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Remington Rand Inc.

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REMOVABLE LABEL GUIDE

Cat. No. 4550L

Patent No. 1390199

Date First Licensed 10-13-21

CARD NO. 1.

Call WWJ 3-3-22

Letters WBL

LOCATION: DETROIT, MICHIGAN

NEWSPAPER PUBLISHER

Name of Licensee: The Evening News Association (Renewal 4-19-29)
 The Evening News Association (Detroit News) (7-27-22)
 The Detroit News

~~for Coolidge Highway, E. of Goodall St., River Rouge, Michigan (C.P. 4-30-47)~~
~~12700 Eight Mile Road, ^{Meyers Road} Oak Park, Michigan (8 mile road renumbered) CP forfeited~~
 Intersection Meyers and Eight Mile Roads, Oak Park, Michigan (MP-B 1-10-36) (Lic. 5-1-36)
 Detroit, Michigan (Site to be determined) C.P. 10-15-35
 Intersection Meyers and Eight Mile Roads, Oak Park, Michigan (C.P. 4-30-35)
 Transmitter 810 West Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich. (Renewal 10-31-29, No Move)
 Location: 615 West Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich.

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 Main Studio 615 West Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Michigan (C.P. 4-30-47) (CP forfeited)
 Location: 622-626 W. Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Michigan (Renewal 12-30-36)
 615 West Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich.

Zone 2. CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD me1
 Eight Radio District - License No. 239

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD	
					From	To
BUREAU OF NAVIGATION RECORDS - DEPT. OF COMMERCE						
239	10-31-21	300 M. Meters	110	Unlimited	10-31	10-12-22 Cancelled
239	2-11-22	360&485	2KW	Spec. Hrs.	2-11	5-10-22
239	5-6-22	360&485	1200	Spec. Hrs.	5-6	8-5-22
239	7-27-22	360&485	1200	Spec. Hrs.	7-27	10-26-22
	Also Change of Assignment					
239	9-28-22	400&485	500	Unlimited	9-28	12-27-22
	Entered Class B.					
239	12-22-22	400&485	500	Spec. Hrs.	12-22	3-21-23
239	4-7-23	400	500	Spec. Hrs.	4-7	5-15-23
239	5-12-23	580	500	Unlimited	5-12	8-14-23
239	8-14-23	580	500	Spec. Hrs.	8-14	11-13-23
239	11-13-23	580	500	Spec. Hrs.	11-13	2-12-23
239	2-1-24	580	500	Spec. Hrs.	2-1	4-30-24 Cancelled
239	4-12-24	580	500	Spec. Hrs.	4-12	7-11-24
239	7-2-24	580	500	Spec. Hrs.	7-2	10-1-24
239	9-26-24	580	500	Spec. Hrs.	9-26	12-25-24
Letter	12-19-24	Continue Operation			12-19	7-14-25
239	7-15-25	850	1KW	Unlimited	7-15	10-14-25
239	11-2-25	850	1KW	Unlimited	11-2	2-1-26
Letter	2-3-26	Continue Operation			2-3	7-18-26
239	7-19-26	850	Not Stated		7-19	10-18-26
		Indicated.-1KW				
239	10-20-26	850	"	1KW	Not Stated	10-20 1-19-27
239	2-12-27	850	"	1KW	"	2-12 5-11-27
Zone 2 FEDERAL RADIO COMMISSION - RECORDS						
B-315T.P.	4-21-27	850	1KW	Unlimited	Not Stated	
B-315	6-1-27	800	1KW	Unlimited	6-1	7-31-27
Effec.date	of previous lic. deferred by G.O.13				6-15	8-14-27
B-315	8-8-27	Letter of Extension			8-15	10-14-27
B-315	9-15-27	850	1KW	Unlimited	9-15	10-14-27
					Cancelled	
B-315	10-1-27	850	1KW	Unlimited	10-1	10-14-27
G.O. 18	Extension of license				10-15	10-31-27
B-315	10-24-27	Letter of Extension			10-31	12-31-27
O. 21	Extension of License				12-31	1-31-28
O. 22	"	"	"	"	1-31	3-1-28
O. 23	"	"	"	"	3-1	4-1-28
O. 25	"	"	"	"	4-1	5-1-28

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

CARD NO. 2.

Date First

Licensed 10-13-21

Call
Letters WWJ

Name of

Licensee: The Evening News Association

Transmitter

Location: See Card No. 1

Main Studio

Location: _____

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Zone 2.

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD		
					From	To	
G.O. 27	Extension of License				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	
REALLOCATION							
R-B-315	10-31-28	920	1KW	Unlimited	11-11	1-31-29	
R-B-315	1-10-29	920	1KW	Unlimited	1-31	4-30-29	
R-B-315	4-19-29	920	1KW	Unlimited	4-30	7-31-29	
R-B-315	6-20-29	Extended by G.O. 69			7-31	10-31-29	
R-B-315	10-31-29	920	1KW	Unlimited	10-31	1-31-30	
R-B-315	1-21-30	920	1KW	Unlimited	1-31	4-30-30	
Telegram	4-30-30	Auth. to continue oper.			4-30	5-14-30	
R-B-315	5-3-30	920	1KW	Unlimited	4-30	7-31-30	
R-B-315	7-7-30	920	1KW	Unlimited	7-31	10-31-30	
R-B-315	10-7-30	920	1KW	Unlimited	10-31	1-31-31	
R-B-315	1-20-31	Extended by G.O. 103			1-31	4-30-31	
"	4-21-31	920	1KW	Unlimited	4-30	9-1-31	
R-B-315	8-7-31	920	1KW	Unlimited	9-1	3-1-32	
R-B-315	2-9-32	920	1KW	Unlimited	3-1	9-1-32	
R-B-315	8-12-32	920	1KW	Unlimited	9-1	3-1-33	
R-B-315	2-21-33	920	1KW	Unlimited	3-1	9-1-33	
R-B-315	2-21-33	920	1KW	Unlimited	3-1	9-1-33	
R-B-315	2-20-34	920	1kw	Unlimited	3-1	9-1-34	
B2-R-315	8-14-34	920	1kw	U	9-1	3-1-35	
B2-S-315 G.A.	12-11-34 12-3-34	Oper. 100w trans. on 920kc between 12 midnight and 6 am EST in the area of Detroit, Mich. for period ending not later than Dec. 31, 1934. to determine new trans. site					
B2-S-315	1-3-35	Oper. 100w trans. 920 kc betw. 12mid. and 6am in area of Detroit 1-1-35 to 1-31-35 to deter. trans. site, 12-11-34 to 12-3-34					
P-297	1-29-35	Install new equipment, move transmitter and incr. day power to 5kw-LS				3-29	9-29-35
B2-R-315	2-26-35	920	1kw	U	3-1	9-1-35	

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date First
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CARD NO. 3.

Call
Letters WWJ

Name of
Licensee: The Evening News Association

Transmitter
Location: _____

Main Studio
Location: _____
FRC-65

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No	Date issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD		
					From	To	
B2-S-315	3-19-35	Use 100w trans. 920 kc. betw. midn. & 6 am, at Detroit,			from 3-19	to 4-17.	
B2-P-456	4-30-35	Move transmitter			6-30	12-30-35	
B2-MP-173	6-4-35	Install new trans. & ext. commencement date			7-4	12-30-35	
B2-R-315	8-13-35	920	1kw	U	9-1	3-1-36	
Action of B2-P-297	1-29-35	in granting C.P. 297 affirmed					
	10-15-35	Move trans. install new equip. Incr. day power to 5kw			1-19	7-19-36	
B2-S-315	11-26-35	Oper. temp. antenna at present licensed location, pending completion of construction as authorized by C.P.				11-26	12-25-35
B2-S-315	12-17-35	Oper. w.o. a/f/m.			12-17-35	to 1-1-36.	
B2-MP-255	1-10-36	Appr. trans. site PB-297			1-19	7-19-36	
B2-S-315 C.A.	1-10-36 12-26-35	Oper. temp. antenna at present licensed location pending comp. of const. as author. by C.P.			12-26	1-25-36	
B2-S-315	1-10-36	Oper. without A/F/M			1-2	1-21-36	
	Effective 1-2-36						
B2-S-315	1-28-36	Oper. without A/F/M (Ext)			1-22	1-31-36	
B2-R-315	2-21-36	920	1kw	U	3-1	9-1-36	
B2-S-315	C.A. 3-20-36	Rebroadcast prog. originating Amateur Sta. W8BWH for period begin. 10 pm on night of 3-20-36					
	3-27-36						
B2-S-315	4-7-36	Operate without a/f/m			4-10	5-9-36	
B2-2-50		920	1kw, 5kw	LS U	5-1	9-1-36	
B2-L-318	5-1-36	Lic. to cover C.P. move trans.; new equip. & incr. day power; also direct measurement.					
B2-S-315	5-14-36	oper. trans. formerly licensed as main for aux. purposes			5-14	6-12-36	
B2-S-315	5-14-36	Oper. trans. formerly licensed as main for aux. purposes without a/f/m			5-14	6-12-36	
B2-R-315	C.A. 8-20-36	920	1kw, 5kw	LS U	9-1	3-1-37	
B2-S-315	5-23-37	Extension of license				5-1	4-1-37
B2-S-315	3-26-37	Extension of License				4-1	5-1-37

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters W W J

Card #4

Name of licensee THE EVENING NEWS ASSOCIATION

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

APPL. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME Div.	PERIOD	
					From	To
B2-S-315	5/4/37				Opr. 5/4 to 3 am EST 6/2-increase night power to 5 kw to overcome interference.	
B2-S-315 Petition	5-11-37	Trans. of control from Wm. L. Scripps, George G. Booth & Edgar B. Whitcomb, trustees of the Estate of James E. Scripps, Deceased TO Certain Descendants of JAMES E. SCRIPPS (Deceased) (As contained in Exhibit "D" attached to Petition)				
B2-S-315	4-27-37				5-1	5-1-37
B2-S-315	5/1/37				Ext. opr. 5/3 to 7/2-increase night power 5 kw to overcome interference	
B2-R-315	5-25-37	920	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	5-25	9-1-37
B2-S-315	6/29/37				Ext. opr. 7/3 to 8/1, increase night power 5 kw. to overcome interference.	
B2-P-1852	7-30-37				9-30	3-30-38
B2-S-315	7/30/37				Move old aux. trans. & make changes in same, using 1kw power Ext. opr. 8/2 to 8/31 with increase in night power to 5 kw. to overcome interference.	
B2-S-315	C.A. 8/12/37				Record & rebroadcast over WWJ conversation bet. amateur sta. W*W in Detroit & amateur sta. 0Q5AA in Belgian Congo, Africa, bet. 10:30 p.m. & 11 p.m. EST. Friday, August 13.	
B2-R-315	CA 8-27-37	920	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	9-1	3-1-38
B2-S-315	C.A. 8/30/37				Ext. opr. 9/1 to 9/30 with an increase night power to 5 kw to overcome inter.	
B2-S-315	C.A. 9/29/37				Ext. opr. 10/1 to 10/30-increase in night power to 5 kw. overcome inter.	
B2-S-315	C.A. 10/27/37				Ext. opr. 10/31 to 11/29-incr. night power to 5 kw. to overcome interference.	
B2-S-315	11/23/37				Ext. opr. 11/30 to 12/29 with increase night power to 5 kw. overcome inter.	
B2-L-738 Aux.	1-20-38	920	1kw, 5kw-LS 1kw	U	1-20	3-1-38
		Lic. to cover C.P. for aux. trans.				
B2-S-315	12/22/37				Ext. opr. 12/30 to 1/28, incr. night power to 5 kw-overcome interference.	

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD
CARD #5

Date first licensed

Call letters **WWJ**Name of licensee **THE EVENING NEWS ASSOCIATION**

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME DIV.	PERIOD	
					From	To
B2-S-315	1/20/38					Ext. opr. 1/29 to 2/27 with increase in night power to 5 kw. overcome inter.
B2-S-315	2/24/38					Ext. opr. 2/28-increase night power to 5kw -overcome interference.
B2-R-315	2-26-38	920	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	3-1	9-1-38
B2-S-315	2-26-38					Aux. License extended 1 mo. 3-1 4-1-38
B2-S-315	3/22/38					Ext. opr. 3/30 to 4/28-with increase night power to 5 kw.-overcome interference.
B2-R-315	3-16-38	920	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	3-16	9-1-38
Auxiliary			1kw			
B2-S-315	4/9/38					Ext. opr. 4/29/38 to 5/28/38 with increase in night power to 5kw-overcome interference
B2-S-315	5/9/38					Ext. opr. 5/29/38 to 6/27/38 with incr. in night power to 5kw-overcome interference
B2-S-315	5/19/38					Rebrdcast. over WWJ range signals & weather reports from Bur. Air Commerce station WWHU at Wayne Co. Airport, Mich. on 5/19/38.
B2-S-315	6/1/38					Ext. opr. 6/28/38 to 7/27/38 with incr. in night power to 5kw-overcome interf.
B2-S-315	7/7/38					Ext. opr. 7-28-38 to 8-26-38 with incr. in night power to 5kw--overcome interf.
B2-S-315	8-4-38					Ext. opr. 8-27-38 to 9-25-38 with incr night power to 5kw overcome interf.
B2-R-315	8-23-38	920	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	9-1	3-1-39
Aux.			1kw			
B2-S-315	8/26/38					transmit to the CBC of Canada on Labor Day, 9-5-38, complete descrip. of running of the final heats of the Elmhurst and Gold Cup Races for retransmission thru some 30 CBC stations.
B2-S-315	9-13-38					Ext. Opr. period 9/26/38 to 10/25/38 with incr. night power to 5kw overcome interf.

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Transmitter location

Main studio location

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters W W JName 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—
B2-MP-1268	5-1-41	950	5kw*5kw-LS	U	3-28	9-28-41
	Mod.C.P.2880 as mod for changes in *DA for night use and specify NARBA frequency					
B2-L-1477) B2-S-1222) Aux.	11-7-41	950	5kw*5kw-LS *DA-Night 1kw	U	11-7	4-1-42
	Lic. cover of 2880 as mod. for increase in power, install DA for night use, and make changes in equip.; also determine operating power by direct method					
B2-R-315 Aux.	3-17-42	950	5kw*5kw-LS 1kw	U	4-1	8-1-42
	*DA-N					
B2-R-315 Aux.	7-7-42	950	5kw*5kw-LS 1kw	U	8-1	8-1-44
	*DA-N					
B2-S-315	9-15-42	transmit programs to CKLW from 10:15 to 10:30pm on Wednesdays from 9-15-42 to 10-14-42				
B2-S-315	10-5-42	transmit programs to CKLW from 10:15 to 10:45pm on Wednesdays from 10-7-42 to 11-5-42				
B2-S-315 Aux.	11-6-42	950	5kw*5kw-LS 1kw	U	12-1	8-1-44
	(Mod. Lic. accordance Order 107) *DA-N					
B2-S-315	3-21-44	To rebroadcast conversation between Army Air Forces Flying Fortress "Hells Angels" and Detroit City Airport in connection with WWJ's Victory Matinee Show between 1:35 and 2 pm EST, 3-22-44, only.				
B2-R-315 Aux.	7-25-44	950	5kw*5kw-LS 1kw	U	8-1	5-1-47
	*DA-N					
B2-S-315	12-6-44	to transmit to Radio Station CKLW for b/c by that station special sixth war loan program from 7:00 to 7:15 p.m., EST, 12-6-44, only.				
B2-S-315	4-29-45	to transmit to Radio Station CKLW, Windsor, Ontario, Canada, for broadcast by that station a series of public service news b/c for station for a period beg. 4-29-45 to 5-5-45, only.				

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
N2-S-315 Aux.	9-25-45	950	5kw*5kw-LS 1kw	U *DA-N	10-1 5-1-47
Mod. Lic. Order 107-A					
B2-S-315	10-16-45	to transmit to station CKLW, Windsor, Ontario, Canada, for broadcast by that station Special Commercial Birthday Party bet. 9 and 9:30 pm, EST, 10-16-45, only.			
BS-315	10-11-45	to transmit to radio station CKLW, Windsor, Ont., Canada for a variety show program bet. 9:15 and 9:30 pm, EST, 10-11-45, only.			
BR-135	4-24-47	950	5kw*5kw-LS	U	5-1 5-1-50
BS-135	4-23-47	Extension of license for aux. trans.			5-1- 7-1-47
B2-P-5474	4-30-47	950	5kw*5kw-LS *DA-N	U	By 6-30-47 to 12-30-47
C.P. to install new type trans., DA for night use & change transmitter and studio locations					
BS-315	6-26-47	Extension of license For auxiliary transmitter			7-1 10-1-47
BR-315 Aux.	7-31-47	950	5kw*5kw-LS 1kw *DA-N	U	7-31 5-1-50
BMP-3374**	12-3-47	Mod. CP	(5474)	for ext. of completion date, 6-30 10-1-48	
BS-315	1-5-48	STA to transmit to radio Station CKLW, Windsor, Ontario, Canada, for rebroadcast by that station special dedication program of WDET Detroit Board of Education, Detroit, Michigan from 9:15 am to 9:30 am, EST, 2-5-48, only.			
Tele	3-22-49	Auth. granted under Sec. 325(b) of Act to originate programs for transmission to CBL, Toronto and CBC network of national Hockey League Play-off games.			
BS-315	4-22-50	Extension of License (Main Only)			5-1 9-1-50
BR-315	6-21-50 (Main only)	950	5kw*5kw-LS *DA-N	U	6-21 5-1-53

**Deleted in accordance Sec. 1.314(a) Ltr. 10-27-48

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

#9

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Call letters W W J

Name of licensee See Card #1

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time	Period	
				Div	From	To
BS-315 Aux.	7-21-50	950	5kw*5kw 1kw *DA-N	LS U	7-21	5-1-53
Mod. to pick up Aux.						
BP-7826	10-4-51	950	5kw* *DA-N (COND'G CLAUSE)	U	12-4	6-4-52
CP chgs. DA pattern and ground system and mount TV ant. on S tower and FI ant on Center tower						
BR-315	7-1-53	Renewal of license Main & Auxiliary			7-1	10-1-55
BP-8749	7-22-53	950	5kw-DA-N	U	9-22	3-22-54
CP make change in DA & mount TV antenna on N Tower (CON'L)						
BS-315 Auxiliary	2-1-55	950	5kw-DA-N 1kw-DA-N Aux.	U	2-1	10-1-55
ML showing readjustment of DA system and new descrip. for monitoring Point #2						
BR-315	9-7-55	Renewal of license Main & Aux.			10-1	10-1-58
BP-10592 (Main)	6-7-56	950	5kw-DA-N	U	8-7-56	2-7-57
CP to install new transmitter (Continental 315)						
BP-10593 (Aux)	6-7-56	950	1kw-DA-N	Aux	8-7-56	2-7-57
CP to install new transmitter (COND'G) (Continental 314 C)						
BL-6499	3-8-57	950kc	5kw-DA-N	U	3-8	10-1-58
License to cover C.P. (EP-10,592) for new Main Transmitter						
BL-6500	3-8-57	950kc	1kw-DA-N	Aux.	3-8	10-1-58
License to cover C.P. (EP-10,593) for new Auxiliary Transmitter						
BR-315	9-10-58	950	5kw-DA-N	U	10-1	10-1-58
BR-315	9-10-58	950	1kw-DA-N	Aux.	10-1	10-1-58
BR-315	9-10-58	Renewal of license to (Main & Aux.)				10-1-61
BRC-1444 (1)	12-4-59	Mod. of license to operate Main trans. by Remote Control from 26201 Greenfield Rd., Southfield, Michigan (WWJ-TV Bldg.).				
BRC-1445 (1)	12-4-59	Mod. of license to operate Aux. trans. by Remote Control from 26201 Greenfield Rd., Southfield, Michigan (WWJ-TV Bldg.).				

* Forfeited per Section 1.314(a) Ltr. 11-19-52
 * Forfeited per Section 1.314(a) Ltr. 3-29-54

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June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters

Station location W W J

Name of licensee THE EVENING NEWS ASSOCIATION

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BS-315 (2)	6-9-61	Mod. of license to change monitor point location in the direction of 172.5° and redescribe monitor point 222.			
BR-315 AUX	12-12-61	950kc	5kw - 1kw	DA-N LS U12-12 to	10-1-64 10-1-64
BR-315	9-14-64	Renewal of license Main and Aux			10-1 10-1-67
BR-315	12-26-67	Renewal of License/NDEA Main/Aux.			12-26 10-1-70

Notification rec'd 7-24-70 stating that on 7-20-70 a RCA-BTA-10U2 transmitter was installed and operating.					

BL-12,709(L)	8-21-70	Lic. for changes (aux.) 950khz 5kw DA-N Aux.			10-1-70
BR-315(L)	9-30-70	Renewal of Main & Aux.		(S) &NDEA	10-1-73
EB SA	5-25-72				
BR-315(L)	9-27-73	RENEWAL OF MAIN & AUX.			10-1-76
Ltr	4-17-74	Trans. RCA BTA-5L1 now installed			
BL-13685(L)	10-10-74	Lic. to use former main trans. for aux purposes only,		RCA BTA-10U2	10-1-76
BR-315	1-6-78	(L) REN. OF LIC. (MAIN & AUX.)			10-1-79
BR-790531VZ					
BZ-781227AH(L)	1-10-80	Renewal of License and Direct Measurement			10-1-82
BR-790531VZ BZ-781227AH	1-10-80	Superseded to correct Studio and Remote Control Location			10-1-82

Form 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

No. 1.

Call WWJ (3-3-22)Letters x WBL

The Evening News Association (9-28-22)

 The Evening News Association (Detroit News) (7-27-22)Name The Detroit News

File No.	Date ^d Received	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
Eight Radio District - Lic.No.239	10-4-21	<u>BUREAU OF NAVIGATION RECORD - COMMERCE DEPT.</u> Application for license requesting 360 meters, 110 watts, transmitter location 615 West Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich.	Limited Commercial Granted 10-31-21, 360 meters, 110 watts, unlimited. (Lic. 1 Year) Cancelled.	
239	1-25-22	Renewal of license, 360 & 485 meters, 2 KW	Granted 2-11-22, spec. hours, weather & markets - entertainment	
239	5-3-22	Renewal of license, 1200 watts requested	Granted 5-6-22	
239	7-24-22	Renewal of license, requesting change of Assign. ment to - The Evening News Association (Detroit News)	Granted 7-27-22	
239	9-15-22	Renewal of license, 400 & 485 meters, 500 w., in the name of The Evening News Association	Granted 9-28-22, Unlimited, Ent. Class B.	
239	12-14-22	Renewal of license	Granted 12-22-22 Spec. hours.	

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File No.	Date d received	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
239	2-6-23	Renewal of license	Granted	4-7-23, 400 meters.
239	5-3-23	Renewal of license, requesting 580 kcs.	Granted	5-12-23, Un- limited. Eff. 5-15-23.
239	8-6-23	Renewal of license	Granted	8-14-23, Spec. Hours.
239	11-8-23	Renewal of license	Granted	11-13-23
239	1-30-24	Renewal of license	Granted	2-1-24 - Cancelled
239	4-8-24	Renewal of license	Granted	4-13-24
239	6-26-24	Renewal of license	Granted	7-2-24
239	9-18-24	Renewal of license	1-Granted	9-26-24 2-Extended by letter, dated 12-19-24
239	6-29-25	Renewal of license, requesting 1KW, 850 kcs.	Granted	7-15-25, Unlimited time
239	10-9-25	Renewal of license,	Granted	11-2-25 2-3-26, auth. to con- tinue operation.

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File No.	Date d	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
239	1-26-26	Renewal of license	Granted	7-19-26, Power not stated, indicated on appl. 1KW
239	10-11-26	Renewal of license	Granted	10-20-26
239	2-10-27	Renewal of license	Granted	2-12-27
<u>FEDERAL RADIO COMMISSION - RECORD</u>				
ZONE 2. 2-R-B-315	3-28-27	Renewal of license requesting 850 kcs, (352.7 meters), 1 KW, filed in the name of The Detroit News.	1-T.P. issued	4-21-27, 850 kcs. 1 KW, Unlimited.
			2-Lic.	6-1-27, 800 kcs., 1 KW, Unlimited.
			3-G.O.	#13.
2-R-B-315	8-29-27	Renewal of license	1-Letter of	8-8-27.
			2-Lic.	9-15-27, 850 kcs. 1KW, unlimited, Cancelled-
			3-Lic.	10-1-27, 850 kcs. 1KW, unlimited
			4-G.O.	#18

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File No.	Date d	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
2-R-B-315	10-3-27	Renewal of license	1-Letter	10-24-27
			2-General Orders, 21, 22, 23, 25, 27, 33, 35, 38 & 44.	
2-R-B-315	1-13-28	Renewal of license	Lic. 10-31-28, 920 kcs 1KW, unlimited. Reallocation.	
2-R-B-315	12-14-28	Renewal of license	Granted	1-10-29
2-R-B-315	4-2-29	Renewal of license (Telegram 4-18-29, states that licensee is a Michigan Corp., applications are filed in name of - The Evening News Ass'n. and The Detroit News)	Granted	4-19-29
2-R-B-315	6-28-29	Renewal of license	Granted	Ext. of Lic. 6-20-29 G.O. #89
2-R-B-315	9-30-29	Renewal of license (Telegram 10-28-29, states that address of transmitter is 810 W. Lafayette no move, also that Ass'n. is INC. "The Evening News Association, Inc.")	Granted	10-31-29

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File No.	Dated Registered	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
2-P-B-1011	10-28-29	C.P. to chg. loc. of transmitter from 810 W. Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich. to loc. to be determined, chg. freq. from 920 kcs. to 1020 kcs to increase power from 1 KW to 50 KW, also change equipment	Dismissed	9-1-31
Amended	9-5-30	To change freq. from 1020 kcs. to 1170 kcs.		
2-R-B-315	1-13-30	Renewal of license	Granted	1-21-30
2-R-B-315	4-21-30	Renewal of license	Telegram	4-30-30, ext. license to 5-14-30
			Granted	Lic. 5-3-30, 4-30-30 to 7-31-30
2-R-B-315	6-13-30	Renewal of license	Granted	7-7-30
2-R-B-315	9-25-30	Renewal of license	Granted	10-21-30
2-R-B-315	12-16-30	Renewal of license	G.O. 103	1-20-31
			Granted	4-24-31

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File No.	Dated Resubmitted	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
2-P-B-1885	12-19-30	C.P. to change loc. of transmitter from 810 W. Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich., to Location to be determined, install new equipment, change freq. from 920 kcs. to 1020 kcs. and increase power from 1 KW to 50-KW.	Dismissed	10-23-31
Amended	8-24-31	Change equipment and reduce power from 50 KW to 5 KW.		
2-ML-B-727	12-19-30	Move transmitter from 810 W. Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich. to location to be determined, Change freq, from 920 kcs. to 1020 kcs. and increase power from 1 KW to 50 KW (Out of Order)	Returned to applicant	1-3-31
2-R-B-315	6-22-31	Renewal of license	Granted	8-7-31
2-R-B-315	12-28-31	Renewal of license	Returned to appli.	1-21-32
Resubmitted			Granted	2-9-32
2-R-B-315	6-20-32	Renewal of license	Granted	8-12-32

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File No.	Date d submitted	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
2-R-B-315	2-2-32	Renewal of license (Section-1-not-correct)	Returned	2-8-33
Resubmitted	2-14-33		Granted	2-21-33
2-R-B-315	6-26-33	Renewal of license	Granted	8-4-33
2-R-B-315	12-30-33	Renewal of license	Granted	2-20-34
2-R-B-315	6-27-34	Renewal of license (12)	Returned	7-31-34
2-R-315 resubmitted	"	FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS RECORDS:	Granted	8-14-34
B2-R-315	11-7-34	Renewal of license	Granted	2-26-35
B2-P-297	12-19-34	Construction permit to install new equipment, move transmitter from 810 W. Lafayette Blvd., to site to be determined, Detroit, Michigan and increase power from 1kw to 1kw, 5kw-LS.	Granted 1-29-35 Protested by NAB, Grant suspended Min. 2-19-35 Ex. Rept. 1-109 - Com. action of 1-29-35 affirmed Min. 10-15-35 effective 11-19-35	

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-P-456	3-8-35	C.P. to move trans. from 810 W. Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich. to Intersection of Meyers & Eight Mile Rd., Oak Park, Mich.	Granted Retired	4-30-35 to Closed Files 2-21-36
B2-MP-173	5-8-35	Mod. C.P.(B2-P-456) to install a new transmitter and make equipment changes.	Granted Retired	6-4-35 to Closed Files 2-21-36
B2-R-31b	6-19-35	Renewal of license	Granted	8-13-35
B2-MP-255	11-21-35	Mod of C.P.(B2-P-297) for approval of trans. site at Intersection of Meyers & Eight Mi.Rd. Oak Park, Mich.(as approved under B2-P-456)	Granted	1-10-36

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-MP-257	10-30-35	Modification of construction permit (B2-P-297) to increase power from 1kw, 5kw-LS to 5kw day and night. (C.F. covered by license 5/1/36)	Retired to Closed Files Request of Attorney	5-28-40
B2-R-315	2-10-36	Renewal of License	Granted	2-21-36
B2-Z-53	4-14-36	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna.	Granted	5-1-36

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-L-318	4-14-36	License to cover C.P. (B2-P-297) as modified for move of trans. new equip. and increase in power.	Granted	5-1-36
B2-R-315 Resubmitted	7-3-36 7-23-36	Renewal of license (not signed by an officer)	Ret'd Granted	7-22-36 C.A. 8-20-36
B2-R-315	12-31-36	Renewal of license	Granted	5-25-37
B2-R-315	6-15-37	Renewal of license	Granted	CA 8-27-37
B2-R-315 Resubmitted	12-24-37 "	Renewal of license (Sec. 3a, 3b & program) " " (See Page #11 for aux. application)	Returned Granted	1-20-38 2-26-38

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FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B2-P-1852	6-23-37	Construction permit to make changes in old W.E. D-87737 transmitter and move same from 810 W. Lafayette, Detroit, Michigan to 12700 Eight Mi. Road, West, Oak Park, Michigan, to be used as an auxiliary transmitter.	Granted	7-30-37
B2-L-738	12-24-37	License to cover construction permit (B2-P-1852) for changes in equipment and move of old western electric transmitter for use as an auxiliary.	Granted	1-20-38
B2-R-315	3-2-38	Renewal of license for Aux. Trans.	Granted	3-16-38

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FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B2-R-315	6-27-38	Renewal of license (See 3a, 15b)	Both	9-14-38
"	"	" " " Aux. Trans.	Returned	9-14-38
Resubmitted	"	" " " "	Granted	8-23-38
"	"	" " " Aux. Trans.	"	"
B2-R-315	12-20-38	Renewal of license (See 3a, 8a, 15b)	Returned	1-5-39
"	"	" " " Aux. Trans. (See 15(b))	Returned	1-5-39
Resubmitted	"	Renewal of license	Granted	2-13-39
Resubmitted	"	" " " Aux. Trans.	"	"
B2-R-315	6-30-39	Renewal of license (See 3a, 8a, 15b)	Returned	7-19-39
"	"	" " " Aux. Trans. "	"	"
Resubmitted	"	Renewal of license	Granted	8-23-39
"	"	" " " Aux. Trans.	"	"

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-R-315	2-14-40	Renewal of license	Granted	3-22-40
"	"	" " " " Aux. Trans. (Sec. 15b & c)	Returned	3-19-40
Resubmitted	"	Renewal of license for Aux. Trans.	Granted	3-22-40
B2-P-2880	5-15-40	C.P. to make changes in transmitting equipment,	Granted	10-15-40
Rec'd	5-17-40	increase power from 1kw, 5kw-LS to 5kw day and night, and install directional antenna for night use. Requests Class III-A Station. (Filed by Spearman's Office).	Subj. submission & approval of new D.A. Specifications LETTER WRITTEN Issued with MP-1132	
B2-R-315	6/4/40	Renewal of license " " " " (Aux. Trans.)	Granted	3-24-41 950kc, 1kw, 5kw-LS, U

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-MP-1132 Rec'd. Filed	12-10-40 12-13-40 12-13-40	Modification of construction permit (B2-P-2880) for approval of directional antenna. for night use.	Granted	1-28-41
B2-MP-1268 Rec'd	3-21-41 4-3-41	as modified, Modification of C.P. (B2-P-2880*) for changes in directional antenna and to specify 950 kc under NARBA-extend completion (Paul Godley, Engr.) from 9-28-41 to 120 days after grant.	Granted	5-1-41
B2-L-1497 Rec'd	8-25-41 8-26-41 9-25-41 10-1-41	License to cover c.p. (B2-P-2880, as modified for incr. in power, install D.A. for night use & make changes in trans. equip. Form 335 filed New Form 302 filed correcting engineering data	Granted	10-7-41

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-2-1222 received	8-25-41 8-26-41 9-25-41 10-1-41	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement. Form 335 filed New Form 306 filed correcting engineering data. Filed by John C Spearman-Atty.	Granted	11-7-41
B2-R-315 Resub.	12-1-41 "	Renewal of license (Addl. copy, -11d, -11e, -11in, -Aux. -6b, -6c, & Forms 335.) Forms 335 filed	Ret'd Granted	8-18-42 3-17-42
B2-R-315 "	5-11-42 "	Renewal of license and Forms 335 " " " " " " Aux.	Granted "	7-7-42 "
B2-R-315 B2-R-315 Recd.	6-14-44 6-14-44 6-17-44	Renewal of license (Main transmitter) Renewal of license (Auxiliary transmitter) (Filed 335's)	Granted "	7-25-44 "

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Action	
				Date	
B2-P-5474 Rec'd Filed	10-16-46 11-26-46 11-26-46	Construction permit to install new transmitter (WE 405B-2) directional antenna for night use and change transmitter and studio locations from 12700 Eight Mile Road, West Oak Park, Michigan and 626 West Lafayette Blvd., Detroit Michigan respectively, to On Coolidge Highway, East of Goodell St., River Rouge, Michigan and 615 W. Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Michigan, respectively. Maurice E. Barnes, Atty McNary & Rathall, Engr.	GRANTED	4-30-47	

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-315 Recd.	2-20-47 2-28-47	Renewal of license (Filed by Atty. Barnes)	Granted	4-24-47
BR-315 Rec'd	7-9-47 7-16-47	Renewal of license Aux. Filed by Atty. Barnes	Granted	7-31-47
BMP-3374 Rec'd Filed	11-21-47 11-25-47 11-25-47	Mod. of C.P. (B2-P-5474, which authorized to install new transmitter, DA for night use and change transmitter and studio locations) for extension of completion date from: 12-30-47 to: 10-1-48. (Maurice R. Barnes, Atty.)	GRANTED Deleted	12-3-47 10-1-48 in accordance Sec. 1.314(a)

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-315 Rec'd	2-10-50	Renewal of license (Main)	Granted	6-21-50
	2-20-50	Filed by Maurice R. Barnes atty.	"	7-21-50
BR-315 Rec'd	4-27-50	Renewal of license (Aux.)		
	5-1-50			
BP-7826 Rec'd Filed	8-11-50 9-8-50 9-8-50	Construction permit to make changes in the directional antenna pattern and ground system, mount TV antenna on top of the south (#1) tower and an FM antenna on top of the center (#2) tower. Maurice R. Barnes, Atty. Edward W. Deeters, Engr.	GRANTED Cond'l re installation phase monitor; availability field meas. equip.; DA-Non-DA proof; inverse field intensity shall not exceed specified values; and not to be construed as approval to use FM and TV ants. by FM or TV Sta.	10-4-51
AMENDED Rec'd Filed	1-2-51 1-4-51 1-4-51	AMENDED to make changes in Directional antenna pattern.	Forfeited per Section 1.314(a) Ltr. 11-19-52	

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-8749 Rec'd Filed	2-2-53 2-3-53 2-3-53	Construction permit to make changes in the directional antenna system and mount TV antenna on the north tower. Maurice R. Barnes, Atty. Edward W. Deeters, Engr.	GRANTED FORFEITED per letter	7-22-53 2-B vert. rad. tower; phase monitor; field meas. equip. non-DA-DA proof. Section 1.314(a) 3-29-54
BR-315 Rec'd Filed	1-27-53 2-2-53 2-2-53	Renewal of License (Main and Auxiliary) Filed by Maurice R. Barnes, Atty.	GRANTED	7-1-53
<p>*PET. FILED 8-21-53 BY WPEN REQUESTING ACTION BE SET ASIDE & DESIGNATE APPLICATION FOR HEARING. PET. DENIED 9-30-53 MEMO OPINION & ORDER ISSUED **</p> <p>PET. FOR RECONSIDERATION OF COM'S ACTION OF 9-30-53 FILED 10-19-53 BY KREIGER ON BEHALF OF WPEN, REQUEST ADDITIONAL CONDITION BE ADDED TO CP.**</p> <p>** Pet. dismissed Ltr. 6-3-54</p>				

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-315 Rec'd Filed	6-13-55 6-29-55 6-29-55	Renewal of license (Main & Auxiliary) Robert E. Hodson, Atty.	GRANTED	9-7-55
BP-10,592 Rec'd Filed	5-22-56 5-25-56 5-25-56	Construction Permit to install new transmitter. (CONTINENTAL 315) Atty. - Robert E. Hodson	GRANTED transmitter to be installed	6-7-56
BP-10,593 Rec'd Filed	5-22-56 5-25-56 5-25-56	Construction Permit to install new auxiliary transmitter (CONTINENTAL 314 C)	GRANTED Cond'l re with Sec.	6-7-56 T complying 3.48 and 2.524

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-6499 Rec'd Filed	1-4-57 1-7-57 1-7-57	License to cover Construction Permit BP-10,592 which authorized installation of a new transmitter. (Main) Atty's: Pierson, Ball & Dowd.	GRANTED	3-8-57
BL-6500 Rec'd Filed	1-4-57 1-7-57 1-7-57	License to cover Construction Permit BP-10,593 which authorized installation of a new auxiliary transmitter. Atty's: Pierson, Ball & Dowd.	GRANTED	3-8-57

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-315 Rec'd Filed	6-5-58 6-30-58 6-30-58	Renewal of license (Main and Auxiliary) Robert E. Hodson, Attorney	GRANTED	9-10-58
BRC-1444 Rec'd Filed	4-16-59 4-20-59 4-20-59	Modification of license to operate Main trans- mitter by Remote Control from 26201 Greenfield Road, Southfield, Michigan (WWJ-TV Transmitter Building), using Directional Antenna nighttime (DA-N)	GRANTED	12-4-59
BRC-1445 Rec'd Filed	4-16-59 4-20-59 4-20-59	Modification of license to operate Auxiliary Transmitter by Remote Control from 26201 Greenfield Road, Southfield, Michigan (WWJ-TV Transmitter Building), using Directional Antenna nighttime (DA-N). Pierson, Ball & Dowd, Attys. (Harrison T. Slaughter)	GRANTED	12-4-59

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-315 Rec'd & Filed	6-19-61 6-21-61	Renewal of License (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Robert E. Hodson, atty.	GRANTED	12-12-61
PETITION TO WITHHOLD ACTION ON LETTER COMPLAINT OF THE HOUSTON POST COMPANY filed 12-10-63 by Slaughter for WWJ (re 3.87)				
BR-315 Rec'd Filed	7-1-64 7-7-64 7-7-64	Renewal of license---(Main & Auxiliary) Atty. Robert E. Hodson	GRANTED	9-14-64
BR-315 R & F	7-1-67 7-3-67	Renewal of license (Main & Aux.) Atty. Robert E. Hodson	GRANTED	12-26-67

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-315	6-15-70	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary)	GRANTED	9-30-70
R & F	7-2-70	Atty: Robert E. Hodson OBJECTIONS TO RENEWAL OF CONTINUANCE OF LICENSE of The Evening News Association to operate WWJ-TV-AM-FM filed 11-2-70 by National Association of Theatre Owners of Michigan, Inc.		
#613299 \$75.	(\$570. submitted)			
" \$30.	7-2-70			
P.N.	7-2-70			
	AUG 7 1970			
BL-12,709	4-27-70	Lic. to use former Main Trans: (CONTINENTAL, 315) as Auxiliary Trans.	GRANTED	8-21-70
R & F	7-23-70	Atty: Robert E. Hodson (Pierson, Ball & Dowd)		
#618016 \$30.	7-23-70			
FTA	8-3-70			
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10-1-70 Annual fee \$400.00 deducted from \$105. Renewal fee & EXTRA. NO CREDIT TO 1971.

The Commission by letter of 2-9-72 notified WWJ of apparent liability for \$1,000 forfeiture for violation of Section 73.123(a).

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-315 R & F P.N. PRESS JUN 1 1973	6-7-73 6-21-73 6-21-73	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) Atty.: William S. Green AMENDED 8-31-73 re: ascertainment of comm. needs; programming; equal emp. program	GRANTED	9-27-73
The Commission by letter of 7-31-74 notified station that \$1,000 forfeiture has been rescinded.				
BB-13685 R & F \$50#304604 PTA PRESS 24 SEP 1974	4-15-74 4-19-74 4-22-74 5-3-74	Lic. to use former main trans. for aux. purposes only, RCA BTA-10U2 Atty. Harrison T. Slaughter (Pierson, Ball & Dowd)	GRANTED	10-10-76

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-315 R & F P.N. PRESS	4-28-76 5-28-76 5-28-76 AUG 2 1976	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) Atty.: William S. Green AMENDED 2-16-77 re: programming MAR 1 1977	GRANTED	1-6-78
BR790531VZ PRESS AUG 7 1979		Renewal of License Atty.: Benjamin J. Griffin	GRANTED issued with BZ-781227AH	11-27-79
BZ-781227AH R & F DM PRESS DEC 8 1979	12-27-78 11-13-79	Direct Measurement Atty: Harrison T. Slaughter (Pierson, Ball & Dowd)	GRANTED issued with RENEWAL	1-10-80

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.

