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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 9-25-63

WSKE (Eff:11-27-67)
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Station location Everett, Pa.

Name of licenseexDENNIS A. SLEIGHTER AND WILLARD D. SLEIGHTER

Transmitter location S. Edge of Juniata Rd., O.1 Mi. E. of Everett, Pennsylvania (BP 11-15-62)

Main studio location Same as transmitter,

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

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Appl.	Date		1	Time	Period
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BP-14580	11-15-62	1050kc	250w	Day	1-15 7-15-6
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BR-4284(S)	7-31-72	RENE	WAL		8-1-75
BR-4284(L)	7-25-75	RENEV	IAL	8	3-1-78
BR-4284 (S)	8-17-78	REN. OF LI	c	-	8-1-81
DP-20,869	1-12-79	CP inc.po	wer insta	EL DA	1-12-80
		1050khz	lkw DA		
BL-790831AA	(L) 12-14	79 Lic. t	o cover		or changes
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name DENNIS A. SLEIGHTER AND WILLARD D. SLEIGHTER

EVERETT, PENNSYLVANIA (P.O. Corner State St. and 4th St., Everett, Pennsylvania)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Act Nature	ion Date
BP-14.580 Rec'd Filed	12-19-60 12-20-60 12-20-60		shall substitled interest data to she radiation is duced to 17 proposed. The D-14419, \$e of the Communication is the communication in the communication in the communication is the communication in the communication in t	ction. 3.87 Rules. re operation. 18 4624
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FORM BC-121 Aug. 1955

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Name Dennis A. Sleighter and Willard D. Sleighter Everett, Pa.

File No. EMP-10,776 R. & F.	Dated 1-30-63 1-31-63	Mod. of CP (BP-14,580 which auth. a new standard broadcast station) to increase radiation from 175 mv/m/kw as authorized by CP to 185 mv/m/kw. Atty: John G. Smith	Ac Nature GRANTE	Date 2-15-63
BL-10,015 R. & F.	3-1-63 3-6-63	Lic to cover CP(BP-14,580 as mod) which auth a new standard broadcast station. Atty- Wilner & Bergson	GRANTED	9-25-63 Cond'1
BP-16,325 R. & F.	8-17-64 8-18-64	CP to change frequency from 1050kc to 1110kc, increase power from 250 watts to 5kw (1kw CH), and install new transmitter (Gates BC-5P-2) Engr: Gautney and Jones "tty-Wilner & Bergson(2-11-65)	DENIED Order #961	3-27-67 199
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Name DENNIS A SLEIGHTER AND WILLARD D SLEIGHTER

	File No.	Dated	Application for	Natur	ction e Date
	BZ-5612 Rec'd Filed	4/23/65 4/2 3 /65 5/7/65	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of ant. power.	GRANTEI	8-24-65
-	BR-4284 R & F	5-2-66 5-2-66	Renewal of license Atty. Wilner & Bermson	GRANTE	7-29-66
	EKI = 6049 Filed	3-8-67 3-27-67 4-24-67	Voluntary assignment of license to RADIO EVERETT, INC. Atty - Wilner, Scheiner & Greeley	GRANTED	6-16-67
	ER-4284 R & F #511920 \$75, PRESS	5-1-69 5-5-69 5-5-69	Renewal of license	GEAL TELL	7-24-69
			F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

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Name RADIO EVERETT, INC.
EVERETT, PENNSYLVANIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
BR-4284 R & F PN Recd.	4-28-72 5-1-72	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 7-12-72 re: employment policy; commercial policy	GRANTED	7-31-72
PRESS MAY 24 BR-4284 R & F PN Recd. PRESS		RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 7-10-75 Fe: ascert. of comm. needs	GRANTED	7-25-75
BP- Rec 20,869 Filed \$200-5577 AC-001 pn rec'd	7-21-77 65-4-16-76	Construction permit to inc. power to lkw, install DA-Day, chg. type trans. Harris MW-1 Atty- & made chgs. in ant. sys. Eng. E. Harold Munn, Jr. MAJOR ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION UNDER SECTION 1.1305	REFURNED tover tap RANTED 1-1	1)
Resub.	7-21-77	F. C. C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
BR-4284 R & F PRESS	3-29-78 4-3-78 AFR 1 3 191	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	8-17-78
BL-790831AA R & F PTA PRESS DT .17	8-31-79 9-7-79	Lic. to cover BP-21104 for changes	GRANTED	12-14-79
3R810331VQ	MAY 2 1 1981	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	77-7-81 81
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

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.

