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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

NON-COMMERICAL EDUCATIONAL

Date first licensed December 15, 1952

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LOCATION: LAWRENCE, KANSAS

Name of licensee THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS

Transmitter location 16th and Iowa, Lawrence, Kansas

Main studio location University Campus, Lawrence, Kansas

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

| Appl. No. | Date Issued | MCS. Freq. | ERP Power | Time Div. | Period From- To.. |
|--|-------------|---|------------------|-----------|-------------------|
| BPED-173 | 11-10-50 | 91.5 | 35kw | U Terr: | By 1-10-51 |
| CP new Non-Comm. Educn. FM B/C station 620 ft. To 7-10-51 | | | | | |
| BMPED-242 | 6-26-51 | Ext. of | Compl. date to | | 1-10-52 |
| BMPED-250 | 1-4-52 | Ext. of | Compl. date to | | 7-10-52 |
| BMPED-256 | 7-8-52 | Ext. of | compl date to | | 9-10-52 |
| BMPED-257 | 9-10-52 | Extension of completion date to | | | 10-10-52 |
| BLED-121 | 12-15-52 | License to cover | | | to 9-1-54 |
| BRED-99 | 8-18-54 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE | | | 6-1-56(S) |
| BRED-99 | 5-3-56 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE | | | 6-1-59(S) |
| BRED-99 | 5-13-59 | Renewal of License | | | to 6-1-62 |
| BPED-438 | 7-19-60 | 91.5mc | ERP:105kw | Unl. | 9-19-60 |
| | | TPO:10kw | Ch.218 | HAAT:570' | 3-19-61 |
| Construction permit to install new antenna and increase erp. | | | | | |
| BMPED-364 | 2-20-61 | Mod. CP(BPED-438) to increase HAAT & ERP | | | |
| (1) | | and install new 600' tower. | | | |
| BLED-320 | 7-20-61 | 91.5mc | 108kw | Unl | 7-20-61 |
| | | Ch.218 | TPO: 10kw | | 6-1-62 |
| | | License to cover CP(BPED-438, as mod.) to install new ant. and incr. ERP. | | | |
| | 5-29-62 | Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration. | | | |
| BRED-99 | 8-24-62 | Renewal of license | | | 8-24 6-1-65 |
| BRED-99 | 5-4-65 | Renewal of License | | | 6-1 6-1-68 |
| BRED-99(S) | 5-28-68 | Renewal of License & NDEA | | | 6-1-71 |
| BPED-1258 | 5-6-71 | 91.5mc | TPO: 19.5kw | | 5-6-72 |
| | | HAAT: 660' (H&V) | ERP: 110kw (H&V) | | |
| FORFEITED | | CP chg. trans, ant., TPO, ERP, HAAT & operate RC | | | |
| BRED-99(L) | 7-20-71 | RENEWAL & NDEA | | | 6-1-74 |
| BSCA-1078 | 8-24-71 | SCA on 67 kcs. | | | 6-1-74 |
| BPED-1258 | 5-24-71 | RF chg. max in and overall height. | | | |
| (1) | | FORFEITED | | | |
| BMPED-884 | 5-4-72 | MP(BPED-1258) Extension time. | | | |
| (2) | | FORFEITED | | | 11-6-72 |
| EBSA | 5-15-72 | | | | |

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Station location Lawrence, Kansas

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Transmitter location

Main studio location

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| BMPED-909 | (3)8-8-72 | MP(BPED-1258, | as mod) chg. ant. | | |
| BPED-1640 | 7-5-73 | 91.5mhz | ERP: 110kw(H&V) | | 7-5-74 |
| HAAT: 660' | (H&V) | #218 | CP to replace expired permit (BPED-1258) (RC) | | |
| BLED-1130 | (L)8-10-73 | Lic.(BPED-1640) | Changes | | 6-1-74 |
| BPED-1949 | 5-28-75 | 91.5MHz. | ERP: 110kw(H&V) | U | 5-28-76 |
| HAAT: 660ft | (H&V) | CP install new transmitter | | | |
| BLED-1427 | | Renewal of lic. | | | |
| BRED-99(L) | 10-2-75 | Lic.(BPED-1949) | Changes | | 6-1-77 |
| BRSCA-1078 | 9-22-75 | Renewal of SCA | | | 6-1-77 |
| BRED-99(L) | 5-31-77 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE | | | 6-1-80 |
| BRSCA-1078 | " | RENEWAL OF SCA | | | " |
| SAME AS ABOVE | | SUPERSEDED TO CORRECT DT of SCA | | | 6-1-80 |
| LTR. | 11-16-77 | TRANS: COLLINS 831-G1 mod. w/ COLLINS 310Z-1 exciter now installed as ALT MAIN | | | |
| BRED800204UA | | RENEWAL OF LICENSE | | | |
| BRSCA" | 5-30-80 | RENEWAL OF SCA | | | 6-1-83 |

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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BPED-173 Rec'd. Filed | 10-6-50 | Construction permit for a new Non-Commercial Educational FM broadcast station. Frequency: 91.9 Mcs. Channel 220 Operating Power: 10 kw. T-L: 16th and Iowa, Lawrence, Kansas (WE 506B-2 Max. 10 kw.) Studio: University Campus, Lawrence, Kansas | GRANTED | 11-10-50 |
| | 10-11-50 | | | |
| | 10-11-50 | | | |
| Amended Recd. Filed | 10-30-50 | Amended to change antenna system. | | |
| | 11- 2-50 | | | |
| | 11- 2-50 | | | |
| BMPED-242 Recd. & Filed | 6-15-51 | Mod. of C. P. (BPED-173 which authorized a new Non-Commercial Educational FM B/c. station for extension completion date from 7-10-51 to 1-10-52. | GRANTED | 6-26-51 |
| | 6-18-51 | | | |
| BMPED-250 Recd. Filed | 12-14-51 | Mod. of construction permit (BPED-173) which authorized a new Non-Commercial Educational FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 1-10-52 to 7-10-52. | GRANTED | 1-4-52 |
| | 12-17-51 | | | |
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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BPED-256 Recd. & Filed | 6-30-52 7-1-52 | Modification of C. P. (BPED-173 as mod) which authorized a new Non-Commercial Educational FM B/c. station for extension of completion date from 7-10-52 to 9-10-52. | GRANTED | 7-8-52 |
| BPED-257 Recd. & Filed | 8-28-52 9-2-52 | Modification of C.P. (BPED-173 as mod. which authorized a new Non-Commercial Educational FM B/c. station for extension of completion date from 9-10-52 to 10-10-52. | GRANTED | 9-10-52 |
| BLED-121 Rec'd & Filed | 10-4-52 10-6-52 | License to cover construction permit (BPED-173 as modified, which auth. a new Non-commercial educational station) | GRANTED | 12-15-52 |
| BRED-99 Recd & Filed | 7-26-54 7-29-54 | Renewal of license | GRANTED | 8-18-54 |
| BRED-99 Recd & filed | 3-3-56 3-5-56 | Renewal of license | GRANTED | 5-3-56 |
| BRED-99 Rec'd & Filed | 2-28-59 3-2-59 | Renewal of license. | GRANTED | 5-13-59 |

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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BPED-438 R & F | 6-21-60 6-23-60 | Construction Permit to install anew antenna (RCA-BFA-12A) and increase ERP from 35kw to 108kw. | GRANTED | 7-19-60 |
| BPED-364 Rec'd&Filed | 10-19-60 10-21-60 | Modification CP(BPED-438) to increase HAAT (675.12'); incr. ERP(108kw); and increase hght. antenna by installing new 600' tower. | GRANTED HAAT: ERP: | 2-20-61 660' 110kw |
| BLED-320 Rec'd&Filed | 3-23-61 3-27-61 | License to cover CP(BPED-438 as mod. CP to install new antenna and incr. ERP). | GRANTED | 7-20-61 |
| BRED-99 Rec'd Filed | 3-10-62 3-12-62 3-12-62 | Renewal of license | GRANTED | 8-24-62 |
| BRED-99 R & F | 3/1/65 3/3/65 | Renewal of license | GRANTED | 5-4-65 |
| BRED-99 R & F | 3-1-68 3-4-68 | Renewal of License | GRANTED | 5-28-68 |

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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BRED-99 R & F P.N. PRESS APR 7 1971 | 2-23-71 3-10-71 3-10-71 | Renewal of License AMENDED 5-3-71 re: equal opportunity employment program | GRANTED | 7-20-71 |
| BSCA-1,078 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED: PRESS: APR 30 1971 | 4-14-71 4-19-71 | Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67 kilocycles. Atty-None | GRANTED | 8-24-71 |

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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BPED-1,258 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS: APR 30 1971 | 4-15-71 4-19-71 | CP chg. studio location: Broadcasting Hall, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas. Operate by remote control from proposed studio(site). Install Trans(Collins-831G-1); Ant(Gates-FMC-12,12 sects); chg. TPO: 20kw. Atty-None. | GRANTED FORFEITED | 5-6-71 1tr. 5-18-71 73 |
| BMPED-884 R & F No Fee Required Press APR 19 1972 | 4-7-72 4-10-72 | MP (BPED-1,258, as mod.) ext. time to 10-6-72.(For Changes) Atty--- | GRANTED TO: | 5-4-72 11 6-72 |

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| BMPED-909 R & D No Fee Required Press | 7-21-72 7-24-72 | MP (BPED-1,258, as mod.) to change antenna (RCA BFC-12, 12 sects. (H&V). | GRANTED | 8-8-72 |
| | | | FORFEITED | 1tr. 5-18-73 |
| BPED-1,640 R & F No Fee Required Press | 5-30-73 6-8-73 JUN 22 1973 | CP to replace expired permit (BPED-1,258). | GRANTED | 7-5-73 |
| BLED-1130 R & F PTA PRESS | 5-30-73 6-8-73 7-12-73 AUG 2 1973 | Lic. (BPED-1640) - Changes - Antenna: RCA, BFC 12-B, 12 sects. | GRANTED | 8-10-73 |

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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BPED-1,741 R & F No Fee Required Press P. N. Rec'd | 12-10-73 12-18-73 JAN 15 1974 | CP to chg. trans.-ant. loc. to: Washburn University of Topeka, 1.5 mi. West of city limits, Topeka, Kansas; install new trans. (Collins Radio Co. 831-H-1); install new ant. (RCA BFC-8, 8 sects.); make chg. ant. system (incr. hght.); chg. TPO; and HAAT: 918' (H&V). (39° 03' 51" - 95° 45' 49") | DISMISSED (By Request of JUN 1 1974 Applicant) | 6-7-74 |
| BRFD-99 BRSCA-1078 R & F PN PRESS | 2-28-74 2-28-74 3-4-74 3-4-74 MAR 11 1974 | Renewal of License Renewal of SCA | GRANTED | 9-22-75 |
| BPED-1949 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS | 11-25-74 11-29-74 JAN 10 1975 | CP to install new transmitter (COMPOSITE). | GRANTED | 5-28-75 |

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| BLED-1427 Rec'd Amended 7-21-75 LTD PTA Amended & R PTA Ext. PRESS | 6-10-75 6-24-75 7-25-75 8-18-75 8-25-75 SEP 3 1975 | Lic.(BPED-1949)-Changes. New Sect. II-B with data for par. 6,7&8 data in re TPO | GRANTED | 10-2-75 |
| BRED-99 BRSCA-1078 R & F PN Recd. PRESS | 1-28-77 " 2-2-77 " FEB 28 1977 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA | HGRANTED | 5-31-77 |
| BRED800204IA BRSCA " PRESS | FEB 21 1980 | Renewal of License & SCA | GRANTED | 5-30-80 |

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.

FM History Cards were initiated in the early 1940s, with the authorization of the earliest FM stations in the FM band, then at 42 to 50 MHz. (The band was shifted to its present location, 88 to 108 MHz, in 1946.) 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 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). Prior to that move, 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.

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.

