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Date First

Licensed 12-6-26

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Letters WFKD

LOCATION: PHILADELPHIA, PENNA.

WTEL, INC. (AL-12-23-58; EFF: 12-30-58)

Name of Licensee: * E. DOUGLASS HIBBS, HENRY N. COCKER AND GERTRUDE C. HIBBS (AL-12-12-58; EFF: 12-27-58)
* Foulkrod Radio Engineering CompanyFoundry Rd near Germantown Pike, East Norriton Township, PA. (redescribe 5-30-75)
* East Norriton Township (re-descript. BL-11-22-68)* Germantown Pike & Potshop Rd., Philadelphia, Pa. 9-6-67 L 11-22-68)
* On West side of West Conshohocken, Pennsylvania (CP-11-14-62)
* H St. & Wyoming Ave., Philadelphia, Pa. (Lic. 9-4-31).Transmitter Location: Delaware River at Homestead St., Phila., Wissinoming, Pa. (M-B-12-3-28)
* 4842 Frankford Ave., Frankford, Philadelphia, Pa. (Letter 2-29-28)
* 4734 Frankford Ave., Frankford, Philadelphia, Pa.

1940

4140 Old York Road, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (BRC 10-12-61) (Moved 10-20-61).
XW T E L Building, 4312-14 North Broad St., Philadelphia, Pa. (Let. 11-5-37)
* 13th & 14th Floors, Beury Bldg., 3701 N. Broad St., Phila., Pa. (Letter 11-7-32)
4734 Frankford Ave., Philadelphia, Pa. (Letter 11-10-30)
5813 Torresdale Ave., Philadelphia, Pa. (12-3-28)

1940

Main Studio

Location:

4842 Frankford Ave., Frankford (Phila.), Pa.
4734 Frankford Ave., Frankford, (Phila.), Pa.

1965

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Zone 2.

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD From To	
Third Radio District						
BUREAU OF NAVIGATION RECORD-Dept. of Commerce						
3000	12-6-26	1200	Not stated	Unl.	12-6	3-5-27
FEDERAL RADIO COMMISSION RECORD						
-B-355 TP	4-23-27	1100	10	-	Not stated	
-B-355	6-1-27	1460	10	Unlimited	6-1	7-31-27
G.O.13	Defers eff. date of previous lic.				6-15	8-14-27
-B-355	6-15-27	1210	10	S-WABY	6-15	8-14-27
-B-355	8-15-27	1210	50	S-WABY	8-15	10-14-27
G.O.18	Extension of License				10-15	10-31-27
-B-355	10-24-27	Letter of Extension			11-1	12-31-27
G.O.21	Extension of License				1-1	1-31-28
G.O.22	"	"	"		2-1	3-1-28
Letter	2-29-28	Auth. local move of Tr. 200 yds.				
G.O.23	Extension of License				3-1	4-1-28
G.O.25	"	"	"		4-1	5-1-28
G.O.27	"	"	"		5-1	6-1-28
G.O.32	"	"	"		6-1	8-1-28
G.O.36	"	"	"		8-1	9-1-28
G.O.	8-24-28	Ext. of license			Docket 61	9-1 10-1-28
G.O.44	Extension of License				10-1	11-11-28
-B-355	10-31-28	1310	50	WNAT & WABY	11-11	1-31-29
Allocation	11-11-28	Cannot operate when WCAM is operating.				
M-B-60	12-3-28	Move Tr. & Studio			12-3	1-31-29
-B-355	1-25-29	1310	50	WNAT & WABY	1-31	4-30-29
-B-355	4-1-29	1310	50	WNAT & WABY	4-30	7-31-29
R-B-355	6-20-29	Extended by G.O. 69			7-31	10-31-29
-B-355	10-12-29	1310	50	WNAT & WABY	10-31	1-31-30
-B-47	1-8-30	Install Auto. Freq. Control				
-B-355	1-27-30	1310	50	WHAT	1-31	4-30-30
-B-355	4-5-30	1310	50	WHAT	4-30	7-31-30
-B-355	7-18-30	1310	50	WHAT	7-31	10-31-30
-B-1635	9-26-30	New equip. & inc. pr. 100 w.			10-20	1-20-31
-B-355	10-8-30	1310	50	WHAT	10-31	1-31-31
G.O.103	1-20-31	Extension of License			1-31	4-30-31
B-510	3-10-31	1310	100	WHAT	3-10	4-30-31
	Covers F-B-1635.					
-B-355	4-22-31	1310	100	WHAT	4-30	12-1-31
-2228	6-26-31	Move Transmitter			7-25	10-25-31

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date First

Card No.2

Licensed.....

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Letters WTEL

Name of
Licensee: X Foulkrod Radio Engineering Co.

Transmitter

Location: _____

Main Studio

Location: _____

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Card No. 2 CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD		
					From	To	
L-B-682	9-4-31	Covers	P-B-2228	move Tr.	9-4	12-1-31	
R-B-355	11-13-31	1310	100	WHAT	12-1	6-1-32	
R-B-355	5-6-32	1310	100	WHAT	6-1	12-1-32	
F-B-282	7-1-32	Install	auto. Freq. Control				
R-B-355	11-29-32	1310	100	WHAT	12-1	6-1-33	
R-B-355	5-19-33	1310	100	WHAT	6-1	12-1-33	
R-B-355	11-7-33	1310	100	WHAT	12-1	6-1-34	
R-B-355	5-11-34	1310	100	WHAT	6-1	12-1-34	
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION							
B2-R-355	11-13-34	1310	100	S-WHAT	12-1	6-1-35	
B2-R-355	5-28-35	1310	100	S-WHAT	6-1	12-1-35	
B2-R-355	11-12-35	1310	100	S-WHAT	12-1	6-1-36	
B2-R-355	5-21-36	1310	100w	S-WHAT	6-1	12-1-36	
B2-S-355	9-22-36	Oper. without app. freq. monitor					
	C.A. 9-18	Eff. 9-12			9-12	9-21-36	
B2-S-355	10/13/36	Opr. without app. freq. monitor				10/13	
		to 10/26					
B2-R-355	11-24-36	1310	100w	S-WHAT	12-1	6-1-37	
B2-F-85	3-16-37	Install	automatic frequency control				
B2-R-355	5-11-37	1310	100w	S-WHAT	6-1	12-1-37	
B2-R-355	C.A. 11-23-37	1310	100w	S-WHAT	12-1	6-1-38	
B2-R-355	5-4-38	1310	100w	S-WHAT	6-1	12-1-38	
B2-R-355	11-15-38	1310	100w	S-WHAT	12-1	6-1-39	
B2-R-355	5-23-39	1310	100w	S-WHAT	6-1	12-1-39	
B2-R-355	11-7-39	1310	100w	S-WHAT	12-1	10-1-40	
B2-S-355	2/20/40	1310	100w	S-WHAT	3-1	3-1/40	
Order	6/12/40	Extension of License			8/1	10/1/40	
Order	9-10-40	Extension of license			10-1	3-29-41	
NABBA REALLOCATION							
B2-R-355	3-24-41	1340	100w	S-WHAT	3-29	10-1-41	
B2-Z-940	6-5-41	1340	100w	S-WHAT	6-5	10-1-41	
Determine operating power by direct measurement.							
B2-R-355	9-30-41	1340	100w	S-WHAT	10-1	10-1-42	

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed _____

Call letters W T E LName of licensee X FOULKROD RADIO ENGINEERING CO.

Transmitter location _____

Main studio location _____

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

APPL. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME DIV.	PERIOD	
					From—	To—
B2-S-355	9-22-42	Extension of license			10-1	11-1-42
B2-S-355	10-20-42	Extension of license			11-1	12-1-42
B2-S-355	11-24-42	Extension of license			12-1	1-1-43
and modification in accordance with Order 107						
B2-S-355	12-22-42	Extension of license			1-1	2-1-43
B2-S-355	1-26-43	Extension of license			2-1	3-1-43
B2-S-355	2-23-43	Extension of license			3-1	4-1-43
B2-S-355	3-23-43	Extension of license			4-1	5-1-43
B2-S-355	5-25-43	Extension of license			6-1	8-1-43
B2-S-355	7-27-43	Extension of license			8-1	10-1-43
B2-S-355	9-28-43	Extension of license			10-1	12-1-43
B2-S-355	11-23-43	Extension of license			12-1	2-1-44
B2-S-355	1-25-44	Extension of license			2-1	4-1-44
B2-R-355	3-28-44	1340	100w	S-WHAT	3-28	6-1-45
Letter	4-11-44	1340	250w	S-WHAT	Subj. compliance	
B2-P-3124	procedural requirements of Commission's Policy of 1-26-44					
For incr. in power and changes in equipment						
B2-P-3124	6-7-44	1340	250w	S-WHAT	6-15	7-15-44
C.P. for incr.in power and equipment changes						
B2-P-3665	8-1-44	C.P. for reinstatement of P-3124 for increase in power and equipment changes				
		1340	250w	S-WHAT	8-1	8-31-44
B2-L-1625	9-4-44	1340	250w	S-WHAT	9-4	6-1-45
B2-Z-1621	Lic. cover CP 3665 for increase in power and equipment changes; determine operating power by direct measurement					
B2-S-355	5-22-45	Extension of License			6-1	8-1-45
B2-S-355	7-24-45	Extension of license			8-1	10-1-45
B2-S-355	9-25-45	Extension of license			10-1	12-1-45
Order 107A						
B2-S-355	11-21-45	Extension of license			12-1	2-1-46
B2-S-355	1-23-46	Extension of license			2-1	4-1-46

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Name of licensee x FOULKROD RADIO ENGINEERING CO.

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
B2-R-355	2-13-46	1340	250w	S-WHAT	2-13 2-1-47
B2-S-355	1-25-47	Extension of license			2-1 4-1-47
B-S-355	3-27-47	Extension of license			4-1 7-1-47
BS-355	6-20-47	Extension of license			7-1 10-1-47
B2-S-355	9-25-47	1340	250w	S-WHAT; Simul.WCAM (H)	9-25 2-1-50
	Renewal of license and mod. change				hrs. or oper.
BR-355	7-16-48	1340	250w	S-WHAT SimulWCAM	7-16 2-1-50
	ORDER ISSUED				
	9-22-49	860	250w	Daytime	
	Mod. Lic. granted subj. filing information re T. EFFECTIVE 12-21-49. Order Issued				
	Above information to be filed within 20 days				
BS-355	11-16-49	860	250w	Daytime	11-16 12-27-49
	CP issued in accordance with Commission order of September 22, 1949. (COND. CLAUSE)				
BS-355	1-26-50	Extension of License			2-1 6-1-50
BS-355	1-27-50	860	250w	Daytime	11-16 3-4-50
	M d. CP to extend effective date of Order of Sep. 22, 1949. (COND. CLAUSE)				
BR-355	4-28-50	1340	250w	S-WHAT	4-28 2-1-53
IL-355	4-3-50	860	250w	Day	4-3 11-1-50
	Lic. to order (3-4-50) to change frequency & hrs.				
Telegram	10-28-52	Action on renewal deferred			10-23-52 and continued operation authorized until final determination on renewal.
BR-355	12-17-52	Renewal of License			11-1 8-1-54
BR-355	7-14-54	Renewal of license			8-1 8-1-57
BR-355	7-18-57	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1 8-1-60
BAL-3276	12-12-58	Voluntary assignment of license to			
EFF:	12-27-58	E. Douglass Hibbs, Henry N. Cocker and Gertrude C. Hibbs			
BAL-3248	12-23-58	Voluntary assignment of license to			
EFF:	12-30-58	WTEL, INC.			

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

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Station location

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--
BP-13462	10-22-59	860kc	250w	Day	12-22 6-22-60
	CP to change type transmitter (GATES BC-250GY) and request permission to operate by remote control from studio location.				
BL-7889	6-27-60	860kc.	250w	Day	6-27 8-1-60
	Lic. to cover cp(BP-13462, which authorized change type trans. and operate transmitter by remote control from studio location) and specify trans. as Gates 250-T.				
	7-27-60 Commission deferred action on renewal of license pending further consideration.				
BZ-439	8-11-61	860kc	250w	Day	8-11 8-1-63
	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. (issued with BR-355)				
BR-355	8-11-61	Renewal of License (issued with BZ-439)			
BRC-1917 (1)	10-12-61	Mod. of license to change studio loc. and Remote Control Point to 4140 Old York Road, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.			
BP-14115 (Cond'1)	11-14-62	860kc	10kw-DA	Day	1-14 7-14-63
	CP to increase power to 10kw, change antenna-transmitter location, install directional antenna system (DA-D), install new transmitter (GATES BC-10P) and delete remote control oper.				
BMP-10,932 (1)	6-25-63	Mod. of CP(BP-14,115) to extend completion date to 12-14-63			
	7-24-63	COMMISSION DEFERRED ACTION ON RENEWAL PENDING FURTHER CONSIDERATION			
BR-355 & BZ-5045	11-15-63	860kc	250w	Day	11-15 8-1-66
	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.				
BMP-11096 (2)	12-16-63	Mod. of CP(BP-14,115 as mod.) for extension of completion date to 6-14-64			
BMP-11,215 (3)	6/25/64	Mod. of CP(BP-14,115 as mod.) for extension of completion date to 12/14/64.			

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Station location

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
BZ - 5210 (1)	5-4-64	Authority to determine operating pow. by direct measurement of antenna pow. BP-14,115			
BMP-11,385 (4)	12-4-64	Mod. of CP (BP-14,115, as modified) for extension of completion date to 6-14-65			
BMP-11,509 (5)	5-28-65	Mod. of CP (BP-14,115) for extension of completion date to 12-14-65.			
BMP-11,641 (6)	11-19-65	Mod. of CP (BP-14,115, as mod.) for ext. of completion date to 6-14-66.			
BZ-5674 (2)	2-1-66	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.			
BR-355	7-29-66	860kc	250w	Day	8-1 8-1-69
BMP-11,788		860kc	10kw	DA- Day	1-14 3-11-68
BMP-12,145 (L)	9-6-67	Mod. of CP(BP-14,115 as mod) ext. of completion date. Cond' 1			
BMP-12220	12-21-67	860kc	10kw	DA-D Day	1-14 3-11-68
		Mod. of CP(BP-14,115 as mod.) to add top loading.			
BMP-12303 (1)	2-28-68	Mod. of CP(BP-14,115 as mod.) for ext. of completion date to 9-11-68.			
MP-12489(2)	9-16-68	MP(BP-14,115) ext. time 1-11-69			
BL-12,161(L)	11-22-68	Lic. (BP-14,115, as mod.) chgs. 8-1-69 (trans. DATES BC-10-H) 860kc 10kw DA-D Day			
BL-12,161 (L)	11-22-68	Superseding auth. to re-describe Transmitter location			
BP-18,392	12-10-68	860kc	1kw	DA-D Aux.	8-10-69
		CP to install an auxiliary transmitter at main trans. loc. to be operated on 860kc, 1kw, DA-D, Day, for auxiliary purposes only.			
BR-355(S)	8-19-69	Renewal of License 8-19 8-1-72			
BL-12,322(L) (Aux.)	8-19-69	Lic. (BP-18,392) install aux. trans. 8-1-72			
BS-355(I)	4-29-71	BL redescribe 201 st monitor point.			
BTC-6550	4-27-71	VOL. ACQ. OF NEG. TC RPT: 4-29-71			
EBSA	6-12-72				

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA
Station location

Name of licensee SEE CARD #1

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
BR-355(L)	4-30-75	RENEWAL	(MAIN &	AUX.)	8-1-75
BR-355(L)	4-30-75	Superseded to Correct MP Values.			
BS-355(1)	5-30-75	Redescribe TL (ML)			
BR-355(L)	7-23-75	RENEWAL	(MAIN &	AUX.)	8-1-78
BRC-3916 from SL.	5-3-77	ML to operate trans. by RC			
BR-355(L)	7-12-78	Renewal	(Main &	Aux.)	8-1-81

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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LettersWTEL(11-4-30)
x WFKDName FOULKROD RADIO ENGINEERING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
<u>License #3000.</u> <u>Third Radio District.</u>		<u>BUREAU OF NAVIGATION RECORD-Dept. of Commerce.</u>		
3000	11-30-26	New Station. Foulkrod Radio Engineering Co., 4734 Frankford Ave., Frankford(Phila.),Penna.- requesting 1200 kcs-10 watts-unlimited hours.	Granted 1200 kcs-unl. hrs. Power not stated.	12-6-26 for
		Note: Applicant had several Temporary Authorizations on various occasions during October and November 1925 to relay foot-ball games thru Station WWAD. Denied license for regular station(See Bureau letter 1-23-26). WWAD deleted 4-15-26. October 1926 above applicant bought old WWAD equipment and above application is first for regular broadcast station license and was con- sidered as New Station).		

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Letters

WFKD

Name Foulkrod Radio Engineering Co.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
Zone 2. 2-R-B-355	4-18-27	FEDERAL RADIO COMMISSION RECORD Renewal of license(1200 kcs-10 w.-unl.hrs.)	1-Temporary Auth. for 1100 kcs-10 watts. 2-Granted 6-1-27 for 1460 kcs-10 w.-unl.hrs. 3-Cancelled. 4-Granted 6-15-27 for 1210 kcs-10 w.-S-WABY.	4-23-27
2-R-B-355	8-12-27	Renewal requesting 50 watts.	Granted	8-15-27 for 1210 kcs-50 w.-S-WABY.
2-R-B-355	10-29-27	Renewal of license.	1-General Order 18. 2-Letter 10-24-27 ext.lic. 3-Ext.by General Orders 21, 22,23,25,27,32,36 Spec. Order 8-24-28 & 44.	

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Letters WFKDName Foulkrod Radio Engineering Co.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
2-R-B-355	1-12-28	Renewal of license. Transmitter st. add. chgd. 1 from 4734 to 4842 Frankford Ave. Letter 2-29-28 gives auth. for move. (Reallocation):	1-Letter 2-Granted	2-29-28 auth. move trans. 200 yds. 10-31-28
			1310 kcs-50 w.-S-WMAT & WABY. These stations not permitted to opr. when WCAM is operating.	
2-P-B-311	5-26-28	Move Trans. to loc. to be determined-increase power from 50 to 250 watts.	Denied	10-10-28. Notice of Denial 10-19-28
2-M-B-60	10-4-28	Change loc. Trans. to Delaware River at Homestead St., Phila., Wissinoming, Pa. change studio locally to 5813 Torresdale St., Phila.	Granted	12-3-28.
2-R-B-355	12-13-28	Renewal of license	Granted	1-25-29
2-R-B-261	2-23-29	Mod. lic. to change freq. from 1310 to 930 kcs-change in hours of operation	Denied	Min. 12-6-29. Order of Denial 12-6-29.
2-R-B-355	3-22-29	Renewal of license	Granted	4-1-29.

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters WFKDName Foulkrod Radio Engineering Co.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
2-P-B-355	6-14-29	Renewal of license	G.O.69	6-20-29
2-R-B-355	9-20-29	Renewal of license	Granted	10-12-29
2-F-B-47	11-15-29	Install automatic frequency control.	Granted Issued	Min. 1-3-30 1-8-30
2-R-B-355	12-28-29	Renewal of license (WABY deleted & WNAT call chgd to WHAT-there- fore hours on renewal changed accordingly:)-	Granted	1-27-30 S-WHAT.WFKD 1/3 time; WHAT 1/3 time:Stations not permitted opr.when WCAM is operating.
2-R-B-355	3-29-30	Renewal of license	Granted	4-5-30
2-R-B-355	6-28-30	Renewal of license	Granted	7-18-30
2-P-B-1635	8-23-30	Change equipment & inc.pr. from 50 to 100 watts	Granted	9-26-30
2-R-B-355	9-29-30	Renewal of license	Granted Issued	Min.10-21-30 10-8-30
2-ML-B-704	10-30-30	Move studio from 5813 Torresdale Ave. to 4734 Frankford Ave.,Philadelphia,Pa.	Allowed by Letter	G.O.98 11-10-30

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
LettersWTEL(11-4-30)
WFKDName Foulkrod Radio Engineering Co.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
2-ML-B-?	10-30-30	Change freq. from 1310 to 1200 kcs- and hours from Sharing with WHAT, 1/3 time; not permitted to operate when WCAM opr. to S-WHAT.	Returned (Request for time out of order)	11-10-30
2-ML-B-722	12-1-30	Change freq. from 1310 to 1200 kcs-requests change hours to Sharing with any local station.	Denied	3-27-31
2-R-B-355	12-29-30	Renewal of license(50 w.)	1-G.O.103	1-20-31
			2-Granted	4-24-31
			Issued 4-	22-31(100 watts)
2-L-B-510	1-23-31	License to cover P-B-1635 chg.equip & inc.pr.	Granted	3-10-31
2-R-B-355	3-28-31	Renewal of license (Retired to Files)	Not necessary	
2-ML-B-841	5-14-31	Increase hours of operation from Sharing WHAT-cannot opr.when WCAM is opr.-to Unlimited on 1310 kcs-but not to opr.when WCAM is operating.	Dismissed request of applicant.	6-26-31 accord.
2-P-B-2228	5-28-31	Move Trans.from Delaware River at Homestead St. to H St. & Wyoming Ave., Phila.	Granted	6-26-31
2-L-B-682	8-11-31	License to cover P-B-2228.	Granted	9-4-31

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters WTELName Foulkrod Radio Engineering Co.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
2-R-B-355	9-28-31	Renewal of license	Granted	11-13-31
2-ML-B-934	1-15-32	Change hours from Sharing-WHAT (net opp. when WCAM on air) to Sharing with WHAT only. See Lic. Letter from applicant advises that application requests that WCAM enter into a time sharing agreement with WTEL & WHAT so that Rules 155 & 156 may apply to all stations.	Denied Statement of Facts.	2-3-33
2-ML-B-967	2-24-32	Time assigned to but not used by WHAT & WCAM (See application for exact hours)	Denied Statement of Facts.	2-3-33
2-R-B-355	3-30-32	Renewal of license	Granted	5-6-32
2-F-B-282	6-10-32	Install automatic frequency control	Granted	7-1-32
2-P-B-2656	7-18-32	Move Trans. from Phila., Pa. to Somerton, Pa., move studio locally, install new transmitter & change freq. from 1310 kc-100 w.-sharing WHAT to 1170 kcs-5 KW-unlimited (Facilities WCAU).	Returned Rule 49.	8-22-32
2-R-B-355	10-31-32	Renewal of license	Granted	11-29-32

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2-R-B-355	3-17-33	Renewal of license	Granted	5-19-33
2-ML-B-1153	3-29-33	Change hours to have definite hours Specified in license instead of Share WHAT etc. Without change.	Returned Rule-49- Returned	4-25-33 --- 5-29-33
Resubmitted			request	of applicant
2-R-B-355	9-19-33	Renewal of License	Granted	11-7-33
2-ML-B-1261	11-15-33	Modification of license requesting a change in frequency from 1310 kc., to 1500 kc., from Sharing WHAT, to unlimited time	Dismissed with prejudice - Statement of Facts - Order Min. 4-27-34,	Eff. 6-1-34
2-R-B-355	3-20-34	Renewal of License	Granted	5-11-34

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-P-39	8-1-34	Construction permit to install new equipment, directional antenna, change frequency from 1310 kc to 1230 kc, increase power from 100w to 250w, 500w-LS, change hours of operation from S-WHAT to Unlimited	Returned	9-6-35
			No-reply-to-our-letters	
			Returned	9-18-37
			Request of applicant.	
Amended	5-13-35	To change operating power from 250w, 500w-LS to 500w night and day.		
Resubmitted & amended		To cancel amendment for 500w night, and make changes in antenna system.		
Received -	9-11-35			
Amended	12-30-35	To change trans. site from 11 St. & Wyoming Ave. to Highway 101. Amended: omit request to move trans.		
Amended	5-1-36			
B2-R-355	9-22-34	Renewal of license	Granted	11-13-34
B2-R-355	3-23-35	Renewal of license	Granted	5-28-35
B2-R-355	9-10-35	Renewal of license	Granted	11-12-35

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-R-355 Resubmitted	3-21-36 "	Renewal of license (Signature)	Returned	4-13-36
B2-R-355	9-10-36	Renewal of license	Granted	5-21-36
B2-F-85	2-19-37	Authority to install automatic frequency control apparatus.	Granted	11-24-36
B2-R-355	3-15-37	Renewal of license	Granted	3-16-37
B2-R-355	9-21-37	Renewal of license	Granted	5-11-37
B2-R-355	3-25-38	Renewal of license	Granted	11-23-37
B2-R-355			Granted	5-4-38

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-ML-587	6-30-38	Modification of license to change frequency from 1310 to 1500 kc , power hours of operation from S-WHAT, to unlimited time .	ORDER OF DISMISSAL Without Prejudice Request of Applicant	
Amended	9-6-38	AMENDED: to omit request for change in freq. and change requested hrs. of oper. from U. to S-WHAT (2/3 time).	Min. #466	11-7-38 11-8-38
B2-R-355	9-22-38	Renewal of license	Granted	11-15-38
B2-R-355	3-10-39	Renewal of license	Granted	5-23-39
B -R-355	9-22-39	Renewal of license	Granted	11-7-39

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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B2-P-2574	10-11-39	C.P. to make changes in equipment, increase power from 100 to 250 watts.	Docket No. 5963 ORDER of Dismissal Without Prejudice Request of Applicant Min. #168	4-21-42
Amended	12-14-39	RE: change frequency from 1310 to 1500 kc.		
Amended	1-9--40	RE: change time from 5-WHAT to Unlimited.		
Amended	5-6--40	RE: antenna changes. Form 335 filed 7-2-41.		
B2-ML-931	12-8-39	Mod of license to change frequency from 1310 to 1500 kc, and hours of operation from Shares with WHAT to unlimited using 100 watts power.	Returned	12-19-39
			Request of attorney.	
B2-R-355	5/31/40	Renewal of license	Granted	7-24-41
			1340kc, 100w, S-WHAT	
B2-P-3124	5-6-41	C.P. increase power to 250w, requesting 1540 kc	Docket No. 6305	
Rec'd	5-6-41	under NARBA and changes in equipment.	Dismissed without	
filed	5-6-41	Form 335 filed 6-7-41.	prejudice request of	
	4-1-42	Affidavit filed re availability of material	applicant. Order -	
		SEE CARD #11a	Min. 526, 8-12-42-	

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B2-P-3124	3-6-41	C.P. increase power to 250w. (requesting 1340 kc	Docket No. 6305	
Rec'd	3-6-41	under NARBA) and changes in equipment.	Dismissed without	
Filed	3-6-41	Form 335 filed 6-7-41.	prejudice request of	
	4-1-42 -	Affidavit filed re availability of material.	applicant -- Order --	
Petition to reinstate	Comm. release		Min. -- 3867-8-12-42	
in accord. of 8-11-43	9-9-43		ORDER of GRANT of petition to reinstate and application Min. #160	
Rec'd	9-9-43		4-11-44 Subj.	
Filed	9-9-43		compliance procedural requirements of Commission's Policy of 1-26-44	
			Letter Written	
			Grant accepted per letter of 4-27-44	
			Issued	6-7-44

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-7-940 Rec'd	5-14-41 5-16-41	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement.	Granted	6-5-41
B2-R-355 Resub.	7-30-41 "	Renewal of license and Form 335	Ret'd. - 9-9-41 Defect. Sections 15(a), (b) & 16. Granted	9-30-41 9-30-41
B2-R-355	7-30-42	Renewal of license and Form 335 Time-sharing agree. ret'd for signature.	Granted	3-28-44
B2-P-3665 Rec'd Filed	7-24-44 7-26-44 7-26-44	C.P. to reinstate C.P. (B2-P-3134) for increase in power and changes in equipment.	Granted for 30 days	8-1-44

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FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B2-L-1825	8-9-44	License to cover C.P. (B2-P-3665) which authorized increase in power from 100w to 250w and changes in equipment; and Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. (335s filed)	Granted	9-4-44
Rec'd	8-11-44			
Filed	8-11-44			
B2-Z-1621	8-9-44	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. (335s filed)	Granted	2-13-46
Rec'd	8-11-44			
Filed	8-11-44			
B2-R-355	3-29-45	Renewal of license Let. req. photos 4-7-45 Photos filed 4-11-45 Amend. & logs filed 11-30-45	Granted	2-13-46
Rec'd	3-31-45			

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-ML-1230 Rec'd Filed	4-5-46 4-8-46 4-8-46	Modification of License to change hours of operation from 8-11AT to unlimited time, except when WQAM operates. (Facilities to be relinquished by WTAT)	DOCKET NO. 8100 GRANTED AFTER HEARING ORDER MADE FINAL STATION WTCL CHANGE TO 860KC.	5-3-48 9-22-49
B2-R-355 Rec'd	11-26-46 11-29-46	Renewal of license	(1) Designated for Hearing (2) Temp. license Granted Granted 9-25-47 Docket # 8523 Granted 7-16-48 after being removed from hearing docket. ORDER ISSUED	

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-355 Rec'd	11-30-49 12-1-49	Renewal of license P. W. Seward, Atty.	Granted	4-28-50
BL-3983 Rec'd Filed	2-24-50 2-27-50 2-27-50	License to cover C.P. (BS-355/ ^{issued} in accordance with Commission's Order of September 22, 1949) which authorized to change frequency and hours of operation.	GRANTED	1-6-50
BR-355 Rec'd Filed	7-30-52 8-4-52 8-4-52	Renewal of License Filed by P. W. Seward, Atty.	GRANTED	12-17-52
BR-355 Rec'd Filed	3-1-54 3-5-54 3-5-54	Renewal of License Filed by A. L. Stein, Atty.	GRANTED	7-14-54

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-355	3-1-57	Renewal of License.		
Rec'd.	3-1-57	A.L.Stein, Atty.	GRANTED	7-18-57
Filed	3-1-57			
BAL-3248	11-21-58	Voluntary assignment of license to WTEL, Inc.		
Rec'd.	11-24-58	Harry G.Sells, Atty.	GRANTED	12-23-58
Filed	11-24-58		EFF:	12-30-58
Amended	12-15-58	Amended to change name of assignor to E.Douglass		
Rec'd.	12-15-58	Hibbs, Henry N.Cocker and Gertrude C.Hibbs.		
Filed	12-15-58	(Contingent on grant of BAL-3276)		
BAL-3276	12-10-58	Voluntary assignment of license from Fulkrod		
Rec'd.	12-11-58	Radio Engineering Company to E.Douglass Hibbs,	GRANTED	12-12-58
Filed	12-11-58	Henry N.Cocker and Gertrude C.Hibbs.	EFF:	12-27-58
		A.L. Stein, Atty.		

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-13462 R & F	9-17-59 9-22-59	Construction Permit to change type transmitter (Gates BC-250-GY) and request permission to operate by remote control from studio location 4312 N. Broad Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania <u>Atty's</u> : Dow, Löhnes and Albertson	GRANTED	10-22-59
BL-7889 Rec'd Filed	3-24-60 3-28-60 3-28-60	License to cover construction permit (BP-13,462) which auth. change type trans. and operate transmitter by remote control from studio) and specify trans. as Gates 250-T	GRANTED	6-27-60
BR-355 Rec'd Filed	4-21-60 4-27-60 4-27-60	Renewal of License. Earl R. Stanley, Atty.	GRANTED issued with B2-4391	5-11-61

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-14,115 Rec'd Filed	4-21-60 5-2-60 5-2-60	Construction Permit to increase power from 250w to 10kw; change antenna-transmitter location from 4312-14 North Broad Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania to On West side of West Conshohocken, Pennsylvania; install directional antenna system (DA-D); install new transmitter(Gates BC-10-P) and delete remote control operation Atty.- Dow, Lohnes and Albertson Eng.- Ralph J. Bitzer, St. Louis, Mo.	GRANTED Cond'l re: Phase Mon. Field meas. equip., DA & non-DA-proof. Permittee shall accept any interf. that may result in the event of a gr. of the applic. File No. BP-13818, of WAYE, Baltimore, Maryland.	11-14-62
BZ-4391 Rec'd Filed	11-18-60 11-25-60 11-25-60	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. Paul Godley Co., Engrs., Great Notch, N. J.	GRANTED issued with BZ-355	5-11-61

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-1917 Rec'd Filed	10-4-61 10-6-61 10-6-61	Modification of license to change studio location and Remote Control Point from 4312 N. Broad Street, Philadelphia, Pa. to 4140 Old York Road, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Charles J. McKerns, Atty.	GRANTED	10-12-61
BR-355 R. & F.	4-22-63 4-26-63	Renewal of License	GRANTED Issued with BZ-5045	11-15-63
EMP-10,932 R. & F.	6-1-63 6-4-63	Mod. of CP (BP-14,115 which auth. incr. power; change ant-trans. location; install DA-D; install new trans.; delete remote control) for extension of completion date from 7-14-63 to 2-14-64. Atty: Earl R. Stanley	GRANTED to 12-14-63	6-25-63

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BZ-5045 R. & F.	7-22-63 8-13-63	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. Atty- Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED Issued	11-15-63 with BR-355
BMP-11,096 R & F	11-5-63 11-12-63	Mod. of CP (BP-14,115) as mod which auth chgs in power, ant-trans loc, install DA-D, & delete RC and install new trans, for ext. of completion date from 12-14-63 to 6-64. Atty: Earl R. Stanley	GRANTED to	12-16-63 6-14-64
BZ-5210 R. & F.	3-9-64 3-11-64	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. Atty- Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED	5-4-64
BMP-11,255 R&F	5-6-64 5-8-64	Mod of CP (BP-14,115) as mod which auth incr power, chg ant-trans loc, delete RC and install DA-D and new trans) for ext comple date from 6-14-64 to 12-64. Atty: Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED to	6-25-64 12-14-64

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BMP-11,385 R. & F.	10-29-64	Mod. of C.P. (BP-14,115, as mod., which auth. incr. power, change ant.-trans. loc., delete RC and install DA-D and new trans.) for extension of completion date from 12-14-64 to 6-14-65. Attys: Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED to	12-4-64
	11-9-64			6-14-65
BMP-11,509 R&F	4-29-65	Mod. of C.P. (BP-14,115, as mod. which auth. incr. power, chng. ant.-trans. loc., delete RC and install DA-D and new trans.) for extension of completion date from 6-14-65 to 12-14-65. Atty: Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED to	5-28-65
	5-7-65			12-14-65

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BMP-11,641 R&F	10-28-65 11-1-65	Mod. of C.P.(BP-14,115,as mod.which auth. incr.power,chg.ant.-trans.loc.,install DA system(DA-D),install new trans. and delete remote control) for extension of completion date from 12-14-65 to 6-14-66. Atty: Dow,Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED	11-19-65
BZ-5874 R & F	1/11/66 1/14/66	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power. Atty: Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED	2-13-66
BMP-11,788 R&F	5-4-66 5-6-66	Modification of CP(BP-14,115 as modified which authorized increase power, change antenna trans. location, install DA system,(DA-D), install new trans., and delete remote control) for extension of completion date from 6-14-66 to 12-14-66 Atty - Dow, Lohnes and Albertson	GRANTED to issue	9-6-67 3-11-68 with BMP-12,145

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Philadelphia, Penna.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-355 R & F	4-25-66 4-28-66	Renewal of license Atty- Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED	7-29-66
BMP-12,145 R & F	7-27-67 7-28-67	Mod. of CP(BP-14,115 as mod which inc. power chg. ant-trans loc. install DA-D & new trans & delete RC) to chg. ant-trans loc to German- town Pike and Potshop Road, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and change DA system. (Spacing) Atty. Earl R. Stanley Engr. Ralph J. Bitzer (Req. waiver of Sect. 23.188(b)(1))	GRANTED	9-6-67
andened XXXXXX XXXXXX XXXXXX XXXXXX XXXXXX XXXXXX AUG 25 1967			issue with BMP-11,788 Cond'l re: Phase Mon. Filed mes. equip., DA & non-DA proof	
BMP-12,220 R. & F.	10-18-67 10-20-67	Mod. of CP (BP-14,115, as mod., which auth. incr. power, change ant-trans. loc, install DA-D and new trans, and delete RC) to add top loading. atty-Dow, Lohnes and Albertson (Earl R. Stanley/ enr-Ralph J. Bitzer ,St. Louis, Mo.	GRANTED	12-21-67
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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BMP-12303 R. & F. FEB 12 1968	2-1-68 2-2-68	Mod. of C.P. (BP-14,115, as mod., which auth. incr. power, chng. ant.-trans. loc. install new trans. & DA system. (DA-D), delete RC and add top load) for extension of completion date from 3-11-68 to 9-11-68. Attys: Dow, Lohnes & Albertson (E.R. Stanley)	GRANTED to	2-28-68 9-11-68
BMP-12,489 R. & F. #147412 \$30 SEP 10 1968	7-24-68 7-26-68 7-26-68	MP (BP-14,115, as mod) for extension of completion date to 1-11-69 (changes). atty-Dow, Lohnes and Albertson (Earl R. Stanley)	GRANTED to	9-16-68 1-11-69
BL-12,161 ✓ R & F #460603 \$30 PT NOV 13 1968	9/23/68 9/24/68 9/24/68 10/3/68	Lic. (BP-14,115 as mod.) incr. power & add'l. chngs. (Trans.-GATES EC-10H) Atty: Earl R. Stanley Engr: Ralph J. Bitzer, D.C.	GRANTED	11-22-68

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BP-18,392 R. & F. #465316 \$30 DEC 4 1968	10-9-68 10-11-68 10-11-68	CP to install an auxiliary transmitter (Gates PG-1T) at main trans loc., to be oper. on 860kc, 1kw, 2A-D, Day, for auxiliary purposes only. Atty-Dow, Lohnes and Albertson (Earl R. Stanley)	GRANTED	12-10-68
BL-12,322 R & F #499926 \$30 PT APR 4 1969	3/14/69 3/18/69 3/18/69 3/26/69	Lic. (BP-18,392) install aux. trans. Atty: Chas. J. Robertson	GRANTED	8-19-69
BR-355 R & F #509227 \$75. PRESS MAY 2 1969	4-10-69 4-23-69 4-23-69	Renewal of license Atty-Dow, Lohnes and Albertson (Earl R. Stanley) AMENDED 7-18-69 re: Programming	GRANTED	8-19-69

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BTC-6550 R & F FEE PD: \$250 #677523 CODE 053 (Form 316) APR 22 1971	3-31-71 4-8-71	Voluntary acquisition of negative control of lic corp by each, Quentin C. Sturm and George D. Hopkinson, thru purchase of stock (and retirement thereof) by the lic corp from Richard F. Dooley, Robert J. Dooley and Leonard Krez, Executor of the Estate of Dorothy B. Krez	GRANTED EFF:	4-27-71 4-29-71
Atty - Dow, Lohnes & Albertson				
BR-355 R & F PN Recd. PRESS APR 25 1972	4-20-72 " "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Daniel W. Toohey, Atty. 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	GRANTED	4-30-75
MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN WHICH TO FILE OPPOSITION filed 7-18-72 by Carl R. Stanley, Counsel on behalf of WTEL, Inc.		AMENDED 7-24-72 re: Revised Section VI TIME TO REPLY filed 7-26-72 by Coalition		
MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO REPLY filed 7-26-72 by Coalition		OPPOSITION TO "PETITION TO PREVENT CONTINUED VIOLATION OF COMMISSION'S EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES RULES" filed 8-18-72 by Daniel W. Toohey, Atty.		

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BR-355 AMENDED 9-6-72 re; employment practices

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

OPPOSITION TO MOTIONS TO STRIKE AND REPLY TO OPPOSITIONS TO PETITIONERS SUPPLEMENT TO THEIR PETITION TO PREVENT CONTINUED VIOLATION OF COMMISSIONS EEO RULES filed 6-12-74 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

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BR-355 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	3-17-75 3-27-75 MAY 22 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX. TRANSMITTERS) Daniel W. Toohey, Atty.	GRANTED	7-23-75
BRC-3916 R & F MAR 30 1977	3-8-77 3-18-77	Mod. of lic. to operate trans. by RC from 4140 Old York, Rd. Philadelphia, Penn. Atty: Earl R. Stanley	GRANTED	5-3-77
BR-355 R & F PRESS	3-25-78 3-27-78 APR 27 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Atty. Earl R. Stanley (Dow, Lohnes & Albertson)	GRANTED	7-12-78

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File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BR-810327UC PRESS	APR 30 1981	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty. Earl R. Stanley	GRANTED 7-7-81 81

Licensee ^x Foulkrod Radio Engineering Company

File No.	Date	Call Letters	Name and Location of Applicant	Remarks	Disposition
2-ML-B-1269	12-6-33	WHAT	Independence Broadcasting Company, Philadelphia, Pa.	Unlimited time, if WTEL vacates freq. 1310 kcs., WHAT not to operate when WCAM is operating	Dismissed 1-26-34
B2-ML-84	11-5-34	WHAT	Independence Broadcasting Company, Philadelphia, Pa.	Two-thirds time if WTEL vacates freq. 1310 kc., WHAT not to operate when WCAM is operating	Retr-9-6-35 Appl.-of-WTEL also-retained- <i>Rmd 9-23-37</i>
Resubmitted-Received 9-27-35					

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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.

