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LOCATION: DETROIT, MICH.

WXYZ, INC. (ML 5-19-48)

- x KING-TRENDLE BROADCASTING CORPORATION (Mod.Lic.9-22-36)
- x Kinsky-Trendle Broadcasting Corporation (5-7-30).
- x American Broadcasting Corporation of Ohio (10-5-29; Teleg. 10-26-29)
- x American Broadcasting Corporation (10-25-28)
- x George Harrison Phelps, Inc.

Name of
Licensee:

Southfield Twsp.

20777 W. Ten Mile Rd. N.r. Detroit, Mich. (BL-9-13-60)

- x 15500 Joy Road, Detroit, Michigan
- x Joy & Greenfield Roads, Detroit, Michigan (C.P. 8-8-39) (Lic. 12-14-39)
- x 5057 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. (10-21-29)
- x R.F.D. No. 7, Near Fraser, Mich. (no change-appl 1.4-1-27)
- x R.F.D. No. 7, Mt. Clemens, Mich. (10-13-28)
- x 110 Rowena Street, Detroit, Mich.

Transmitter
Location:

Southfield Twsp.

20777 W. Ten Mile Rd. N.r. Detroit, Mich. (BL-9-13-60)

- x 15500 Joy Road, Detroit, Michigan. (Let. 4-20-55)
- x 8415 Jefferson Avenue, East, Detroit, Michigan (ltr. 2-9-44, Eff. 2-14-44)
- x 5057 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. (5-25-29)
- Maccubee Temple Building, Detroit, Mich. (4-1-27)

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Main Studio
Location:
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Ninth Radio District - License #1780.

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD From	To
BUREAU OF NAVIGATION RECORDS - Dept. of Commerce.						
Wire 1780	6-2-25	1110	500	Not stated		
Wire 1780	6-3-25	1110	500	Unlimited	6-3	9-2-25
Wire 1780	9-29-25	1110	1500	Unlimited	Pend. action	
Letter 1780	10-2-25	1110	1500 Exp.	Unlimited	10-2	1-1-26
Letter	11-20-25	auth. use 254 meters -30 days.				
Letter 1780	1-9-26	1110	1500 Exp.	Unlimited	Pend. action	
Letter 1780	7-19-26	1110	Not stated	Unl.	7-19	10-18-26
Letter 1780	10-13-26	1110	Not stated	Unl.	10-13	1-12-27
Change transmitter location.						
Letter 1780	2-12-27	1110	Not stated	Unl.	2-12	5-11-27
Zone 2. FEDERAL RADIO COMMISSION RECORDS.						
R-B-328TP	4-21-27	1110	1500	Unlimited	Not stated	
R-B-328	6-1-27	1230	1500	Unlimited	6-1	8-1-27
CANCELLED and superseded by license 6-15-27						
R-B-328	6-15-27	940	750	Unlimited	6-15	8-14-27
R-B-328	8-8-27	Letter of Extension			8-15	10-14-27
G.O. 18	Extension of license				10-15	11-1-27
R-B-328	10-24-27	Letter of Extension			11-1	12-31-27
M-B-	11-16-27	1080	750	WKAR	12-1	12-31-27
G.O. 21	Extension of license				1-1	1-31-28
G.O. 22	"	"	"		2-1	3-1-28
G.O. 23	"	"	"		3-1	4-1-28
G.O. 25	"	"	"		4-1	5-1-28
G.O. 27	"	"	"		5-1	6-1-28
G.O. 33	"	"	"		6-1	8-1-28
G.O. 35	"	"	"		8-1	9-1-28
G.O. 38	"	"	"		9-1	10-1-28
G.O. 44	"	"	"		10-1	11-11-28
A-B-12	10-25-28	Consent to Assignment of License				
Reallocation 11-11-28.						
R-B-328	11-3-28	1240	750	Unlimited	11-11	1-31-29
R-B-328	1-29-29	Extension by letter			1-31	3-16-29
R-B-328	3-12-29	Extension by letter			3-16	4-30-29
R-B-328	4-22-29	Extension by letter			4-30	6-15-29
R-B-328	5-25-29	1240	750	Unlimited	6-15	7-31-29
G.O. 69	Extension of License				7-31	10-31-29
R-328	10-5-29	1240	750	Unlimited	10-31	1-31

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Card No. 2.

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Name of Licensee: x KING-TRENDLE BROADCASTING CORPORATION (Mod.Lic. 9-22-36)
x Kunsy-Trendle Broadcasting Corporation(5-7-30)
x American Broadcasting Corporation of Ohio (See Card No.1)

Transmitter Location: x 5057 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. (10821-29)
R.F.D. #7 Near Mr. Clemens or Fraser, Mich.
 See Card #1.

Main Studio Location: x 5057 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich.

(Card No. 2) CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD		
					From	To	
P-B-949	10-21-29	1240	1 KW	Unlimited	11-22	1-21-30	
	Move tr. change equip. install DCC inc. pr. from 750 w.						
S-B-328	12-23-29	1340	750	Unlimited	12-23	1-22-30	
L-B-230	12-26-29	1240	1 KW	Unlimited	12-26	1-31-30	
R-B-328	1-11-30	1240	1 KW	Unlimited	1-31	4-30-30	
R-B-328	4-5-30	1240	1 KW	Unlimited	4-30	7-31-30	
A-B-215	5-7-30	Consent to voluntary assignment license					
R-B-328	7-7-30	1240	1 KW	Unlimited	7-31	10-31-30	
R-B-328	10-7-30	1240	1 KW	Unlimited	10-31	1-31-31	
G.O. 103	Extension of license				1-31	4-30-31	
R-B-328	4-9-31	1240	1 KW	Unlimited	4-30	10-1-31	
R-B-328	9-25-31	1240	1 KW	Unlimited	10-1	4-1-32	
R-B-328	3-8-32	1240	1 KW	Unlimited	4-1	10-1-32	
R-B-328	9-13-32	1240	1 KW	Unlimited	10-1	4-1-33	
R-B-328	3-10-33	1240	1 KW	Unlimited	4-1	10-1-33	
R-B-328	9-12-33	1240	1 KW	Unlimited	10-1	4-1-34	
R-B-328	3-23-34	1240	1kw	U	4-1	10-1-34	
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION							
B2-R-328	9-25-34	1240	1 kw	U	10-1	4-1-35	
B2-R-328	3-12-35	1240	1kw	U	4-1	10-1-35	
B2-F-8	10-1-35	Instal new automatic frequency control					
B2-R-328	9-10-35	1240	1kw	U	10-1	4-1-36	
B2-R-328	3-10-36	1240	1kw	U	4-1	10-1-36	
B2-ML-332	9-22-36	1240	1kw	U	9-22	10-1-36	
	Mod. License to change only						
B2-R-328	9-22-36	1240	1kw	U	10-1	4-1-37	
B2-S-328	C.A. 3/16/37	Opr. power not exceed 25 w on 550, 590, 650, 710, 780, 830, 890, 940, 990, 1050, 1100, 1140, 1190, 1240, 1300, 1350, 1400, 1460, 1520, 1500, 1600 kc. bet. 1 am & 6 am 3/16/37 (instead of 4/16/37 as granted 3/9/37) to 4/5/37-obtain info. performance of roof antennas.					
B2-R-328	3-26-37	1240	1kw	U	4-1	10-1-37	
B2-S-328	4/27/37	Opr. power not exceed 25w-550, 590, 650, 710, 780, 830, 890, 940, 990, 1050, 1100, 1140, 1190, 1240, 1300, 1350, 1400, 1460, 1520, 1550, 1600 kc. bet. 1am & 6 am 5/1/37 to 5/21-obtain info. on perf. roof antennas.					
B2-R-328	9-7-37	1240	1kw	U	10-1	4-1-38	

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x KING-TRENDLE BROADCASTING CORPORATION (Mod.Lic. 9-22-36)

x Kunsy-Trendle Broadcasting Corporation (5-7-30)

Name of licensee xAmerican Broadcasting Corporation of Ohio (See Card No.1)

See Card #1.

x 5057 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. (10-21-29)

R.F.D. #7 Near Mt.Clemens or Fraser, Mich.

Transmitter location

Main studio location

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Appl. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME DIV.	PERIOD		
					From	To	
B2-R-328	3-9-38	1240	1kw	U	4-1	10-1-38	
B2-R-328	9-13-38	1240	1kw	U	10-1	4-1-39	
B2-S-328	3-13-39	Extension of License				4-1	5-1-39
B2-S-328	4/24/39	conduct site tests in vic. of Detroit on 1280 kc, 1 hr after local sunrise to 1 hr prior to local sunset, 100w, daytime, frn 4/24/39 to 5/23/39					
B2-R-328	4-10-39	1240	1kw	U	4-10	10-1-39	
B2-P-2434	8-8-39	1240	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	10-8	4-8-40	
		C.P. to incr. day power; move trans.; install new trans.; antenna changes					
B2-R-328	9-19-39	1240	1kw	U	10-1	6-1-40	
B2-L-1044	12-14-39	1240	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	12-14	6-1-40	
		License to cover C.P. for increase in power, new trans., changes in ant., and move trans.					
B2-Z-264	12-26-39	1240	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	12-26	6-1-40	
		Mod. license for direct measurement					
B2-L-1089	1-25-40	1240	1kw	Aux.	1-25	6-1-40	
		License to use old W.E.106-B trans. as auxiliary					
B2-S-328	4-13-40	1240	1kw 5kw-LS	U	4-13	6-1-40	
		Mod. Lic. to add sunrise					
B2-R-328	5-15-40	1240	1kw 5kw-LS	U	6-1	8-1-40	
		Auxiliary 1kw					
Order	6/12/40	Extension of License (Main and Auxiliary)				8/1	10/1/40
B2-P-2559	9-17-40	1240	5kw*, 5kw-LS	U	11-17	5-17-41	
		*Directional antenna, night. C.P. to install DA for night use and increase power					
Order	9-10-40	Extension of license (Main and Auxiliary)				10-1	3-29-41
B2-L-1344	3-19-41	1240	5kw*5kw-LS	U	3-19	3-29-41	
B2-Z-705		Lic. to cover C.P.2559 for installation of *DA for night use and increase in night power. Determine operating power by direct method.					

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Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

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APPL. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME Div.	PERIOD		
					From	To	
NARBA REALLOCATION							
B2-R-328 Aux.	3-28-41	1270	5kw*5kw-LS 1kw	U Aux.	3-29	6-1-42	
*DA-N							
Renewal granted 3-24-41 but proof of performance not received and approved until 3-28-41.							
B2-Z-1034	6-19-41	1270	1kw	Aux.	6-19	6-1-42	
Determine operating power of auxiliary transmitter by direct method.							
B2-P-3271	11-4-41	C.P. make changes in D.A.				1-4	7-4-42
B2-S-328	4-9-42	To transmit to Station CKCL for reb/c by that station description of the Stanley Cup play-off games at Detroit, Mich. on 4-9 & 4-16-42, only					
B2-R-328 Aux.	5-19-42	1270	5kw*5kw-LS 1kw	U	6-1	10-1-42	
*DA-N							
B2-R-328 Aux.	9-8-42	1270	5kw*5kw-LS 1kw	U	10-1	10-1-44	
*DA-N							
B2-S-328 Aux.	11-6-42	1270	5kw*5kw-LS 1kw	U	10-1	10-1-44	
*DA-N							
Mod. Lic. accordance Order 107							
B2-P-3635	7-3-44	1270	1kw*	Aux.	9-3	3-3-45	
*DA-Night							
C.P. move aux. trans., and oper. with DA-Night							
B2-L-1822	8-14-44	1270	5kw* 1kw*	U Aux.	8-14	10-1-44	
*DA-Night							
Lic. cover CP 3635 for move aux. trans. to site of main trans., AND Oper. with DA-Night							
B2-S-328	9-26-44	Extension of license Main & auxiliary			10-1	12-1-44	
B2-S-328	11-11-44	to transmit to the Detroit studios of Radio Station CKLW (Windsor, Ontario, Canada) description of Army - Notre Dame Football Game beginning at 1:45 p.m., EST, 11-11-44, only					

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Transmitter location

Main studio location

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-	
B2-S-328	11-28-44	Extension of license			12-1 2-1-45	
B2-R-328 Aux.	12-27-44	1270	5kw*5kw- 1kw*	LS U *DA-N	12-27 11-1-45	
B2-S-328 Aux.	9-25-45	1270	5kw*5kw- 1kw*	LS U *DA-N	10-1 11-1-45	
		Mod. Lic. Order 107-A				
B2-S-328	10-24-45	Extension of license Main & auxiliary			11-1 1-1-46	
B2-S-328	12-19-45	Extension of license Main & auxiliary			1-1 3-1-46	
B2-S-328	2-20-46	Extension of license Main & auxiliary			3-1 5-1-46	
B2-S-328	4-26-46	Extension of license Main & auxiliary			5-1 7-1-46	
B2-R-328 Aux.	5-10-46	1270	5kw*5kw- 1kw*	LS U *DA-N	5-10 11-1-48	
B2-TC-490 EFF:	7-17-46	Transfer of control of licensee corp. from Geo. W. Trendle, John H. King, H. Allen Campbell and Howard C. Pierce to AMERICAN (Cond. Cl.) BROADCASTING CO., INC.				
BML-1297	5-19-48	Mod. Lic. to change name of licensee from King-Trendle Broadcasting Corporation TO WXYZ, Inc.				5-19 11-1-48
BR-328 Aux.	10-27-48	1270	5kw*5kw- 1kw*	LS U DA-N	11-1 11-1-51	
Telegram	7-28-49	Auth. to transmit to Trans-Canada Network of the Canadian Broadcasting Corp. description of Harmsworth Motorboat Races on Detroit River July 29, 30, and 8-1-49 from approximately 5 to 6 P.M. EST.				
Ltr.	8-3-50	Auth. to transmit to Canadian B/c Corp. description of Harmsworth Motorboat Races on the Detroit River Sept. 1, 2 & 4 from approx. 4 to 6 pm. EST.				
BR-328 Aux.	10-25-51	1270	5kw*5kw- 1kw*	LS U Aux. *DA-N	11-1 10-1-52	

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Name of licensee See card #1

Transmitter location

Main studio location

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BR-328 Aux. **	9-3-52	1270kc	5kw-DA-N 1kw-DA-N	Unl. Aux.	10-1 10-1-55
BTC-1153 S.P:	2-9-53 2-9-53	Vol. transfer of control of licensee corporation to American Broadcasting-Paramount Theatres, Inc.			
BP-9592	12-20-54	1270kc	5kw, DA-N	Un	2-20-55 8-20-55
CP to install new transmitter					
BL-5624 (1)	2-17-55	Lic. cover CP (BP-9592) which auth. install new transmitter.			
BR-328 Main	9-7-55	1270kc	5kw LS-S, DA-N	U	10-1 10-1-58
BR-328	9-24-58	Renewal of License			10-1 10-1-61
BP-11913	11-5-58	1270kc	5kw, DA-N	U	1-5 7-5-59
CP to change antenna-trans. & studio location, make changes in the directional antenna system (incr. hght) & changes in the ground system.					
BP-11913	11-5-58	1270kc	5kw, DA-N	U	1-5 7-5-59
Superseding auth. correcting description of the antenna system.					
BP-12968	5-5-59	1270kc	1kw-DA-N	Aux.	7-5-59
CP to install a new transmitter (GATES BC-1T) at the main transmitter location to be used as an auxiliary trans. on 1270kc with power of 1kw, DA-N for auxiliary purposes only.					
BMP-8545 (1)	6-18-59	Mod. of CP(BP-11,913) for Extension of Completion dates to August 28, 1959			
BP-12968	5-5-59	Superseding auth. to correct beginning and ending date of construction			7-5 1-5-60
BMP-8642	8-24-59	Mod. of CP(BP-11913, as Mod.) to extend completion date to			10-27-59

** Auxiliary license cancelled 7-19-55 - Request licensee

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BL-7688	9-13-60	1270kc	5kw, DA-N U		9-13 10-1-61
	Lic. to cover cp (BR-11,913 as mod.) which auth. chg. in ant.-trans. and studio loc., make chgs. in DA system and ground system.				
BL-7689	9-13-60	1270kc	1kw, DA-N Aux.		9-13 10-1-61
	Lic. to cover cp (BP-12,968) which auth. instl. of a new trans. for aux. purposes only.				
BS-328 (1)	11-29-60	Mod. of license to redescribe Monitor Point No. 1.			
BS-328 (2)	5-5-61	Mod. of license to specify remote antenna base currents in place of phase monitor sample currents.			
BR-328 AUX	12-3-64	1270kc.	5kw	U DA-N	12-3 10-1-67 10-1-67
BTC-5062	12-21-66	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from American Broadcasting Companies, Inc. to American Broadcasting Companies, Inc.			
TELEGRAM	1-15-68	FSA	5000w		
BR-328	12-26-67	Renewal of License/NDEA Main/Aux.			12-26 10-1-70
BR-328		Renewal of NDEA (Condition)			
BZ-7627(L)	10-6-71	Renewal & Mod. of Main			10-1-73
BR-328 BZ-7628(L)	10-6-71	Renewal & mod. of Aux. (Cond '1)			10-1-73
BZ-7627-8 BR-328(L)	10-6-71	Supersede to correct values at MP's and combine Main & Aux. 1270kc 5kw DA-N U 1kw DA-N Aux.			10-1-73
EBSA Office BR-328(L)	5-25-72 3-8-74 9-27-73	Main Trans: Gates MW-5 RENEWAL OF MAIN & AUX.			10-1-76
BL-13665(L)	7-16-74	Lic. to use former main trans. for aux. only			10-1-76
Comlet	8-14-74	Ant Monitor: Potomac Inst. AM-19(204)			

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Transmitter location

Main studio location

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BR-328(L)	12-13-76	RENEWAL (MAIN & AUX.)			10-1-79
COMTEL	2-28-80	AUTHORITY AND extended THRU		TERMS COMTEL	9-13-79 6-1-80
BR790601VS(S)	5-12-80	Renewal of License			6-1-83
BP810316AX (L)	7-13-81	1270khz	5kw	5kw Unl.	7-13-82
		CP to add MEOV's to the nighttime Directional Antenna Pattern.			

Card No. 1

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Name George Harrison Phelps, Inc.

File No.	Date d	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
Eighth Radio District-Lic. No. 1780.	5-29-25	<u>BUREAU OF NAVIGATION RECORD - COMMERCE DEPT.</u> Application for license requesting 1110 kcs. (270 meters), 500 watts, transmitter location 110 Rowena Street, Detroit, Mich.	1-Auth. Wire	6-2-25 to opr. pending action.
			2-Granted	6-3-25 (Unlimited hours).
Renewal	9-23-25	Renewal of license requesting 1500 watts power, transferring station from Class A to Class B.	1.Auth. Wire	9-29-25.
			2.Granted	10-2-25, with amendment for power on exp. basis.
Modification	10-14-25	Telegram requesting 930 kcs. Exp. to determine if interference with Denver, Colo.	Denied Telegram	10-15-25.
Modification	11-19-25	Request through Supervisor's office a change from 270 meters to 254 meters	Granted	11-20-25 for 30 days.
Renewal	12-15-25	Renewal of license requesting 1110 kcs(270 m).	1.Auth. by letter	1-9-26 pending action.
			2.Granted	7-19-26, power not specified.

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Card No. 2.

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File No.	Dated Received	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
Renewal	9-29-26	Renewal of license, also change of location from 110 Rowena Street, Detroit, Mich. to R.F.D. No. 7, Mt. Clemens, Mich.	Granted	10-13-26, Power not specified.
Renewal	2-10-27	Renewal of license	Granted	2-12-27 Power not specified.
<u>ZONE 2.</u> 2-R-B-328	4-1-27	<u>FEDERAL RADIO COMMISSION - RECORD</u> Renewal of license requesting 1110 kcs (270.1 m) 5 KW-later changed by applicant to request 860 kcs (348.6 m)-no actual change of location but designated as near Fraser, Mich.	1.T.P. issued 4-21-27, 1110 kcs-1500 watts Unlimited. 2.Lic. 6-1-27, 1230 kc 1500 watts, unlimited.-CANCELLED and superseded by 3.Lic. 6-15-27, 940 kcs 750 watts, Unlimited	

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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File No.	Date d Received	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
2-R-B-328	7-29-27	Renewal of license	1. Letter 2. General	8-8-27. Order 18.
2-R-B-328	10-10-27	Renewal of license	1. Letter 2. Mod. lic. 1080 kcs-750 watts, Shares WKAR. 3. General Orders 21, 22 23, 25, 27, 33, 35, 38 & 44.	10-24-27. 11-16-27
2-R-B-328	1-12-28	Renewal of license	Superseded by appli. for assignment & ren. dated 10-4-28.	
2-P-B-46	1-25-28	Construction permit to increase power from 750 watts to 5KW.	Denied 11-19-28 Notice dated 12-8-28	
2-M-B-38	10-3-28	Modification of license filed in name American Broadcasting Corp. to increase power from 750 watts to 5 KW	Denied 1-14-29 Notice dated 1-24-29	

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American Broadcasting Corporation (Assign. 10-25-28).

Name George Harrison Phelps, Inc.

File No.	Dated. Received	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
2-A-B-12	10-4-28	Renewal and consent to assignment of license to American Broadcasting Corp.	1. Assignment license granted	10-25-28.
			2. License	11-3-28 1240 kcs-750 watts-unlimited.
2-R-B-328	12-10-28	Renewal of license	1. Extension granted	1-29-29 to 3-16-29.
			2. Extension granted	3-12-29 to 4-30-29.
2-R-B-328	3-11-29	Renewal of license	Extension granted	4-22-29 to 6-15-29.
2-M-B-307	4-10-29	Modification of license to increase power from 750 watts to 1 KW.	Denied	11-15-29- Order dated 11-25-29.
2-R-B-328	5-10-29	Renewal of license	Granted	5-25-29.
2-R-B-328	8-5-29	Renewal of license	Extended	69 to General Order 10-31-29.

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Kunsky-Trendle Broadcasting Corporation (5-7-30).

Name x American Broadcasting Corp. of Ohio (Telegram 10-26-29 confirming correct name)
x American Broadcasting Corp.

File No.	Dated xReceivedx	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
2-R-B-328	9-25-29	Renewal of license	Granted	10-5-29.
2-P-B-949	10-1-29	Construction permit change transmitter location to 5057 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich., change equip; install crystal control & increase power from 750 w. to 1 KW.	Granted Issued	10-15-29 10-21-29.
2-L-B-230	12-7-29	License to cover 2-P-B-949	Granted	12-26-29
2-R-B-328	12-31-29	Renewal of license	Granted	1-11-30.
2-R-B-328	3-21-30	Renewal of license	Granted	4-5-30.
2-A-B-215	4-28-30	Consent to voluntary assign. license to Kunsky-Trendle Broadcasting Corp.	Granted Issued	5-2-30 5-7-30.
2-R-B-328	6-7-30	Renewal of license	Granted	7-7-30.
2-R-B-328	9-15-30	Renewal of license	Granted	10-21-30.
2-ML-B-688	10-6-30	Change frequency from 1240 kc. to 640 kc.	Returned G.O. 40.	to applicant 11-8-30.
2-R-B-328	12-13-30	Renewal of license	1- G.O. 103 2- Granted	1-20-31. 4-9-31.

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File No.	Date d. Resubmitted	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
2-P-B-2267	6-20-31	Move transmitter & studio from 5057 Woodward Av. Detroit, Mich. to point to be determined by portable, Michigan (trans.) and Macabee Bldg., Detroit, Mich., install new transmitter and increase power to 5 KW.	Returned to applicant 8-8-40 7-14-31	
Resubmitted	7-22-31	Resubmitted without amendment.	Dismissed at request of applicant	11-6-31.
2-R-B-328	7-15-31	Renewal of license	Granted	9-25-31
2-R-B-328	1-27-32	Renewal of license	Granted	3-8-32
2-R-B-328	7-15-32	Renewal of license	Granted	9-13-32
2-R-B-328	1-16-33	Renewal of license	Granted	3-10-33
2-R-B-328	7-22-33	Renewal of License	Granted	9-12-33
2-R-B-328	1-26-34	Renewal of license	Granted	3-23-34
		FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS RECORDS:		
B2-R-328	7-17-34	Renewal of license	Granted	9-25-34

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KING-TRENDLE BROADCASTING CORP. (Mod.Lic.9-22-36)

Name KUNSKY-TRENDLE BROADCASTING CORP.

FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B2-R-328	12-21-34	Renewal of license	Granted	3-19-35
B2-R-328	7-30-35	Renewal of license	Granted	9-10-35
B2-F-8	8-27-35	Authority to install automatic freq. control.	Granted	10-1-35
B2-R-328	1-21-36	Renewal of license	Granted	3-10-36
B2-R-328 Resubmitted	7-28-36 "	Renewal of license (filed in wrong name) (Unnecessary)	Returned Returned	8-7-36 10-5-36
B2-R-328	8-11-36	Renewal of license	Granted	9-22-36
B2-M-332	8-11-36	Mod. of license to change name from KUNSKY-TRENDLE B/o CORP. TO KING-TRENDLE B/o CORP.	Granted	9-22-36
B2-R-328	1-27-37	Renewal of license	Granted	3-26-37

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FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B2-P-1793	5-5-37	Construction permit to install a new transmitter and increase power from 1kw to 5kw.	Docket 4661 - Granted Petition to DISMISS appl. without Prejudice 8-4-39	
Amended	5-29-37	To change transmitter site from 5057 Woodward Ave. Detroit Mich. to site to be de- termined Wayne Co. Mich. (WITHDRAWN - Re- turned 6-5-37)	Min. #360	8-7-39
B2-R-328	7-22-37	Renewal of license	Granted	9-7-37

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FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B2-R-323	1-25-38	Renewal of license	Granted	3-9-38
B2-R-323	7-25-38	Renewal of license (Sec. 30, 28, 27a)	Returned	8-9-38
Resubmitted	7-25-38		Granted	9-13-38
B2-R-323	1-27-39	Renewal of license (Sec. 17h)	Returned	2-9-39
Resubmitted	"		Granted	4-10-39
B2-P-2424	6-2-39	C.P. to install new transmitter, make changes in antenna, increase in power from 1kw to 1kw; 5kw-LS. and move transmitter from 5057 Woodward Ave., to Joy & Greenfield Rds., Detroit, Michigan.	Granted	8-8-39

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FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B2-R-328	7-27-39	Renewal of license	Granted	9-19-39
B2-P-2559	9-27-39	C.P. to install directional antennae for night use. Increase power from 1kw; 5kw-LS to 5kw day and night.	Returned	10-10-39
Resubmitted	10-12-39	AMENDED: re DA (amendment returned 2-21-40)	Granted	date of application.
Amended	2-19-40	AMENDED: re directional antenna	Granted	9-17-40
B2-L-1044	11-20-39	License to cover C.P. (B2-P-2424) for new transmitter, changes in antenna, move of transmitter and increase in daytime power.	Granted	12-14-39
Amended	11-20-39	Re: Section 50		
B2-Z-264	12-1-39	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	Granted	12-26-39

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-L-1089	12-6-39	License to use old W.E. 106-B transmitter as an auxiliary transmitter at 5057 Woodward Ave. (its present site) for emergency use only. with power of 1kw.	Granted	1-25-40
B2-R-328 "	3-27-40 "	Renewal of license " " " Aux. Trans.	Granted "	5-15-40 "
B2-L-1344 Rec'd.	2-20-41 2-21-41	License to cover construction permit (B2-P-2559) for increase in power and installation of directional antenna for night use.	Granted	3-19-41
B2-Z-705 Rec'd.	2-20-41 2-21-41	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	Granted	3-19-41
B2-R-328 "	3-27-40 "	Renewal of license " " " " Aux. subject to receipt and performance. Approved	Granted 3-24-41	1270 kc, 5kw, U, DA-N approval of proof of 3-28-41

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Action
				Date
B2-Z-1034 Rec'd	5-21-41 5-27-41	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power -Aux.Trans.	Granted	6-19-41
B2-P-3271 Rec'd Filed	8-4-41 8-5-41 8-5-41	Construction permit to make changes in D.A.	Granted Forfeited	11-4-41 per Sec. 1.356
B2-R-328 "	5-23-42 "	Renewal of license and Forms 335 " " " " " Aux. Filed by P.J. Hennessey, Jr.	Granted	5-19-42
B2-R-328 "	7-20-42 "	Renewal of license and Forms 335 " " " " " Aux.	Granted "	9-8-42 "

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-P-3635 Rec'd Filed	5-25-44 6-5-44 6-5-44	Construction Permit to move auxiliary transmitter from 5057 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, Michigan, to Joy and Greenfield Roads, Detroit, Michigan (site of main transmitter) and operate with directional antenna night. (Filed by Harold G. Cowgill, Atty.)	Granted	7-3-44
B2-R-328 Rec'd.	7-20-44 7-22-44 9-9-44	Renewal of license and Forms 303-B (Filed by Atty. Cowgill) Aux. filed 9-21-44 Amend. filed 9-7-44, 10d, 13b, 17b, & 18	Granted "	12-27-44 "
B2-L-1822 Rec'd Filed	7-27-44 7-31-44 7-31-44	License to cover C.P. (B2-P-3635) which authorized move of auxiliary transmitter to site of main transmitter, to be operated with D.A. night. (Filed by Harold G. Cowgill, Atty.)	Granted	8-14-44

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FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B2-R-328 Rec'd	8-29-45 9-4-45	Renewal of license, Main Filed by Harold Cowgill atty. Photos filed 9-12-45 Amend. filed 10-1-45 Renewal of license, Aux.	Granted "	5-10-46 "
72-75-480 Rec'd Filed	6-7-46 5-6-46 5-6-46	Transfer of control of licensee corporation from Geo. W. Trendle, John H. King, H. Allen Campbell, and Howard O. Pierce to American Broadcasting Company, Inc. thru sale of 100,000 shares of common stock (100%). (Filed by Philip J. Renssney, Jr., Atty.)	Docket No. 7619 GRANTED AFTER A HEARING Order issued 7-17-46 EFF: (Conditional Clause re profits WOOD held in trust re AVCO procedure)	

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BML-1297 Rec'd Filed	4-29-48 4-30-48 4-30-48	Modification of License to change name of licensee from King-Trendle Broadcasting Corporation <u>TO</u> WXYZ, Inc. (Filed by Andrew G. Haley, Atty.)	GRANTED	5-19-48
BR-328 Rec'd BR-328	8-24-48 9-7-48 10-12-48	Renewal of License (Main) Filed by Andrew G. Haley, Atty. Renewal of license (Aux.) Filed by Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	Granted "	10-27-48 "
ETC-1151 Rec'd Filed	7-9-51 7-12-51 7-12-51	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from American Broadcasting Company, Inc. to American Broadcasting-Paramount Theatres, Inc. (100%). Paul Porter, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	2-9-53 2-9-53

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-328 Rec'd	7-31-51 8-2-51	Renewal of license (Main & Auxiliary) Filed by Andrew G. Haley, atty.	Granted Main & auxiliary	10-25-51
PETITION FILED 3-3-52 BY ROBERT H. SCOTT TO REVOKE LICENSES OF STATIONS OWNED OR OPERATED BY AMERICAN BROADCASTING CO.				
BR-328 Rec'd Filed	7-1-52 7-3-52 7-3-52	Renewal of license (Main & Auxiliary) Vernon L. Wilkinson, atty.	GRANTED	9-3-52
HP-9592 Rec'd (in N.Y. office) Filed	12-8-54 12-14-54 12-14-54	Construction permit to install a new transmitter (GATES PC-5E).	GRANTED	12-20-54
BL-5624 Rec'd Filed	1-28-55 1-31-55 1-31-55	License to cover construction permit (HP-9592) which authorized installation of a new transmitter.	GRANTED	2-17-55

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-328 Rec'd Filed	6-21-55 6-30-55 6-30-55	Renewal of license	GRANTED	9-7-55
BP-11,913 Rec'd Filed	3-14-58 3-18-58 3-18-58	Construction permit to change antenna-trans. & studio location from 15500 Joy Road, Detroit, Mich. to Junction Ten Mile Rd. & Northwestern Highway, Southfield Township, Mich., make changes in the directional antenna system (incr. hght) & changes in the ground system. (Request waiver of Sec. 3.188(b)(1) of Rules) Atty. - McKenna & Wilkinson Engr. - Kear & Kennedy	GRANTED	11-5-58

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BR-328 Rec'd Filed	7-18-58 7-21-58 7-21-58	Renewal of license	GRANTED	9-24-58
BP-12,968 Rec'd Filed	4-15-59 4-16-59 4-16-59	Construction permit to install a new transmitter (GATES BC-1T) at the main transmitter location to be used as an auxiliary trans. on 1270kc with power of 1kw, DA-N for auxiliary purposes only.	GRANTED	5-5-59
BMP-8545 Rec'd Filed	5-21-59 5-25-59 5-25-59	Modification of c.p. (EP-11,913 which authorized change antenna-trans. and studio locations and make change in directional antenna and ground systems) for extension of completion date from 7-5-59 to	GRANTED	6-18-59 to 8-28-59
BP-12,968	7-27-58	Modification of c.p. (EP-11,913 which authorized change antenna-trans. and studio locations and make change in directional antenna and ground systems) for extension of completion date from 7-5-59 to	GRANTED	6-18-59
BP-12,968	7-27-58	Construction permit to install a new transmitter (GATES BC-1T) at the main transmitter location to be used as an auxiliary trans. on 1270kc with power of 1kw, DA-N for auxiliary purposes only.	GRANTED	5-5-59

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BNP-8642 R. & F.	7-27-59	Modification of op (BP-11,913 as mod., which auth. change in antenna-transmitter and studio location, make changes in DA system & ground system) for extension of completion date from 8-28-59 to _____.	GRANTED	8-24-59
	7-28-59			to 10-27-59
BL-7688 Rec'd Filed	10-19-59	License to cover construction permit (BP-11913, as modified) which authorized change in antenna-transmitter and studio locations, make changes in DA system & ground system. Frank G. Kear, Engr.	GRANTED	9-13-60
	10-20-59			
	10-20-59			
BL-7689 Rec'd Filed	10-19-59	License to cover construction permit (BP-12968) which authorized installation of a new transmitter for auxiliary purposes only. Frank G. Kear, Engr.	GRANTED	9-13-60
	10-20-59			
	10-20-59			
BR-328 Rec'd&Filed	6-30-61	Renewal of License MAIN & AUXILIARY James A. McKenna, atty.	GRANTED	12-3-64
	7-3-61			

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-5062 R & F	3-31-66 3-31-66	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from American Broadcasting Companies, Inc. to American Broadcasting Companies, Inc. Atty - McKenna & Wilkinson Atty for IT&T - Cohn & Marks	GRANTED	12-21-66
BR-328 R & F JUL 20 1967	6-21-67 6-30-67	Renewal of license (Main & Aux.) Atty. McKenna & Wilkinson	GRANTED	12-26-67
BR-328 R & F \$105 #613287 PN Recd. PRESS AUG 14 1970	6-25-70 7-2-70 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX.) N.P. Leventhal, Atty. (McKenna & Wilkinson) AMENDED 10-1-70 re: Exhibit I (litigations)	GRANTED	10-6-71 Condition re: pending civil antitrust action
BR-7627 R & F DE PRESS SEP 25 1970	9-26-69 9-29-69 9-11-70	Direct Heas. (MAIN) Atty: Richard N. Gitter, Southfield, Mich.	GRANTED	10-6-71 (Condition)

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-1760 R & F DM PRESS	9-26-69 9-29-69 9-11-70	Direct Hous. (Auxiliary) Atty: R. P. Gitter, Southfield, Mich.	GRANTED (Condition)	10-6-71
SEP 25 1970				
9-30-70 Annual fee \$440.00 deducted from \$440.00 Renewal fee & EXTRA. NO CREDIT.				
BR-328 R & F PN PRESS	6-18-73 7-3-73 7-3-73	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) Atty: Robert W. Coll	GRANTED	9-27-73
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BL-13665 R & F 50#290833 PTA PRESS	3-12-74 3-13-74 3-15-74 3-28-74	Lic. to user former Main Transmitter for Auxiliary Purposes Only, Gates BC-5B	GRANTED	7-16-74
28 JUN 1974				

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-328 R & F P.N. Press	5-21-76 5-28-76 5-28-76 JUN 30 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Atty: Robert W. Coll (Mckenna, Wilkinson, & Kittner) AMENDED 9-16-76 re: engineering	GRANTED Cond'l re	12-13-76 anti-trust action
BR 790601 VS PRESS JUL 10 1979		RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Robert W. Coll, Atty. STIPULATION AND ORDER AND FINAL JUDGMENT filed 11-26-80	GRANTED	5-12-80
BP810316AX PRESS (0) APR 20 1981		CP to add MEOV'S to the Nighttime Directional Antenna Pattern. Atty. R. Michael Senkowski (McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner)	GRANTED Con'd	7-13-81

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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.

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