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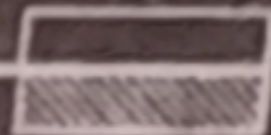
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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 3-22-74

Call letters KCOU

Station location Columbia, Missouri

Name of licensee INDEPENDENT RESIDENCE HALLS ASSOCIATION, INC.

Transmitter location Hudson Hall, University of Missouri, Kollins and Virginia Street
Columbia, Missouri (PED-5-14-73)

101 F, Pershing Hall, Columbia, Missouri (LED-1-21-77)

Redes. 102 Pershing Hall, Univ. of Mo., Hitt St, Columbia, Missouri (PED 12-19-75)

Main studio location 106 Pershing Hall, University of Missouri, Hitt Street,
Columbia, Missouri (PED-5-14-73)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To	
BPED-1498 HAAT: --	5-14-73	88.3mhz. #202	ERP: -- Class D _{fm} (RC)	TPO: 10w	5-14-74	
CP for New EA Station. TPO: 10w						
BPED-1498	1-7-23-73	Call letters assigned.				
EBSA	7-24-73					
BLED-1176	(L) 3-22-74	Lic.-(BPED-1498, as mod.)-New				2-1-77
BPED-2063	(L) 12-19-75	88.1mhz.	ERP: 430 Watts	U	12-19-76	
HAAT: 110 feet	CP redescribe SL-RC; chg freq; 88.1 #201; trans, ant, TPO, ERP, HAAT (RC)					
BLED-1587	1-21-77	Lic. (BPED-2063) for chgs.			2-1-80	
(L)						
BRED 791001	XZ 1-24-80	RENEWAL (S)			2-1-83	

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KCOU
XNEW-EDUC-FM

Name Independent Residence Halls, Association, Inc.
Columbia, Missouri (PO 106 Pershing Hall, Columbia, Mo. 65201)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED-1498 R & F	8-21-72 9-26-72	CP for New Educ. FM on: 88.3mc. #202 TPO: 10 Watts Trans: GATES-BFE-10G3; Ant: GATES-FM-22A, 2 sections TL: Hudson Hall, Univ. of Mo. at Rollins and Va. Streets, Columbia, Missouri. SL & RC: 106 Pershing Hall, Univ. of Mo., Missouri on Hitt Street, Columbia, Mo. 38° 56' 23" - 92° 19' 20"	GRANTED	5 14 73
NO FEE REQUIRED: PRESS: PN REC'd:	OCT 10 1972 11-9-72	Atty- Martin R. Leader Engr-----		
AMENDED AMENDED	10-19-72 3-22-73	Articles of Incorporation Articles of Incorporation.		

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Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters **K C O U**Name **INDEPENDENT RESIDENCE HALLS ASSOCIATION, INC.***Columbia, Mo.*

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLED-1176 R & F PTA PRESS	10-12-73 10-18-73 11-1-73 NOV 20 1973	Lic.(BPED-1498, as mod.) for New FM Ed. Sta. Atty: Fisher, Wayland, et al(M. R. Leader)	GRANTED	3-22-74
BPED-2063 Rec'd Filed No Fee Required Press P. N. Rec'd	5-23-75 7-3-75 7-3-75 JUL 29 1975 7-28-75	CP to rededcribe SL-RC: 102 Pershing Hall, University of Missouri on Hill Street, Columbia, Missouri; install new trans. (Wilkinson Electronics, Inc. FM-250E); install new ant. (Gates Radio Co. FM-22A, 2 sects.); make chg. ant. system (incr. hght.); chg. TPO; ERP: .4275KW and HAAT: 110.96'; chg. frequency to: 88.1mhz #201. Atty: Martin R. Leader	GRANTED	12-19-75

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NON COMM. ED

Form BC-121

May 1976

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters K C O UName INDEPENDENT RESIDENCE HALLS ASSOCIATION, INC.
COLUMBIA, MISSOURI

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRED-685 Recd. FILED PN Recd. PRESS	9-29-76 10-1-76 10-12-76 " OCT 26 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Martin R. Leader, Atty.	GRANTED (Issued with BLED-1587)	1-13-77
BLED-1587 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PTA PRESS	10-13-76 10-21-76 10-29-76 DEC 20 1976	Lic. to cover (BPED-2063) for changes. Change SL & RC to: 101 F, Pershing Hall, Columbia, Missouri TPO: .255970kw	GRANTED	1-21-77
BRED791001XZ PRESS OCT 29 1979		Renewal of License Atty.: Kathryn R. Schmeltzer	GRANTED	1-24-80

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.

