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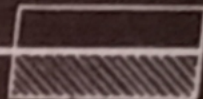
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BC-126  
February 1974

#4978

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

AM

Date first licensed July 24, 1975

Call letters WVUV

Station location Leone, American Samoa

Name of licensee RADIO SAMOA, LTD.

Transmitter location Midkiff St., near Leone High School, Valioatai, American Samoa

Main studio location Same as transmitter

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time	Period
				Div.	From To
BP-19,448	2-20-75	1120kHz.	10kw	Unl	2-20-76
	CP for a new standard broadcast station.				
COMTEL	3-27-75	Auth. granted operate with facilities in CP BP-19,448 thru 5-27-75			
BP-19,448	4-1-75	Call letters assigned.			
BL-13,977(L)	7-24-75	Lic. for New Standard Broadcast Station 1120kHz, 10kw Unl.			2-1-78
12-16-75 REQUEST WAIVER OF SEC. 73.93 Comm. Rules w/ref permitting oper. by persons holding commercial Radiotelepho or radiotelegraph operator lic.					
BL-13,977(L)	7-24-75	ML superseded to redescribe antenna			2-1-78
BP-20316	5-20-76	CP to install 1kw Aux. trans. CCA ELECTRONICS CORP 1000D			5-20-77
TELEGRAM	8-26-76	Obstruction marking specifications in accordance Par. 1 only.			
BP-21,060	12-29-77	1120kHz.	1kw	Aux.	2-28-78
	CP to replace expired permit (BP-20,316)				
BP-21,184(L)	8-3-78	1120kHz.	1kw	Aux.	11-30-78
CANCELLED	CP to replace expired permit (BP-21,060)				
BR-4978	2-26-79	(S) REN. OF LIC.			2-1-81

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call WVUV  
Letters \* NEW

Name RADIO SAMOA, LTD.  
LEONE, AMERICAN SAMOA (c/o Ronald E. Prichard, P.O. Box 278, Pago Pago, American

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Samoa (96/99)	
			Nature	Date
BP-19,448	6-16-73	Construction permit for a new standard	GRANTED	2-20-75
Rec'd	6-19-73	broadcast station on:		
Filed	6-19-73	Frequency - 1120khz		
\$600-203733	6-19-73	Power - 10kw		
AC-035		Hours - <del>Daytime</del> - Unlimited		
PN filed	8-22-73	Transmitter - Gates, BC-10P		
PRESS:	6-28-73	Studio site - Midkiff Street near Leone High School, Valioatai, American Samoa		
		Transmitter site - Midkiff Street near Leone High School, Valioatai, American Samoa		
		Coordinates - 14° 21' 28" 170° 46' 36"		
		Amended 7-17-73 re financial letter.		
		REQUEST FACILITIES OF WVUV.		
		Atty. Pierson, Ball and Dowd Eng. Hammett & Edison F. C. C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.		

Req. grant fee \$5,400.00  
pd 048 6-9-75 435952

Amended 8-3-73 re statement concerning information about Mr. Berger.

PETITION IN OPPOSITION TO LICENSE APPLICATION OF RADIO SAMOA, LTD. filed 3-7-74 by Graves on behalf of Legislature of American Samoa (Fono and Delegate-at-large A.U. Fuimaono.

SUPPLEMENTAL REPRESENTATIONS IN SUPPORT OF PETITIONERS' OPPOSITION TO LICENSE APPLICATION OF RADIO SAMOA, LTD. filed 3-15-74 by Glenn Graves on behalf of Legislature of American Samoa.

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME IN WHICH TO FILE OPPOSITION TO PETITION filed 3-25-74 by Freeman on behalf of applicant.

OPPOSITION TO PETITION IN OPPOSITION TO LICENSE APPLICATION OF RADIO SAMOA, LTD. filed 4-8-74 by Green on behalf of applicant.

REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO PETITION IN OPPOSITION TO LICENSE APPLICATION filed 4-18-74 by nR. Graves on behalf of American Samoa.

Amended 7-5-74 re statement to clarify music format.

Amended 11-15-74 re: data Ascertainment of community needs

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INITIALS

435952  
AMT.

8/20/25  
DATE

500  
TRANS. CODE

435952  
PHASE 1 REFUND ACTION

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1120khz

#2

Call  
Letters WVUV

Name RADIO SAMOA, LTD.  
Leone, American Samoa

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-13,977 R & F \$100#430900 PTA PRESS JUN 30 1975	5-16-75 5-19-75 5-27-75 5-29-75	Lic. to cover BP-19,488 for New Standard Broadcast Station Atty: James J. Freeman (Pierson, Ball, Dowd)	GRANTED	7-24-75
BP-20,316 R&F #50-562186 AC:001 PRESS: MAY 4 1976	4-26-76 4-30-76 4-30-76	Construction permit to install a new Auxiliary transmitter CCA Electronics Corp. 10000 Atty: Harrison T. Slaughter	GRANTED	5-20-76
BR-4978 R & F PN Recd. PRESS OCT 18 1977	9-30-77 10-3-77 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Leon J. Schachter, Atty.	GRANTED	2-26-79

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1120khz.

Call  
Letters W V U V

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Leone, American Samoa

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-21,060 R & F PRESS: <b>DEC</b> 14 1977	11-1-77 11-4-77	Construction permit to replace expired permit. (BP-20,316) (AUXILIARY TRANSMITTER)  Atty: Leon J. Schachter (Pierson, Ball, etc.)	GRANTED	12-29-77
BP-21,184 R & F PRESS: <b>MAY</b> 15 1978	4-28-78 5-4-78	CP to replace expired permit (BP-21,060, as reinstated) (FOR CHANGES) REQUEST WAIVER OF SECTION 1.534(b) OF THE COMMISSION'S RULES (AUXILIARY TRANSMITTER)  Atty: Leon J. Schachter (Pierson, Ball, etc.)	GRANTED  CANCELED Unnecessary	8-3-78  12-12-79
BP-800428AG (C)	5-15-80	Construction permit to chg freq. 650KHz; and make changes in antenna system ATY: Harrison Slaughter  Public Notice		

## APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: 1120khz.  
WVUV

Name: RADIO SAMOA, LTD.

Station Location: LEONE, AMERICAN SAMOA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BR-801001UX PRESS	OCT 31 1980	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty. Brian A. Johnson	GRANTED 1-26-81



## 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.

