

WSIX



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Letters WSIX

x LOUIS R. DRAUGHON, INDIVIDUALLY, AND LOUIS R. DRAUGHON, TRUSTEE  
FOR JACQUELYN DRAUGHON, D/B AS WSIX BROADCASTING STATION (AL 9-9-53 EFF: 9-15-53)

LOUIS R. DRAUGHON and LOUIS R. DRAUGHON, EXECUTOR OF THE ESTATE OF  
JACK M. DRAUGHON, DECEASED, d/b as WSIX BROADCASTING STATION (AL 10-18-51, EFF. 10-18-51)

x JACK M. DRAUGHON and LOUIS R. DRAUGHON d/b as WSIX BROADCASTING STATION (AL 8-1-44  
EFF. 8-26-44)

Name of

Licensee.

x W S I X, INCORPORATED (Vol. Assign. Lic. 6-8-37)  
x Jack M. Draughon & Louis R. Draughon D/B as 638 Tire & Vulcanizing Company

1940 Neelys Bend, Road, Nashville Davidson, Tennessee (BL-13,733)

x Western side Neelys Bend Rd., 3700 feet South of Penness Lane, Nashville, Tenn. (EP 3-9-7)

x McGavock Pike, 5 1/2 miles N.E. of Nashville, Tennessee (CP & MP 10-21-41) Lic. 7-8-42

x N.E. Corner Boscobel & 3rd Sts., Nashville, Tennessee (MP 4-24-36) Lic. 10-7-36

x Nashville, Tennessee (Exact site to be determined) C.P. 10-11-35

Transmitter x 115 Public Square, Springfield, Tenn.

Location:

37210 441 Murfreesboro Road, Nashville, Tennessee (BS. 9-23-61) (Eff: 12-17-61).

x 441 Murfreesboro Rd., near Nashville, Tennessee (BML 5-10-61)

x 1402 Nashville Trust Building, Nashville, Tennessee (Tel-2-10-39)

x Andrew Jackson Hotel, Cor. 6th Ave. & Deadrick St., Nashville, Tenn. (C.P. 10-11-35)

x 115 Public Square, Springfield, Tenn. Lic. 10-7-36

Main Studio

Location:

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

ds

App. No.   
 3060

Fourth Radio District:

## BUREAU OF NAVIGATION RECORD-Dept. of Commerce

Telegram	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD From	To
	1-6-27					
	1-6-27	1199	Not stated	U.	1-6	4-5-27
		Power indicated	150 w.	on appl.		

Third Zone.

## FEDERAL RADIO COMMISSION RECORD

R-B-484TP	4-15-27	1200	150	U.		Not stated.
R-B-484	6-1-27	1410	150	U.	6-1	7-31-27
G.C.13	Defers eff. date of previous license				6-15	8-14-27
Letter	8-8-27	Extension of license			8-15	10-14-27
G.O.18	Extension of License				10-15	10-31-27
R-B-484	10-24-27	Letter of Extension			10-31	12-31-27
R-B----	11-16-27	1200	150	S-WREC	12-1	12-31-27
G.O.21	Extension of License				12-31	1-31-28
G.O.22	"	"	"		2-1	3-1-28
G.O.23	"	"	"		3-1	4-1-28
G.O.25	"	"	"		4-1	5-1-28
G.O.27	"	"	"		5-1	6-1-28
G.O.33	"	"	"		6-1	8-1-28
G.O.35	"	"	"		8-1	9-1-28
G.O.38	"	"	"		9-1	10-1-28
G.O.44	"	"	"		10-1	11-11-28
R-B-484	11-1-28	1210	100	U.	11-11	1-31-29
Relocation						
4	1-15-29	1210	100	U.	1-31	4-30-29
4	4-18-29	1210	100	U.	4-30	7-31-29
34	6-20-29	G.O.69	Extension of Lic.		7-31	10-31-29
84	10-5-29	1210	100	U.	10-31	1-31-30
484	1-18-30	1210	100	U.	1-31	4-30-30
Telegram	4-30-30	Auth. cont. opr. pend. ret. ren. appl. for 2 weeks.			4-30	5-14-30
R-B-484	5-6-30	1210	100	U.	4-30	7-31-30
R-B-484	7-7-30	1210	100	U.	7-31	10-31-30
B-484	10-10-30	1210	100	U.	10-31	1-31-31
.103	1-20-31	Extension of License			1-31	4-30-31
484	4-21-31	1210	100	U.	4-30	12-1-31
4	11-20-31	1210	100	U. (H)	12-1	6-1-32
	3-18-32	1210	100	U.	3-18	6-1-32

Card No. 2.

Date First

Licensed.....

Call  
Letters WSIX

y GENERAL ELECTRIC BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. (AL 4-6-66:EFF: 5-19-66)

x W S I X, INC. (AL 9-1-54, Eff. 9-15-54)

x JACK M. DRAUGHON AND LOUIS R. DRAUGHON d/b as WSIX BROADCASTING STATION

Name of x W S I X, INCORPORATED (Vol.Assign.Lic.6-8-37)

Licensee x Jack M. Draughon &amp; Louis R. Draughon d/b as 638 Tire &amp; Vulcanizing Co.

Transmitter

Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Main Studio

Location: \_\_\_\_\_

FRC-65

Third Zone.

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD	
					From	To
R-B-484	5-24-32	1210	100	U. (T)	6-1	6-22-32
F-B-247	6-7-32	Install	automatic	freq. control.		
R-B-484	6-21-32	1210	100	U.	6-21	12-1-32
R-B-484	11-11-32	1210	100	U.	12-1	6-1-33
R-B-484	5-26-33	1210	100	U	6-1	12-1-33
S-B-484	6-13-33	Partial	suspension	on 151	6-13	11-1-33
S-B-484	6-30-33	Cng. S.H.	granted	6-13-33	6-30	11-1-33
R-B-484	11-24-33	1210	100	U	12-1	6-1-34
R-B-484	5-15-34	1210	100	U	6-1	12-1-34
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION						
B3-R-484	11-13-34	1210	100	U	12-1	6-1-35
B3-R-484	5-21-35	1210	100	U	6-1	12-1-35
B3-P-227	10-22-35	Move trans. & studio			12-11	6-11-36
	C.A. 10-11-35					
B3-r-484	11-12-35	1210	100	U	12-1	6-1-36
B3-S-484	11-26-35	Use 100w trans.	1210 kc	low to 6am		
e.a. 11-22-35.		vicinity Nashville, Tenn.			11-26	12-25-35
B3-MP-289	4-24-36	Appr. trans. site & ext.				
		C. & C. dates of CP-227			4-26	8-4-36
B3-R-484	5-5-36	1210	100w	U	6-1	12-1-36
B3-MP-348	7-22-36	Ext. completion date of P-227 as modified			4-26	11-1-36
B3-L-388	10-7-36	1210	100w	U	10-7	12-1-36
	Lic. to cover C.P. to move trans. & Studio					install new antenna
B3-R-484	11-17-36	1210	100w	U	12-1	6-1-37
B3-R-484	5-11-37	1210	100w	U	6-1	12-1-37
B3-AL-137	6-8-37	Vol. Assignment of License to WSIX, INC.				
B3-P-1903	9-7-37	1210	100w, 250w-LS	U	11-7	5-7-38
	Install new equipment and incr. power.					
B3-R-484	C.A. 11-22-37	1210	100w	U	12-1	6-1-38
B3-L-713	12-3-37	1210	100w, 250w-LS	U	12-3	6-1-38
	Lic. to cover C.P. for new trans. & incr. power					
B3-R-484	5-11-38	1210	100, 250w-LS	U	6-1	12-1-38
B3-R-484	11-15-38	1210	100, 250w-LS	U	12-1	6-1-39
B3-R-484	5-23-39	1210	100, 250w-LS	U	6-1	12-1-39

## Card #3 BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters **W S I X** .....KATZ BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF NASHVILLE (AL 4-28-80 EFF: **etc.**Name of licensee **JACK M. DRAUGHON AND LOUIS R. DRAUGHON d/b as WSIX BROADCASTING STATION**  
**x W S I X, INCORPORATED** , EFF: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
B3-ML-715	9-6-39	1210	250w	U	9-6	12-1-39
Mod. License to incr. night power						
B3-R-484	11-27-39	1210	250w	U	12-1	10-1-40
B3-S-484	2/20/40	1210	250w	U	3/1	8/1/40
Order	6/12/40	Extension of License			8/1	10/1/40
B3-Z-470	9-13-40	1210	250w	U	9-13	3-29-41
Mod of lic. for direct measurement.						
Order	9-10-40	Extension of license			10-1	3-29-41
NABBA REALLOCATION						
B3-R-484	3-24-41	1240	250w	U	3-29	10-1-41
B3-P-3053	3-11-41	980 kc	1kw*5kw-LS	U		
LETTER. C.P. new trans.*D.A. night use, increase in power, change in frequency. LETTER WRITTEN						
B3-R-484	9-30-41	1240	250w	U	10-1	10-1-42
B3-P-3053	10-21-41	980	5kw*5kw-LS	U	12-21	6-21-42
B3-MP-1364						
CP install new trans and DA for night use, increase power, change freq., and move trans.; also mod. CP approval site.						
B3-MP-1526	3-10-42	Mod. CP 3053 as mod., for changes in DA system (Cond'l Clause)			12-21	6-21-42
B3-L-1670	7-8-42	980	5kw*5kw-LS	U	7-8	8-1-44
B3-Z-1415						
Lic. cover CP 3053 as mod., for new trans. and DA for night use, incr. power, change freq., and move T; also direct measurement of antenna power						
B3-S-484	11-6-42	980	5kw*5kw-LS	U	12-1	8-1-44
*DA-N (Cond'l Clause) Mod. Lic. accordance Order 107						
B3-R-484	7-25-44	980	5kw*5kw-LS	U	8-1	5-1-47
*DA-N						
B3-AL-424	8-1-44	Voluntary assignment of license to Jack M. Draughon & Louis R. Draughon d/b as WSIX Broadcasting Station.				
Eff. 8-26-44						
B3-S-484	9-25-45	980	5kw*	U	10-1	5-1-47
*DA-N Mod. Lic. Order 107-A						

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# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Date first licensed .....

Call letters W S I X

Name of licensee x JACK M. DRAUGHON AND LOUIS R. DRAUGHON d/b as WSIX BROADCASTING STATION  
x W S I X, INCORPORATED

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time		Period		
				Div.		From	To	
BR-484	4-23-47	980	5kw*5kw *DA-N	LS	U	5-1	5-1-50	
BR-484	4-21-50	980	5kw*5kw *DA-N	LS	U	5-1	5-1-53	
BAL-1269 Eff.	10-18-51 10-18-51	Invol. assignment of license to LOUIS R. DRAUGHON and LOUIS R. DRAUGHON, Executor of the Estate of JACK N. DRAUGHON, Deceased, d/b as WSIX BROADCASTING COMPANY						
BR-484	4-15-53	980	5kw*5kw DA-N	LS	U	5-1	8-1-55	
BAL-1590 EFF:	9-9-53 9-15-53	Vol. assignment of license to Louis R. Draughon, individually & Louis R. Draughon Trustee for Jacquelyn Draughon, d/b as WSIX Broadcasting Station.						
BAL-1834 Eff.	9-1-54 9-15-54	Vol. assignment of license to WSIX, Inc.						
BR-484	7-20-55	980	5kw-LS 5kw-DA-N		U	8-1	8-1-58	
BTC-2330 EFF:	10-10-56 10-11-56	Vol. acquisition of positive control by Louis R. Draughon through the purchase of stock from W. H. Criswell.						
BR-484	7-9-58	Renewal of license					8-1	8-1-61
BML-1942 (1)	5-10-61	Mod. of license to change studio loc. to 441 Murfreesboro Rd., near Nashville, Tenn. (waiver 3.30(a) waiver to end when current annexation plan if final.						
	7-26-61	Comm. deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.						
BS-484 #2.	9-28-61	Mod. license to change main studio loc. (redescription)						
BR-484	7-31-61	RENEWAL OF LICENSE					8-1	8-1-64
BR-484	7-10-64	980kc.	5kw-DA-N	LS-U		8-1	8-1-67	

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# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Call letters WSIX

Station location .....

Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BAL-5631 EFF:	4-6-66 5-19-66	Voluntary assignment of license to GENERAL ELECTRIC BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.			
BTC-4959	4-6-66	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from Louis R. Draughon, Individ- ually and as trustee for Jacquelyn D. Guthrie; George J. Hearn, Jr. and John D. Sprouse to General Electric Broad- casting Company, Inc.			
BRC-2884	6-21-66	980kc	5kw-DA-N	U	6-21 8-1-67
Mod. of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 441 Murfreesboro Rd., Nashville, Tennessee, while using non- directional antenna.					
Wire dated & rec'd 2-28-66 giving notification per Sect. 73.48(a)(5) Rules that a Collins 820E-1 trans. is now in- stalled & in oper.					
BL-11,346	8-2-66	980kc	5kw-DA-N	Alt.M.	8-2 8-1-67
Lic to use old main trans (COLLINS 21A) at main trans loc to be operated on 980kc 5kw-DA-N LS-U as an Alt. Main.					
BZ-6062	8-2-66	980kc	5kw-DA-N	U	8-2 8-1-67
Authority to determine operating power (MAIN) by direct measurement of antenna power					
Ltr.	1-12-66	Correct cond. re field meas. equip.			
BR-484	7-18-67	Renewal of license			8-1 8-1-70
NDEA, MAIN & ALT. MAIN					
BRC-3106	8-2-67	(Add RC night DA Main Tr)			8-2 8-1-70
BS-484 (1)	3-19-68	980kc	5kw-DA-N	(Main)	
Mod. of license to change studio loc. and remote control point to 1406 (Main) Old Hickory Blvd., Nashville, Tenn.					
BS-484 (1)	3-19-68	Superseding auth. to delete change of studio location (Main).			
BZ-7097(2)	2-11-69	Direct Meas. (Main)			
BZ-7183(1)	5-15-69	Direct Meas. (Alt. Main)			
BR-484(L)	8-19-70	Renewal of Main & Alt.M.&NDEA			8-1-73
EBSA	5-25-72				

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# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Station location .....

Name of licensee SEE CARD #2

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BP-19,364	3-9-73	980khz	5kw DA-N	U	3-9-74
	CP to change trans. site.				
BR-484(L)	11-9-73	RENEWAL OF MAIN & ALT.			8-1-76
BMP-13,750 (1)	3-28-74	MP(BP-19,364)	ext. time to		9-9-74
BL-13,733(L)	9-30-74	ML to cover	BP-19364	for changes 8-1-76	
BL-13,733	9-30-74	Page 3 monitor point	superseded to correct		298° 8-1-76
BRC-3798 Lj	11-3-75	Mod. of lic.	to operate trans. by RC		
BZ-9218 BR-484(L)	12-28-76	RENEWAL & MODIFICATION (ALT. TRANSMITTERS)			8-1-79
BR790402BM	9-27-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			8-1-82
402(b)	Court Appeal filed			5-29-80	
BAL790608GJ	4-28-80	VOL AL.			EFF:

Call

Letters

W S I XName 638 Tire & Vulcanizing Company

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
Fourth Radio District Lic. #3080 3080	12-14-26	<u>BUREAU OF NAVIGATION RECORD-Dept. of Commerce</u> New station-638 Tire & Vulcanizing Co., Public 1-Square, Springfield, Tenn. requesting 1199 kcs-150 watts-unlimited hours.	1-Telegram issued-Auth. opr. pending receipt. 2-Licensed 1-6-27 1199 kcs- Power not stated in lic. Call letters WSIX.	1-6-27 license 1-6-27 1199 kcs-
Third Zone 3-R-B-484	3-30-27	<u>FEDERAL RADIO COMMISSION RECORD</u> Renewal of license	1-Temporary Permit for 1200 kcs-150 watts-unlimited hours. 2-Granted 6-1-27 for 1410 kcs-150 w.-unl. hrs. 3-D.O. 13	4-15-27 6-1-27

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Letters W S I X

Jack M. Draughon & Louis R. Draughon d/b as 638 Tire & Vulcanizing Co. (4-18-29)  
 Name 638 Tire & Vulcanizing Co.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
3-R-B-484	8-5-27	Renewal of license	Letter	8-8-27 ext. lic.
3-R-B-484	9-29-27	Renewal of license	1- G.O. 18 2- Letter 3- Mod. Lic. 12-1-27 for 1200 kcs- 150 w.- S-WREC. 4- General Orders 21, 22, 23, 25, 27, 33, 35, 38 & 44.	10-24-27 11-16-27 effec. 11-1-28 for 1210 kcs-100 w.-unl. hrs.
3-R-B-484	1-10-28	Renewal of license <u>Reallocation</u>	Granted	1-15-29.
3-R-B-484	12-24-28	Renewal of license	Granted	5-24-30
3-P-B-559	2-9-29	Construction permit to change equipment and increase power from 100 to 500 watts.	Denied	4-18-29 Partner names added to license.
3-R-B-484	4-3-29	Renewal of license (Partners names given)	Granted	6-20-29.
3-R-B-484	6-11-29	Renewal of license	G.O. 69	

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
3-R-B-484	9-24-29	Renewal of license	Granted	10-5-29
3-R-B-484	12-24-29	Renewal of license (115 Public Square)	Granted	1-18-29
3-R-B-484	5-1-30	Renewal of license	Granted	5-6-30
3-R-B-484	6-20-30	Renewal of license	Granted	7-7-30
3-R-B-484	9-18-30	Renewal of license	Issued	10-10-30
3-R-B-484	12-18-30	Renewal of license	Granted	10-21-30
			1-G.O. 103	1-20-31
			2-Granted	4-24-31
3-F-B-140	6-18-31	Install automatic frequency control	Issued	4-21-31
			Returned	12-7-31
3-R-B-484	9-19-31	Renewal of license	Request of applicant.	
3-R-B-484	9-19-31	Renewal of license	(H) Granted	11-20-31
			Result of hearing	Granted
3-R-B-484	3-30-32	Renewal of license	(T) Granted	5-24-32
			Granted	6-21-32
3-F-B-247	5-11-32	Install automatic frequency control	Granted	6-7-32



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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
3-R-B-484	10-18-32	Renewal of license	Granted	11-11-32
3-R-B-484 Resubmitted	4-29-33	Renewal of license	<del>Returned</del>	<del>5-9-33 for</del>
3-R-B-484 Resubmitted	10-18-33	Renewal of License (signature)	Granted	5-26-33
	"		<del>Returned</del>	<del>10-26-33</del>
3-R-B-484	4-28-34	Renewal of License	Granted	11-24-33
			Granted	5-15-34
B3-R-484	10-22-34	FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION RECORDS: Renewal of license	Granted	11-13-34
B3-P-227	11-13-34	Construction permit to move transmitter and studio from 115 Public Square, Springfield, Tenn. to (transmitter) Site to be determined, and studio Andrew Jackson Hotel, Corner of 6th Ave. & Dradrick St., Nashville, Tenn.	Granted	10-11-35 C.A.
Amended	12-31-34	To change frequency from 1210 kc to 1370 kc	Rat. Min.	10-22-35

9-30-35

To move transmitter and studio to change to 1210 kc

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters W S I XName Jack M. Draughon, & Louis R. Draughon, d/b as 638 Tire & Vulcanizing Co.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B3-R-484	4-3-35	Renewal of License	Granted	5-21-35
B3-R-484	9-30-35	Renewal of License	Granted	11-12-35
B3-MP-289	3-2-36	Mod. of C.P.(B3-P-227)(to move trans. and studio;) for approval of transmitter site at N.E. corner Boscobel & 3rd St. Nashville, Tenn. and extend commencement date to two days after grant and completion date 100 days thereafter. and approval of antenna.	Granted	4-24-36
B3-R-484	4-8-36	Renewal of license	Granted	5-5-36

## APPLICATION RECORD—BROADCASTING

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x Jack M. Draughon & Louis R. Draughon, d/b as 638 Tire & Vulcanizing Co.

FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B3-MP-348	6-30-36	Modification of construction permit (B3-P-227) as modified to change completion date from 8-4-36 to 11-1-36.	Granted	7-22-36
B3-L-388	9-11-36	License to cover C.P. (B3-P-227) as modified, to move studio and trans. <del>and change of freq.</del> & install new antenna.	Granted	10-7-36
B3-AL-137	9-5-36	<sup>Voluntary</sup> Assignment of license from J.M. Draughon & L.R. Draughon, d/b as 638 Tire and Vulcanizing Co., to WSIX, Inc.	<del>Retr-sig; inserts,</del>	
Resubmitted	9-29-36		<del>attr-jurat &amp; sig.</del>	
Resubmitted	10-31-36		<del>9-26-36</del>	
			<del>Returned 10-28-36</del>	
			<del>part 1</del>	
			Granted	6-8-37
B3-R-484	10-29-36	Renewal of license	Granted	11-17-36

## APPLICATION RECORD—BROADCASTING

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Call letters WSIX

Name **x** W S I X, INCORPORATED (Vol. Assign. Lic. 6-8-37)  
Jack M. Draughon & Louis R. Draughon, d/b as 638 Tire & Vulcanizing Co.

FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B3-R-484	3-26-37	Renewal of license	Granted	5-11-37
B3-P-1903	8-5-37	C.P. to install new transmitter and increase power from 100w to 100w; 250w-LS.	<del>Returned</del>	<del>8-10-37</del>
Resubmitted	8-12-37		Sec. <del>5-6-37</del> 17-j-k 18-c-p Granted	9-7-37
B3-R-484 Resubmitted	9-23-37 10-21-37	Renewal of license ( <del>Filed-basis-C.P.</del> )	Returned	10-19-37
B3-L-713 Resubmitted (Rec'd	9-28-37 9-28-37 11-1-37)	License to cover CP(B3-P-1903) for new trans. and increase in power.	returned	10-28-37
B3-R-484 Resubmitted	3-15-38 "	Renewal of License ( <del>Sec.-3b &amp; 17b</del> )	Returned	4-6-38
			Granted	5-11-38

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call  
Letters W S I XName W S I X, INCORPORATED

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B3-R-484	9-13-38	Renewal of license	Granted	11-15-38
B3-R-484	3-21-39	Renewal of license	Granted	5-23-39
B3-ML-715	7-14-39	Modification of license to increase power from 100w; 250w-LS to 250w day and night.	Granted	9-6-39
B3-R-484	9-18-39	Renewal of license	Granted	11-27-39
B3-R-484	5/28/40	Renewal of license	Granted	3-24-41 1240kc, 250w, U
B3-Z-470 Rec'd.	8-13-40 8-15-40	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	Granted	9-13-40

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Letters WSIXName WSIX, Incorporated

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Action	
					Date
B3-P-3053 received filed	12-11-40	C.P. to install new transmitter, directional antenna for night use, change freq. from 1210kc to 950 kc, (980 kc under NARBA), and increase power from 250w to 1kw, 5kw-LS, move transmitter from N.E. Cor. Poscabel & Third Sts., Nashville, Tenn. to Buena Vista Pike & Moorman Arm Rd., Nashville, Tenn.	Granted Subj. to approval by Comm. of antenna. Letter written Issued with MP-1364		3-11-41
	12-11-40				
	12-11-40				
B3-MP-1364 received filed	7-10-41	Mod. of c.p. (B3-P-3053) for approval of Trans. site at McGavock Pike, Nashville, Tenn., incr. power from 1kw, 5kw-LS to 5kw day & night, & make changes in D.A. and install new trans. New D.A. data recd. 10-4-41, Form 335 filed 7-15-41	Granted		10-21-41
	7-12-41				
	7-18-41				
B3-R-434 Resub.	7-28-41 "	Renewal of license	<del>Reto. 9-3-41, Defect.</del> Sec. 6(c), 20-h, 22-b. Granted		9-30-41

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Letters WSIXName WSIX, INCORPORATED

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B3-MP-1526 received filed	2-21-42 2-24-42 2-24-42	Mod. of c.p. (B3-P-3053) for changes in D.A. and extension of completion date to 60 da. after grant. Form 335 filed. G.O. Sutton Atty. Another form 335 filed 3-8-42. P.L. Clark, Engr.	Granted subj. if objectionable interference in excess of that provided by Inter- national Treaty, adequate measures will be taken at direction of Comm. to prevent same	3-10-42
B3-L-1679 and B3-Z-1415 Rec'd	6-6-42 6-6-42 6-10-42	License to cover C.P. (B3-P-3053) as mod., to install new trans. and D.A. for night use, increase power, change frequency, and move transmitter; and Determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. (Ring & Clark, Engr.) Form 335 filed	Granted Subj. if objectionable in- terference in excess of that provided by Inter- national Treaty, adequate measures will be taken at direction of Comm. to correct same	7-8-42

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Letters W S I X

JACK M. DRAUGHON and LOUIS R. DRAUGHON d/b as WSIX BROADCASTING STATION (AL 8-1-44  
 Name X W S I X, INCORPORATED Eff. 8-26-44)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B3-AL-424 Rec'd Filed	5-30-44 5-30-44 5-30-44	Voluntary Assignment of License to JACK M. DRAUGHON, LOUIS R. DRAUGHON, d/b as WSIX BROADCASTING STATION.	Granted Effective	8-1-44 8-26-44
B3-R-484 Rec'd	5-4-44 5-8-44	Renewal of license	Granted	7-25-44
B3-484 Recd.	2-21-47 2-27-47	Renewal of license (Filed by Tuhy)	Granted	4-23-47



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LOUIS R. DRAUGHON and LOUIS R. DRAUGHON, EXECUTOR OF THE  
 ESTATE OF JACK M. DRAUGHON DECEASED, d/b as WSIX BROADCASTING STATION - \* Call  
 x JACK M. DRAUGHON AND LOUIS R. DRAUGHON d/b as Letters WSIX

Name W S I X BROADCASTING STATION \*ING STATION (AL 10-18-51, Eff. 10-18-51)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-484 Rec'd	2-16-50 2-20-50	Renewal of License. Filed by Stephen Tuhy, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	4-21-50
BAL-1269 Rec'd Filed	10-8-51 10-10-51 10-10-51	Involuntary assignment of license to Louis R. Draughon and Louis R. Draughon, Executor of the estate of Jack M. Draughon, Deceased, d/b as WSIX Broadcasting Station. Stephen Tuhy, Jr. Atty.	GRANTED Eff.	10-18-51 10-18-51
HR-484 Rec'd Filed	1-24-53 1-27-53 1-27-53	Renewal of License Filed by Stephen Tuhy, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	4-15-53
BAL-1590 Rec'd Filed	7-20-53 7-21-53 7-21-53	Voluntary assignment of license to Louis R. Draughon, Individually, and Louis R. Draughon, Trustee for Jacquelyn Draughon, d/b as WSIX Broadcasting Station.  Stephen Tuhy, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	9-9-53 9-15-53

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## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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WSIX, INC. (AL 9-1-54, Eff. 9-15-54)

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Name **x**LOUIS R. DRAUGHON/AND LOUIS R. DRAUGHON, TRUSTEE FOR JACQUELYN  
DRAUGHON, d/b as WSIX BROADCASTING STATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-1834 Rec'd Filed	8-3-54 8-4-54 8-4-54	Voluntary assignment of license to WSIX, Inc. Stephen Tuhy, Atty.	GRANTED Eff.	9-1-54 9-15-54
BR-484 Rec'd Filed	4-15-55 4-29-55 4-29-55	Renewal of license. Stephen Tuhy, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	7-20-55
BTC-2330 Rec'd Filed	9-17-56 9-18-56 9-18-56	Voluntary acquisition of positive control/ licensee corporation by Louis R. Draughon through the purchase of stock from W. H. Crissell  Stephen Tuhy, Jr., Atty.	(66-2/3%) GRANTED EFF:	10-10-56 10-11-56
		Consulting Engineer - A. D. Ring & Assoc. Per letter dated 4-24-57 from Tuhy, Atty.		

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Letters WSIXName WSIX, INC.  
Nashville, Tennessee

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-484 Rec'd. Filed	4-11-58 4-16-58 4-16-58	Renewal of license.  Stephen Tuhy, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	7-9-58
----- Per letter of 12-28-59, licensee now represented by Miller and Schroeder, Washington, D.C. -----				
BML-1942 R.&F.	3-27-61 3-31-61	Modification of license to change studio location from 1402 Nashville Trust Bldg., Nashville, Tenn. to 441 Murfreesboro Rd., nr. Nashville, Tenn. (Request waiver of 3.30 of the Rules.)  Atty-Miller & Schroeder	GRANTED	5-10-61 Began operation from new location 12-17-61.
BR-484 Rec'd & Filed	3-27-61 4-28-61	Renewal of License Neville Miller, atty.	GRANTED	<del>7-31-61</del> 7-31-61
BR-484 Rec & Filed	3-11-64 3-16-64	Renewal of license Neville Miller, Atty.	GRANTED	7-10-64

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GENERAL ELECTRIC BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

Name  WSIX, INC.

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-5631 R & F	10-27-65	Voluntary assignment of license to GENERAL ELECTRIC BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. Contingent on application filed simultaneously for transfer of control of station WSIX, (AM, FM & TV) (BTC-4959). Atty. McKenna & Wilkinson	GRANTED	4-6-66
	10-29-65		EFF:	5-19-66
BTC-4959 R & F	10-27-65	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Louis R. Draughon, Individually and as Trustee for Jacquelyn D. Guthrie; George J. Hearn, Jr. and John D. Srouse to General Electric Broadcasting Company, Inc. Atty. McKenna & Wilkinson	GRANTED	4-6-66
	10-29-65			
BRC-2884 R & F	4-28-66	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 441 Murfreesboro Road, Nashville, Tennessee. (non-DA daytime only) Atty.: John P. Bankson, Jr. (Miller & Schroeder)	GRANTED	6-21-66
	5-2-66			
AMENDED R.&F.	6-6-66	Amended to chg. applicant name to GENERAL ELECTRIC BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.		
	6-10-66			

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 Letters W S I X

Name GENERAL ELECTRIC BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.  
Nashville, Tenn.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-6062 R & F	3/21/66 3/22/66	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power. (Main) Atty: McKenna & Wilkinson	GRANTED	8-2-66
BL-11,346 R & F	3/24/66 3/28/66	Lic. to use old main trans. (COLLINS 21A) at main trans. loc., to be operated on 980kc 5kw DA-N LS-U, as an alternate main trans. Atty: McKenna & Wilkinson	GRANTED	8-2-66
----- LICENSEE NOW REPRESENTED BY MCKENNA & WILKINSON PER LETTER DATED & RECEIVED JULY 15, 1966. -----				
BR-484 R & F	4-14-67 5-1-67	Renewal of license. (main & alternate main). Atty: McKenna & Wilkinson	GRANTED	7-18-67
BRC-3106 R & F	4-27-67 5-17-67	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 441 Murfreesboro Road, Nashville, Tennessee (DA-N) (Main Transmitter).  Atty.: David S. Stevens	GRANTED Cond re objectionable interference in excess of Internatl. Treaty.	8-2-67

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 Name GENERAL ELECTRIC BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.  
Nashville, Tenn.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-7097 R & F DM  FEB 7 1969	1/14/69 1/22/69 1/28/69	Direct Meas. (Main)  Atty: David S. Stevens	GRANTED	2-11-69
BZ-7183 R & F DM	3/12/69 3/18/69 3/27/69	Direct Meas. (Alt.)  Atty: David S. Stevens	GRANTED	5-15-69
BR-484 R & F \$75 #597973 \$30 #597974 PN Recd. PRESS	4-30-70 5-1-70 " " " JUN 3 1970	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & ALT.MAIN) Robert W. Coll, Atty. (McKenna & Wilkinson) Agreement with Middle Tenn. Comm. Coalition re statement of policy & practice filed 7-1-70	GRANTED	8-19-70
6-29-70 By Memorandum Opinion and Order granted extension to 7-31-70 to file Petition to Deny by Middle Tennessee Community Coalition.				

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Letters W S I X

Name GENERAL ELECTRIC BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.  
Nashville, Tenn.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-19,364 Rec'd Filed \$50-147244 AC-060	1-22-73 1-24-73 1-24-73 1-24-73	Construction permit to change transmitter and antenna site to Western side Neelys Bend Rd., 3700 feet S. of Menees Lane, Nashville, Tennessee. coordinates: 36° 12' 26" Atty: Robert W. Coll 86° 40' 21"	GRANTED	3-9-73
<b>FEB 27 1973</b> BR-484 R & F PN Recd. PRESS <b>MAY 16 1973</b>	4-30-73 5-2-73 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & ALTER.MAIN) Robert W. Coll, Atty. AMENDED 5-30-73 re: anti-trust suit AMENDED 6-8-73 re: employment policy AMENDED 8-11-73 re: network affiliation AMENDED 7-3-73 re: agreement between licensee & NAACP-MTCCC Committee (AM & FM) AMENDED 8-6-73 re: copy of agreement between licensee & NAACP-MTCCC committee	GRANTED	11-9-73

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Call  
Letters W S I X

Name General Electric Broadcasting Company, Inc.  
Nashville, Tenn.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-13,750 R & F \$50-281339 AC-056 Press	2-7-74 2-11-74 MAR 12 1974	MP (BP-19,364) ext. time to 9-9-74. (Changes)	GRANTED TO	3-28-74 9-9-74
BL-13,733 Rec'd Amend & Filed \$50#317105 \$50#334060 PTA PTA PRESS 17 SEP 1974	6-18-74 6-19-74 8-8-74 - 6-20-74-main 8-14-74- alternate 6-27-74(Main) 8-19-74(Alt.)	Lic. to cover BP-19,364 for changes (Alternate Transmitters) Alternate 302 filed. Atty. Robert W. Coll (McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner)	GRANTED	9-30-74



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Letters W S I XName GENERAL ELECTRIC BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.  
Nashville, Tennessee

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-3798 R & F \$100-472064 AC: 001 Press; SEP 15 1975	7-24-75 8-1-75 9-9-75	Request authority to operate transmitter by remote control from 1406 Old Hickory Blvd., Nashville, Tennessee (Day and Night 'DA-N)	GRANTED	11-3-75
BR-484 R & F P.N. Press MAY 26 1976	3-30-76 4-1-76 4-27-76	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & ALTERNATE MAIN) Atty: Robert W. Coll (McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner) AMENDED 7-6-76 re: agreement between the station & the petitioners	GRANTED	12-28-76
BZ-9218 R & F Amend DM PRESS AUG 23 1976	6-29-76 7-7-76 7-22-76 8-12-76	Direct Measurement - corrected Section II-A Atty: Robert W. Coll (McKenna, Wilkinson, etc.)	GRANTED issued with BR-484	12-28-76

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## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

8-27 KATZ BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF NASHVILLE

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numbers etc SIXName<sup>x</sup> GENERAL ELECTRIC BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.  
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR 790402 BM PRESS MAY 31 1979		RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & ALTER TRANS.) Robert W. Coll, Atty.	GRANTED	9-27-79
BAL 790608GJ FORM 314 (also see fm) PRESS: JUN 28 1979 PN Filed	Mutually 7/9/79	Vol AL to KATZ BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF NASHVILLE (over) Contingent on grant of WLIF etc (merger of Cox B/C corp. & General Electric Company)  Atty for assignor - Robert W. Coll for assignee - Jason Shrinsky  PETITION TO DENY AND INTERVENE filed 7-30-79 by The Community Coalition for Media Change (CCMC) (includes WGFM, WSIX-FM, WRCB(TV), WNGE(TV) & KFOG)	GRANTED EFF:	4-28-80

BAL790608GJ Amended 8-16-79 re: Request for Tax. cert. chge. "Katz Agency, Inc." to Katz Broadcasting Corporation of Nashville"; Sec. I, para. 8 chge. to "NO"

AMENDED 9-21-79 re: legal, financial, stock & person. qual. data

AMENDED 11-26-79 re: gen. public survey; stock ownership; stock pledge agree. & AM/FM duplication

AMENDED 12-26-79 re: Bus. int. and employment info on assignee principals

AMENDED 1-8-80 re: Litigation schedule pertaining to Asset Purchase Agree.

PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION FILED 5-28-80 by Dow, Lohnes & Albertson on behalf of Cox Broadcasting Corporation Cox Family Shareholders

CONDITIONAL PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION FILED 5-29-80 by Charles M. Firestone Counsel for NAACP/ACLU

VBTC PETITION FOR STAY FILED 5-29-80 by Lee G. Lovett on behalf of Virginia Beach Telecommunications Corp.

PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION FILED 5-29-80 by Marcus Garvey Wilcher, Chairman on behalf of Community Coalition for Media Change

RESPONSE OF GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY TO VBTC PETITION FOR STAY filed 6-5-80 by Jamea A. McKenna, Jr. on behalf of General Electric Company

VBTC OPPOSITION TO COX PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 6-10-80 by Lee G. Lovett on behalf of Virginia Beach Telecommunications Corporation

RESPONSE OF GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION FILED 6-12-80 by James A. McKenna, Jr. on behalf of General Electric Company

REPLY OF COX BROADCASTING CORPORATION AND COX FAMILY SHAREHOLDERS TO VIRGINIA BEACH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION FILED 6-20-80 by John A. Rafter of behalf of Cox Broadcasting Corporation Cox Family Shareholders

Motion for Acceptance of Late Filed Pleadings filed 6-30-80 Werner K. Hartenberger on behalf of Cox B/Casting Corp.

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## APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: WSIX

Name: KATZ BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF NASHVILLE

Station Location: Nashville, Tennessee

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date

BAL/GJ  
RESPONSE OF COX BROADCASTING CORPORATION TO CONDITIONAL  
PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 6-30-80 by William  
P. Sims on behalf of Cox B/Casting corp.

VBTC REPLY TO COX OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERA-  
TION filed 7-9-80 by Lee G. Lovett on behalf of Virginia  
Beach Telecommunications Corporation

REPLY TO RESPONSE TO CONDITIONAL PETITION FOR RECONSIDERA-  
TION filed 7-10-80 by Charles M. Firestone on behalf of  
ACLU/NAACP

RECORD OF APPLICATIONS REQUESTING FACILITIES OF BROADCASTING STATIO. WSIX

X WSIX, INC. (6-8-37)  
 Licensee x Jack M. Draughon & Louis R. Draughon d/b as 838 Tire & Vulcanizing Co.

File No.	Date	Call Letters	Name and Location of Applicant	Remarks	Disposition
3-P-B-1965 A	10-22-31	NEW	Troy Brdcstg. Co., Troy, Ala.	Fac. WSIX (Per Eng. Rec.)	Dismissed 3-18-32
3-P-B-2375 A	11-19-31	WROL	Stuart Broadcasting Corp. Knoxville, Tenn.	1250 kc. 250 w. Unltd. (fac. WSIX). units	Dismissed 1-22-32
B3-P-3190 rec'd resub rec'd resub rec'd & filed	4-10-41 4-17-41 4-10-41 5-10-41 4-10-41 5-19-41	NEW	R.O. Hardin, tr/as Nashville B/c Co. Nashville, Tenn.	New station on 1240 kc, 250w. U. Fac. of WSIX, when vacated.	Ret-5-14-41 third-party not qualified to operate - Signature - J. K. 2-7-41
B3-P-3215 received filed	6-5-41 6-7-41 6-9-41	NEW	Imes-Weaver B/c Co. (Birney Imes & Robin Weaver, d/b as ) Murphreesboro, Miss.	New station on 1240 kc, 250w. U. Fac. WSIX. when vacated.	Amended to omit request for fac. of WSIX
B3-P-3241 Resub. Filed	5-10-41 5-10-41 7-5-41	NEW	John R. Crowder, tr. as Dimple Broadcasting Co. Columbia, Tenn.	New sta. on 1240 kc 250w. U. Fac. WSIX when vacated	Dismissed 3-26-42

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Renewal  
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Granted 3-18-32

RECORD OF APPLICATIONS REQUESTING FACILITIES OF BROADCASTING STATION WSIX

Licensee JACK M. DRAUGHON & LOUIS R. DRAUGHON d/b as WSIX BROADCASTING STATION

File No.	Date	Call Letters	Name and Location of Applicant	Remarks	Disposition
B3-P-3219	6-14-41 Recd 6-16-41	NEW	Tennessee Radio Corp. Nashville, Tenn.	C.P. new station 1240kc-250w-U. Con- tingent on WSIX going on new freq.	<i>file</i> <i>2-10-43</i>
B3-P-3241 amended  Received filed	<del>1-21-41</del> 5-10-41  1-21-42  <del>1-23-42</del> 2-9-42	NEW	John R. Crowder, tr/as Dimple B/o Co. Columbia, Tenn.	.CP. new station on 1240 ko, 250w. U. Fac of WSIX, when WSI goes to 960 ko. amended to request 1340 ko. & omit request for WSIX's facilities.	Amended to omit request for fac of WSIX.





RECORD OF APPLICATIONS REQUESTING FACILITIES OF BROADCASTING STATION

Licensee

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

Renewal  
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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 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.

