroit, KPRC Houston 3 a.m. EST 9/1 to 9/30.
B2-S-363	9/28/37					Ext.incr. power to 1000w night-to counteract interference caused by CMX, Havana, WWJ, Detroit, KPRC, Houston from 10/1 to 10/30 ⁴ incl.
B2-S-363	C.A. 10/30/37					Ext.incr.power to 1000w night counteract interference caused by CMX, Havana, Cuba WWJ, Detroit, Mich, KPRC, Houston, Texas. 10/31 to 11/29.
B2-TC-72	9-21-37					Transfer of control from Clarence H. Eff.11-9-37 Taubel to Joan Iraci Eff.11-9-37
Letter	9-21-37	920	1kw*	U		Subject to
B2-ML-344	Eff.11-9-37					Rules 131,132,139.
B2-ML-362						*Install directional antenna day and N. Mod.Lic.to incr.power, Unlimited time (facilitie of Station WRAX).
B2-S-363	11/29/37					Ext.increase power to 1000w night to counteract interference CMX, WWJ, KPRC 11/30 to 12/29.
B2-S-363	12/27/37					Ext.increase power to 1000w night to counteract interference caused by CMX 12/30 to 1/29
B2-S-363	12/31/37					Opr.unltd.time 12/31 to 1/29 (prov. WRAX remains silent)

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

CARD #4

Date first licensed

Call letters W P E NName of licensee WM. PENN BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

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APPL. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME Div.	PERIOD	
					From	To
B2-S-363	1/26/38				Ext. incr. power to 1000w night to counteract interference by CMX, WWJ, KPRC, 1/30 to 2/28. Also opr. unlt. time 1/30 to 2/28 (prov. WRAX remains silent)	
B2-S-363	2/25/38				Ext. incr. power to 1000 w night-counteract interference by CMX, WWJ, KPRC- 3/1 to 3/31.	
B2-R-363 Aux.	2-26-38	920	250w*500w-LS 250w	WRAX	3-1	9-1-38
			*Directional antenna night			
B2-S-363	3/23/38				Ext. Opr. unlimited time 4/1/38 to 4/30/38 (prov. WRAX remains silent)	
B2-S-363	3/23/38				Ext. incr. power to 1000w night to counteract interf. by CMX, WWJ, KPRC, 4/1/38 to 4/30/38	
B2-S-363	4/14/38				Ext. incr. power to 1000w night to counteract interf. by CMX, WWJ, KPRC, 5/1/38 to 5/30/38.	
B2-S-363	4/14/38				Ext. Opr. unlt. time 5/1/38 to 5/30/38 (prov. WRAX remains silent).	
B2-ML-344) B2-ML-362) B2-ML-532) Aux.	5-11-38	920	1kw* & 1kw-LS 250w	U	5-11	9-1-38
			*Directional antenna night. Mod. of License to increase power and operate U time (Facilities of WRAX); install directional antenna for night use.			
B2-TC-138	6-22-38	Involuntary Transfer of Control to Mariannina C. Iraci (Adm. Estate of John Iraci).				
B2-R-363 Aux.	8-23-38	920	1kw* & 1kw-LS 250w	U	9-1	3-1-39
			*Directional antenna night			
B2-R-363 Aux.	2-20-39	920	1kw*& 1kw-LS 250w	U	3-1	9-1-39
			*Directional antenna night.			

Card #5 BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed _____

Call letters W P E NName of licensee WM. PENN BROADCASTING COMPANYTransmitter location See Card #1Main studio location See Card #1

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME DIV.	PERIOD		
					From	To	
B2-TC-158	8-8-39	Transfer of Control to					
	Eff. 8-9-39	ARDE BULOVA					
B2-R-363	8-28-39	920	1kw* & 1kw-LS	U	9-1	4-1-40	
		*Directional antenna night.					
B2-R-363	3-22-40	920	1kw* 1kw-LS	U	4-1	8-1-40	
Aux.		*Directional antenna night.					
B2-S-363	4-13-40	920	1kw* 1kw-LS	U	4-13	8-1-40	
Auxiliary		250w					
Mod.Lic.	to add sunrise						
Order	6/12/40	Extension of License			8/1	10/1/40	
		(Main and Auxiliary)					
C.P. 2658	10-23-40	920	1kw* 1kw-LS	U	10-23	6-23-41	
		C.P. install new Trans. Inct. (applying S.A.-night)					
Order	9-10-40	Extension of license			10-1	3-29-41	
		(Main and Auxiliary)					
B2-MP-1160	2-13-41	920	5kw* 5kw-LS	U	12-22	8-12-41	
		Mod.C.P.2658 for new T and extension Completion					
NARBA REALLOCATION period beginning 3-29-41							
Telegram	3-28-41	Operate reduced power on 950kc, 500w 1kw-LS, U, pending receipt and approval proof of performance.					
B2-R-363	4-3-41	950	1kw* 1kw-LS	U	4-3	4-1-42	
Aux.		250w			Aux.	*DA-N	4-3-41
Renewal granted 3-24-41 but proof of performance approved							
B2-MP-1322	4-24-41	950	5kw* 5kw-LS	U	12-22	10-21-41	
		Mod.C.P.2658 as mod. to specify NARBA frequency, changes in DA and extension completion date					
B2-L-1446	7-24-41	950	5kw* 5kw-LS	U	7-24	4-1-42	
B2-Z-1150		Lic. to cover C.P.2658 as mod. for increase in power changes in *DA for night use, new T. Determine operating power by direct method.					
B2-L-1470	9-11-41	950	5kw* 5kw-LS	U	9-11	4-1-42	
Aux.		1kw			*DA-N		
Lic. to use old T for auxiliary purposes							
B2-R-363	3-17-42	950	5kw* 5kw-LS	U	4-1	8-1-42	
Aux.		1kw			*DA-N		
B2-R-363	7-7-42	950	5kw* 5kw-LS	U	8-1	8-1-44	
Aux.		1kw			*DA-N		

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Card #6

Date first licensed

Call letters W P E N

Name of licensee

SEE: Card #1

Transmitter location

Main studio location

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

APPL. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME Div.	PERIOD	
					From—	To—
B2-S-363 Aux.	11-6-42	950	5kw*5kw-LS 1kw	U *DA-N	12-1	8-1-44
Mod. Lic. accordance Order 107						
B2-S-363	7-25-44	Extension of license Main & auxiliary			8-1	10-1-44
B2-S-363	9-26-44	Extension of license Main & auxiliary			10-1	12-1-44
B2-TC-391 Eff. 1-2-45	12-9-44	Transfer of control of licensee corporation from Arde Bulova to BULLETIN COMPANY				
B2-S-363	11-21-44	Extension of license Main & auxiliary			12-1	2-1-45
B2-S-363	1-25-45	Extension of license Main & auxiliary			2-1	4-1-45
B2-R-363 Aux.	2-13-45	950	5kw* 1kw	U *DA-N	2-13	5-1-47
B2-S-363 Aux.	9-25-45	950	5kw* 1kw	U *DA-N	10-1	5-1-47
Mod. Lic. Order 107-A						
BR-363 Aux.	4-17-47	950	5kw* 1kw	U *DA-N	5-1	5-1-50
BTC-557 Eff: 12-18-47	11-28-47	Voluntary transfer of control of license Corp. from Bulletin Company to Sun Ray Drug Co.				
BS-363	4-21-50	Extension of License Main and Auxiliary			5-1-	9-1-50
BR-363 Aux.	7-21-50	950	5kw*5kw-LS 1kw	U *DA-N	7-21	5-1-53
BR-363	4-15-53	Renewal of License Main and Auxiliary			5-1	8-1-54
BR-363 Aux.	7-14-54	950kc	5kw*5kw-LS 1kw	U *DA-N	8-1	8-1-57
BZ-3631	1-10-55	950kc	5kw, DA-N	U	1-10-55	8-1-57
Auth. determine operating power						
BZ-3639	1-21-55	950kc	1kw, DA-N	AUX	1-10-55	8-1-57
Auth. determine operating power						

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Card #7

Date first licensed

Call letters W.P.E.H......

Name of licensee WM. PENN. BROADCASTING COMPANY......

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BR-363	7-18-57	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Main - Auxiliary			8-1 8-1-60
BTC-3008 EFF: Consolidated Sun Ray, Inc.	1-28-59 2-2-59	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from Sun Ray Dr g Company to			
BR-363*	7-27-60	Renewal of License Main & Aux			8-1 8-1-63
BP-15500	6-6-62	950	5 kW DA-N U.		8-6 2-6-63 CP to install new transmitter (main)
BP-15788	12-14-62	950kc	5kw-DA-N U		2-14 8-14-63 CP to install old main trans. (WESTINGHOUSE 5HV) as alt. main at same location; to be operated on 950kc, 5kw, DA-N, U.
BL-9836	4-23-63	Lic. to cover CP (BP-15,500) which auth. instl. a new trans. MAIN			
BL-9837	4-23-63	950kc	5kw U, DA-N		4-23 8-1-63 Lic. to cover CP (BP-15,788) which auth. using old main trans. as an Alt. Main Trans.
BR-363	7-10-63	950kc	5kw-LS U DA-N		8-1 8-1-66 Renewal of Lic. Alt Main to 8-1-66 (Main & Alt. Main)
BS-363 (1)	7-12-65 (Memo)	Mod. of points	lic to redescribe & change Geographic Coordinates		monitoring
BR-363	7-29-66	950kc	5kw-DA-N U		8-1 8-1-69
			5kw-DA-N Alt, M		8-1 8-1-69
BTC-5695	3-21-69	Vol. TC			
BR-363(L)	7-31-69	RENEWAL	ALT MAIN & MAIN NDEA		8-1-72
BTC-6191	2-27-70	VOL. TC			
EBSA	5-25-72	+			
BRC-3143(1)	1-8-74	ML to operate trans. by RC (Main-Alt. M			
BRC-3683(1)	1-8-74	Superseding auth. to correct File No. and to add while using non-directional operation only.			
Ltr.	2-7-74	Chg. alt. trans. to Auxiliary.			

Letter 2-11-63 Cancelled Auxiliary trans. authorization

BC-126
February 1974

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters W.P.E.N.
PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA
Station location

Name of licensee Wm. Penn Broadcasting Co.

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From: To
BR-363(L)	10-16-74	RENEWAL (MAIN & AUXILIARY)			8-1-75
BAL-8052	10-16-74	VOL. AL	EFF:	1-6-75	
COMTEL	1-13-75	AUTH. TO	SUSPEND	Oper. of station to:	3-1-75
MAILGRAM	3-20-75	Trans. Gates MW-5 now installed Westinghouse 5-HV (aux.) has been removed			
BML-2660	1-3-78	ML to change SL/RC location (<u>outside corporate city limits</u>)			
BR-363	7-25-78	(L) REN. OF LIC. (MAIN & AUX. TRANS.)			8-1-81
BZ-9714(L)	10-31-78	Direct Measurement			8-1-81

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STATION APPLICATION RECORD

W PEN

APPLICANT: WM. PENN BROADCASTING COMPANY CALL LETTERS: WPEN

ADDRESS: 1335 Pine St., Philadelphia, Pa. FILE NO: 2-R-B-363 DATED: 2/10/29

Present Philadelphia School of Wireless Telegraphy

Assignment: 1500 Kc., 50 W., + WALK, WHEW, WOO ACTION: Lic. 4/30/29, 1500 Kc., 50 W., + WHEW, period 4/30/29 to 7/31/29

Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: WM. PENN BROADCASTING COMPANY CALL LETTERS: WPEN

ADDRESS: Ford Rd. & Midvale, Phila., Pa. FILE NO: 2-R-B-123 DATED: 6/26/29

Present Under C. P. 4/23/29

Assignment: 1500 Kc., 100 W., + WHEW ACTION: Mod. Lic. 7/10/29, 1500 Kc 100 W., 250 W. D. exp. period 7/10/29 to 7/31/29, Com. Action 7/9/29

Requested: _____

APPLICANT: WM. PENN BROADCASTING COMPANY CALL LETTERS: WPEN

ADDRESS: Woodside Park (Ford Rd. & Midvale Ave.) Philadelphia, Pa. FILE NO: 2-R-B-363 DATED: 7/20/29

Present _____

Assignment: 1500 kc. 100 w. night, 250 w. LS ACTION: G.O. 69 - 7/31/29 to 10/31/29

Requested: Renewal - granted for unlimited time Unlimited 209

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

#2.

APPLICANT: WM. PENN BROADCASTING COMPANY CALL LETTERS: WPEN

ADDRESS: Ford Rd. & Midvale Ave., Phila. Pa. FILE NO: 2-R-B-363 DATED 9/18/29

Present Assignment: 100 w. with addl. 150 w. LS Unlimited ACTION: See Card #/s

Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: WM. PENN BROADCASTING COMPANY CALL LETTERS: WPEN

ADDRESS: Ford Rd. & Midvale Ave., Phila. Penn. FILE NO: 2-M-B-402 DATED: 9/16/29

Present Assignment: 100 W. nite 1500 kc. 250 W. day Unlimited ACTION: Superseded by 2-P-B-929

Requested: 920 kc. 500 to 1000 W. Unlimited

APPLICANT: WM. PENN BROADCASTING COMPANY CALL LETTERS: WPEN

ADDRESS: Ford Rd. & Midvale Ave., Phila., Penn. FILE NO: 2-M-B-403 DATED: 9/16/29

Present Assignment: 100 W. nite 1500 kc. 250 W. day Unlimited ACTION: Superseded by 2-P-B-930

Requested: 1020 kc. 5 KW. to 10 KW., Unlimited

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APPLICANT: WILLIAM PENN BROADCASTING COMPANY

CALL LETTERS: WPEN

ADDRESS: Ford Road & Midvale Avenue, Philadelphia, Penn.

FILE NO: 2-P-B-929 DATED: 9/25/29

Present Assignment: 1500 kc. ¹⁰⁰ 250 W. ^{LS} UnlimitedWithdrawn and retired to files
as per letter of 11-26-30
ACTION:

Requested: 920 kc. 1K W. Filed in lieu of 2-M-B-402

APPLICANT: WILLIAM PENN BROADCASTING COMPANY

CALL LETTERS: WPEN

ADDRESS: Ford Road & Midvale Avenue, Philadelphia, Penn.

FILE NO: 2-P-B-930 DATED: 9/25/29

Present Assignment: 1500 kc. ^{100 W} 250 W. ^{LS} Unlimited
Filed in lieu of 2-M-B-403Dismissed at request of applicant.
ACTION: See FRC letter 4-7-30.

Requested: 1020 kc. 5 KW. From Composite To W.E.5-C equip.

APPLICANT: WILLIAM PENN BROADCASTING COMPANY

CALL LETTERS: WPEN

ADDRESS: Ford Rd. & Midvale Ave., Phila., Penn.
S. 11th & Market Sts., Phila. (Earle Theatre Bldg.)FILE NO: 2-M-B-431 DATED: 10-26-29
Approved 11/15/29 Issued 11/26/29
for removal of studio only.

Present Assignment: 1500 kc. 250 W. day experimentally Unlimited

ACTION:

Requested: Move studio to
WPEN Bldg., 217 So. Broad St., Phila., Penn.

#4.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: WM. PENN BROADCASTING COMPANY

CALL LETTERS: WPEN

ADDRESS: Ford Rd. & Midvale Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.

FILE NO: 2-R-B-363 DATED 9/18/29

Present 100 w.
Assignment: 1500 kc. 250wL.S. UnlimitedACTION: Lic. 10-25-29
1500 kc. 100 w. 250 w. L.S.
Unlimited Per. 10-31-29 to 1-31-30Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: SAME

CALL LETTERS: WPEN

ADDRESS: SAME

FILE NO: 2-R-B-363 DATED: 12-26-29

Present 250 w. - LS
Assignment: 1500 kc. 100 w. UnlimitedACTION: Renewal license 1-16-30.
Period 1-31 to 4-30-30.Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: Wm. Penn Broadcasting Co.

CALL LETTERS: WPEN

ADDRESS: Ford Rd. & Midvale Ave., Philadelphia, Penna.

FILE NO: 2-M-B-516 DATED: 2-18-30

Present 100 W.
Assignment: 1500 Kc. 250 LS UnlimitedWithdrawn and retired to files
per letter of 11-26-30
ACTION:Requested: 930 Kc. 250 to 500 Watts Same time.

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STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: **WM. PENN BROADCASTING COMPANY**CALL LETTERS: **WPEN**ADDRESS: **Ford Rd. & Midvale Ave., Philadelphia, Penna.**FILE NO: **2-R-B-363** DATED: **4/4/30**Present Assignment: **1500 Kc. 250 W. - LS 100 W. Unlimited.**Renewal Lic. **4-9-30**ACTION: **Per: 4-30 to 7-31-30**Requested: **Renewal.**APPLICANT: **Same**CALL LETTERS: **WPEN**ADDRESS: **Same**FILE NO: **2-R-B-363** DATED: **6-18-30**Present Assignment: **1500 Kc. 100 watts - Night 250 watts - LS, unlimited**Renewal License **7-7-30**ACTION: **Per: 7-31 to 10-31-30**Requested: **Renewal**

APPLICANT:

CALL LETTERS:

ADDRESS:

FILE NO: DATED:

Present Assignment:

ACTION:

Requested:

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STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT:

CALL LETTERS:

ADDRESS:

FILE NO:

DATED:

Present
Assignment:

ACTION:

Requested:

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call

Letters

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Name WM. PENN BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Date Received	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
2-R-B-363	9/25/30	Renewal of License	Granted	10-21-30
2-R-B-363	12-29-30	Renewal of license	G.O.103 Granted	1-20-31 4-24-31
2-R-B-363	10-28-31	Renewal of license	Granted	12-8-31
2-P-B-2426	12-14-31	Make changes in equipment.	Granted	1-5-32
2-L-B-779	1-14-32	License to cover 2-P-B-2426	Granted	2-5-32
2-P-B-2510	2-10-32	to use transmitter of WRAX (to be installed) see 2-P-B-2509, for WRAX, change frequency from 1500 kc. to 920 kc. increase power from 100w-250wLS to 250w-500wLS, change from unlimited time to sharing with WRAX.	Statement of Facts- Granted	10-27-33 (WRAX & WPEN to construct new trans. jointly)
2-R-B-363	4-28-32	Renewal of license	Granted	6-10-32
2-R-B-363	10-28-32	Renewal of license	Granted	12-9-32

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Letters W P E NName Wm. Penn Broadcasting Company

File No.	Dated Receipt	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
2-R-B-363	4-28-33	Renewal of license	Granted	6-9-33
2-RB-363	10-31-33	Renewal of License (T)	Granted	12-22-33
2-MP-B-502	1-6-34	Modification of Construction Permit to change transmitter and studio locations (locally) (Filed in conjunction with appli. by WRAX) Also request for extension of time - construction to be commenced within 30 days of granting thereof and to be completed 90 days thereafter.	Granted (3-1 to	1-30-34 6-1-34)
2-P-B-3127	1-24-34	Construction Permit for auxiliary transmitter. to be operated with 250 watts	Granted	3-12-34
2-R-B-363	4-27-34	Renewal of License	Granted	3-26-35
2-MP-B-541	5-3-34	Modification of C.P. to extend completion date of 2-P-B-2509 as modified to 8-1-34. (Similar application filed by WRAX)	Granted	5-29-34

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSIONName Wm. Penn Broadcasting Co.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-L-9	7-24-34	License to cover 2-P-B-3127 for auxiliary trans. to operate on 920 kc, 250w., granted 3-12-34.	Granted on temp. basis to 1-7-35	Min. 10-23-34
B2-L-22	8-9-34	License to cover 2-P-B-2510 as modified, (Move of transmitter and studio, locally, freq. 920 kc power 250w-night, 500w-LS, new transmitter) Application filed in the name of Wm. Penn Broadcasting Co., and WRAX Broadcasting Company.	Granted on temp. basis for 90 days	Min. 10-10-34
B2-R-363	6-29-35	Renewal of license for main trans. Sec.20 & " " " " aux. trans. 26(a)	Rev'd	2-11-35
Resubmitted	"	" " " " main Trans	Granted	8-27-35

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Name WM. PENN BROADCASTING CO.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-L-206	8-6-35	License for auxiliary transmitter to operate on 920 kilocycles, 250 watts power. Same transmitter formerly licensed as auxiliary, which expired 1-7-35.	Granted	9-10-35
E2-ML-261 Resubmitted	11-9-35 12-12-35	Modification of license to increase power from 250w, 500w-LS to 1kw day and night, using directional antenna at night	Returned Request of attorney - ORDER of Dismissal Request of Applicant Min.	12-3-35 4-7-36
B2-R-363 "	12-31-35 "	Renewal of License (Main Trans.) " " " (Aux. Trans.)	Granted	2-8-36
B2-R-363 "	6-20-36 "	Renewal of license " " " for Auxiliary Trans.	Granted	9-29-36

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FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B2-ML-344	8-20-36	Modification of license to increase operating power from 250w night (directional antenna) and 500w-LS to 1kw day and night, using-directional-antenna-at-night.	Ex. Rept. I-440 Dock. 4498 GRANTED Min. 9-21-37 Eff. 11-2-37. CA 11-2-37 the eff. date ext. to 11-9-37 Subj. R. 131, 132, 139. Letter written. Issued 5-11-38	
Amended	1-13-37	To use directional antenna day and night.		
B2-ML-362	9-29-36	Modification of license to change hours of operation from shares with WRAX to unlimited time. Requesting all facilities now assigned to WRAX	Dock. 4358 GRANTED 9-21-37 Eff. 11-2-37 CA 11-2-37 eff. date ext. to 11-9-37 Subj. R. 131, 132, 139. Letter written. Issued	
B2-TC-72	9-29-36	Authority to transfer control of corp. from Clarence H. Taubel To John Iraci, 450 shares of common stock.	Dock. 4360 GRANTED 9-21-37 Eff. 11-2-37 CA 11-2-37 eff. date ext. to 11-9-37.	5-11-38
B2-R-363	12-30-36	Renewal of license	Granted	2-23-37
"	"	"	Granted	2-23-37
"	"	Aux. Trans.		

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FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B2-R-363 "	6-29-37 "	Renewal of license " " " AUX	Granted "	C.A. 8-27-37 C.A. 8-27-37
B2-R-363 "	12-30-37 "	Renewal of license " " " Aux. Trans.	Granted "	2-26-38 "
B2-TC-138	12-28-37	Involuntary transfer of control of corporation from John Iraci (deceased) to Mariannina C. Iraci (Administratrix of Estate of John Iraci), 675 shares common, 825 shares preferred stock.	Granted	6-22-38

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Letters WPENName WM. PENN BROADCASTING CO.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-ML-532	12-30-37	Modification of license to eliminate directional antenna for daytime operation.	Returned	1-25-38
Resubmitted	1-29-38		Bay-power	Granted
B2-R-363	6-27-38	Renewal of license Sec. 5, 10 7(d)	Both	7-19-38
"	"	" " " Aux. Trans.	returned	8-23-38
Resubmitted	"	" " " " "	Granted	"
"	"	" " " " "	"	"
B2-TC-158	7-11-38	Authority to transfer control of corporation from Mariannina C. Iraci, administratrix estate of John Iraci, Deceased, to Arde Bulova, 300 shares common stock	Docket 5398 B-21 GRANTED	Min. 8-8-39 Eff. 8-9-39

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FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B2-R-363 "	12-24-38 "	Renewal of license " " " Aux. Trans.	Granted "	2-20-39 "
B2-R-363 " Resubmitted " "	6-28-39 " 7-26-39 " "	Renewal of license (Sec. 7d, 17a, 17h, 20f) " " " Aux. Trans. (7d, 20f) Renewal of license (17h) " " " Aux. Trans.	Returned " Returned Granted "	7-19-39 " 8-1-39 8-28-39 "
B2-P-2658	12-5-39	C.P. to install new transmitter, increase power from 1kw to 5kw, using DA-Night.	GRANTED	10-22-40

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-R-363 "	1-25-40 "	Renewal of license " " " Aux. Trans.	Granted "	3-22-40 "
B2-R-363 "	5/27/40 "	Renewal of license " " " Aux. Trans.	Main & Aux. Granted 3-24-41 for reduced power subject to receipt and approval of license issued 4-3-41 for 950 kc. lkw, U, DA-N	
B2-MP-1160 Rec'd	1-6-41 1-15-41	Mod of C.P.(B2-P-2658) for authority to install new transmitter. Extend completion date 180 days after grant.	Granted	2-13-41
B2-MP-1222 received filed	2-24-41 3-6-41 3-6-41	Mod of C.P.(B2-P-2658) as modified, to make changes in D.A. and request 950 kc under NARBA. Extend Completion date from 8-12-41 to 180 days after grant.	Granted	4-24-41

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-L-1446 received	6-14-41 6-14-41	License to cover C.P.(B2-P-2658) as modified, for new transmitter, increase in power, and chgs in D.A. for night use. Form 335 filed 6-14-41.	Granted	7-24-41
B2-L-1150 received	6-14-41 6-14-41	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	Granted	7-24-41
B2-L-1470 received	7-23-41 7-28-41	License to use old RCA 1-B transmitter as an auxiliary transmitter, with power of 1kw, for emergency use only. form 335 filed. Application filed by ED Johnston.	Granted	9-11-41
B2-R-363	1-29-42	Renewal of license main " " " aux 335's filed filed by E.D. Johnston	Granted "	3-17-42 "

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-363	3-3-47	Renewal of License (Main Transmitter)	Granted	4-17-47
Rec'd	3-3-47	Renewal of License (Auziliary Transmitter) (Filed by Atty. Walker)	"	"
BTC-557	6-25-47	Voluntary Transfer of Control of licensee	GRANTED	11-28-47
Rec'd	6-27-47	Corporation from Bulletin Company to Sun	Eff: 12-18-47	
Filed	6-27-47	Ray Drug Co. (500 Shares - 100%). Contingent upon the grant of BTC-556 Krieger & Jorgensin atty. for station per Ltr. 2-7-50		

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-363 Rec'd	2-20-50 3-1-50	Renewal of license (Main) Filed by Seymour Krieger Atty.	Granted	7-21-50
BR-363 Rec'd	3-10-50 3-13-50	Renewal of license (Aux.) Filed by Seymour Krieger atty.	"	"
BR-363 Rec'd Filed	1-23-53 2-2-53 2-2-53	Renewal of License (Main and Auxiliary) Filed by Seymour Krieger, Atty.	GRANTED	4-15-53
BR-363 Rec'd Filed	4-23-54 4-27-54 4-27-54	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) Filed by Seymour Krieger, Atty.	GRANTED	7-14-54
BZ-3631 Rec'd Filed	11-10-54 11-19-54 11-19-54	Authority* to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. Seymour Krieger, Atty.	GRANTED	1-10-55
BZ-3639 Rec'd Filed	12-28-54 1-3-55 1-3-55	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power (Auxiliary) Seymour Krieger, Atty.	GRANTED	1-21-55

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From Sun Ray to
~~Penac~~ Industries Corporation
10/23/64

Parent name
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FORM BC-121

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FORMERLY FORM A-170

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PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-363 Rec'd Filed	4-23-57 4-29-57 4-29-57	Renewal of license (Main and Auxiliary) Seymour Krieger, Atty.	GRANTED	7-13-57
BTC-3008 Rec'd. Filed	12-30-58 1-5-59 1-5-59	Voluntary transfer of control of license corporation from Sun Ray Drug Company to Consolidated Sun Ray, Inc. Seymour Krieger, Atty.	GRANTED EPF:	1-28-59 2-2-59
BR-363 Rec'd Filed	5-12-60 5-16-60 5-16-60	Renewal of License. (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Seymour Krieger, Atty.	GRANTED	7-27-60
BP-15,500 R.&F.	4-30-62 5-2-62	CP to install a new transmitter (RCA BTA-5T). Krieger & Jorgensen, Attys.	GRANTED:	6-6-62

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Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-15,788 R. & F.	11-13-62 11-19-62	CP to install old main trans. (Westingh use 5HV) as alt. main at same location; to be operated on 950kc, 5kw- DA-N U. Attys: Krieger & Jorgensen	GRANTED	12-14-62
BL-9836 R. & F.	11-13-62 11-19-62	Lic to cover CP(BP-15,500) which auth install new transmitter. Atty- Krieger & Jorgensen	GRANTED	4-23-62
BL-9837 R. & F.	1-3-63 1-7-63	Lic to cover CP(BP-15,788) which auth using old main trans as an Alt. Main. Atty-Krieger & Jorgensen	GRANTED	4-23-62
BR-363 R & F	4-15-63	Renewal of license (Main)	GRANTED	7-10-63
BR-363 R & F	4-23-63 5-2-63 5-8-63	Atty. Norman E. Jorgensen Renewal of license (Alt. Main) Atty. Norman E. Jorgensen	GRANTED	7-10-63
BR-363 R & F	4-19-66 4-19-66	Renewal of License (Main & Alt. Main) Atty. Norman E. Jorgensen	GRANTED	7-29-66

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Name WM. PENN BROADCASTING COMPANY
PHILADELPHIA, PENNA.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
PTC-5695	3-7-68	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp.	GRANTED	2-21-69
Rec'd FPC 7/10/68	3-8-68	from Penrose Industries Corporation to	EFF:	7-1-69
Part III	7-29-68	Penrose Industries Field Broadcasting Company		
R&F	7-31-68			
SEE PD:\$75 - #448370		Atty for transferor - N.E. Jorgensen		
(AUG 12 1968)		SEE OVER FOR AMENDMENTS for transferee - Marcus Cohn		
Pub. Notice filed 9-6-68		JOINT PETITION FOR WAIVER with respect to Interim policy - re DOCKET 18110		
		PETITION TO DENY FILED by transferors 9-11-68 comparative hearing requested		
		PETITION TO DENY FILED 9-11-68 by Philip Klein, Thacher Longstreth and Michael von		
		OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY FILED 11-4-68 by Marcus Cohn on behalf of ^{transfer} ees/Moschzisker		
		Request for ext. of time to reply to opposition filed 11-8-68 by Kreiger & Jorgensen		
		Reply to Opposition for req. for ext. of time filed 11-14-68 by Kreiger & Jorgensen		
		Ltr filed 11-19-68 by Stroock & Stroock & Lavan, attys to deny req. for ext. of time, or in alternative, shorten time		
		REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO Petition to Deny - Filed 12-16-68 by Messrs, Klein, Longstreth etc		
		REPLY TO OPPOSITION filed 12-16-68 by Krieger & Jorgensen on behalf of licensee & transferor		
		LTR FILED by Marcus Cohn 12-26-68 - continue process application		
		PETITION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AND SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO DENY Filed 1-7-69 (transferor)		

RE: BTC-5695 - financial data & re staff (transferee)
filed 11-4-68

Court Orders(2) filed 12-16-68 (licensee)

AMENDED 1-13-69 - to reflect current B/C int (transferee)

LTR FROM ATTY Schwartz filed 1-16-69 req. add'l time
to file pleading re above amend.

PETITION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AND SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO

DENY filed 1-29-69 by Schwartz (esq) on behalf of Penrose

AMENDED 2-5-69 to reflect pending TC-5871 (WAYL(fm) transfer

Court Order (Civil Action) filed 2-5-69 by Jorgensen on be-
half of licensee

AMENDED 2-6-69 to reflect pending AL & ALH for WWOM (AM&FM)
(transferee)

OPPOSITION OF FIELD B/C CO. TO SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO

DENY FILED ~~1-29-69~~ 2-11-69 by Cohn & Marks

REPLY TO "OPPOSITION" (2-11-69) filed 2-19-69 by atty Jorge
sen on behalf of Penrose

AMENDED 2-11-69 - financial data (transferee) (reply to lt
2-4-69)

PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION OF GRANT - filed 4-25-69

by Kreiger & Jorgensen on behalf of lic. & transferors

MOTION FOR STAY filed 4-25-69 by Kreiger & Jorgensen on
behalf of lic. & transferors

OPPOSITION OF OLD COLONY TRUST COMPANY, ET AL TO MOTION

FOR STAY filed 5-2-69 by James Heller on behalf of Old
Colony.

OPPOSITION OF FIELD BROADCASTING COMPANY TO MOTION FOR

STAY filed 5-2-69 by Neustadt on behalf of Field

Broadcasting Company.

OPPOSITION TO MOTIONS TO STRIKE AND REPLY TO OPPOSITIONS
TO PETITIONERS' SUPPLEMENT TO THEIR PETITION TO PREVENT

CONTINUED VIOLATION OF COMMISSIONS EQUAL EMPLOYMENT

OPPORTUNITIES RULES filed 6-12-74 by Janet C. Whitaker
et al, Petitioners

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Letters W P E NName WM. PENN BROADCASTING COMPANY
PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-363 R & F #516603 \$105 Amendment PRESS JUN 4 1969	5-16-69 5-22-69 5-22-69 5-27-69	Renewal of license (Main & Alt.-Main) Atty-Krieger & Jorgensen Sect. IV-A, page 5 AMENDED 7-3-69 to reflect transfer of control	GRANTED	7-31-69
BTC-6191 R & F FEE PD: \$30 (Form 316) FEB 25 1970	2-23-70 2-24-70 -#579568 also see FM	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Field Broadcasting Company to Martin W. Field Atty - Cohn & Marks	GRANTED	2-27-70
BR-363 R & F P.N. PRESS JUN 6 1972 MOTION FOR EXTENSION	4-20-72 5-3-72 5-3-72	Renewal of License (Main & Alt.-Main) now Aux. 8-1-72 Atty: Stanley S. Neustadt PETITION TO PREVENT CONTINUED VIOLATION OF COMMISSION'S EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES RULES Filed 7-3-72 by Communications Coalition; Congress of African People & Black Affairs Council OFTIME TO REPLY filed 7-26-72 by Coalition (over)	GRANTED	10-16-74

BR-363 OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO PREVENT CONTINUED VIOLATION OF COMMISSION'S EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES RULES filed 8-1-72 by Stanley S. Neustadt, Counsel for Wm. Penn Broadcasting Company

AMENDED 8-22-72 re: ascertainment of community needs; programming

SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO PREVENT CONTINUED VIOLATION OF COMMISSION'S EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES RULES filed 5-21-74 by Petitioners

SUPPLEMENT TO OPPOSITION TO MOTIONS TO STRIKE AND REPLY TO OPPOSITIONS TO PETITIONERS' SUPPLEMENT TO THEIR PETITION TO PREVENT CONTINUED VIOLATION OF COMMISSIONS EEO RULES filed 6-25-74 by Petitioners

PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 11-13-74 by Petitioner Janet C. Whitaker, et al

OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 11-27-74 by Stanley S. Neustadt, counsel for Wm. Penn Broadcasting Company

MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER 6-27-75 Petitions for reconsideration filed by Concerned Communicators and Janet C. Whitaker et al., DENIED

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters W P E N

GREATER PHILADELPHIA RADIO, INC.

Name x WM. PENN BROADCASTING COMPANY
Philadelphia, Penna.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-8052 R & F FEE PD: \$1000 #262353 CODE 047 (ALSO SEE FM)	12-17-73 12-19-73	Voluntary assignment of license to GREATER PHILADELPHIA RADIO, INC. (SEE OVER) Atty for assignor - Cohn & Marks for assignee - Schwartz & Woods	GRANTED GRANT FEE: \$86,000.00 (Includes FM) EFF: 1-6-75 (OVER) Fee Pd. 1-10-75, 063, W 380665	10-16-74
Pub. notice BRC-3683 R & F \$50-252983 AC-056 JAN 1974	JAN 10 1974 Filed 1-24-74 11-14-73 11-16-73 11-16-73	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 2212 Walnut St., Phila- delphia, Pa. (Main & Alt. M.) (non-DA) Atty: Roy R. Russo	GRANTED	1-8-74
BRC-3758 R & F \$50-390283 AC-056 FEB 18 1975	2-5-75 2-7-75 2-7-75 3-31-78	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 2212 Walnut St., Philadelphia, Pa, while using directional antenna. Amend 4-23-75 re: Field intensity measurements Add'l. measurement data.	GRANTED from location auth. in BML-2660 ISSUED WITH BZ-9714	8-24-78
AMEND. R&F				

RE: BAL-8052 CONSENT MOTION FOR EXT. OF TIME TO FILE
FORMAL COMMENTS & PLEADINGS filed 2-12-74 by Citizens
Communications Center (CCC) (Atty Firestone)
CONSENT MOTION FOR FURTHER EXT. OF TIME filed 2-26-74
PETITION TO DENY & INTERVENE filed 3-27-74 by Concerned
Communicators
OPPOSITION TO PET. TO DENY & INTERVENE filed 4-9-74 by
Attys Schwartz & Woods on behalf of assignee
OPPOSITION TO PET TO DENY & INTERVENE FILED 4-9-74 by
Cohn & Marks on behalf of licensee
PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION FILED 11-26-74 by Concerned
Communicators
OPPOSITION TO PET FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 11-27-74 by
Cohn & Marks on behalf of Wm. Penn B/C
OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 12-3-74
by counsel for assignee

PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION OF Order denying request for
refund of grant fee BAL-8052 filed 4-4-75 by Schwartz &
Woods

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters W P E N

Name GREATER PHILADELPHIA RADIO, INC.
PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-363 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	3-28-75 4-1-75 " MAY 21 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX. TRANS.) L.Schwartz, Atty. (Schwartz & Woods) AMENDED 1-16-76 re: prog. SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION filed 4-3-78 as an amendment to pending renewal application. (Main & Aux.)	GRANTED	7-25-78 APR 13 1976 Louis Schwartz, Atty.
BML-2660 R & F DEC 9	9-30-77 10-26-77 1977	Modification of license to change studio loc. and RC to #1 Bala Cynwyd Plaza, Bala Cynwyd, Pennsylvania. (outside corp. city limits) Req. Waiver of Sec. 73.30 of the Comm. rules Atty: <u>Louis Schwartz</u>	GRANTED	1-3-78

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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.

