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### BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Official Number 921

Date first licensed February 15, 1977...

Call letters WLNK-

Station location Columbus, Miss.

Name of licensee GOLDEN TRIANGLE EDUCATIONAL MEDIA CORPORATION

102 North 5th Street, Columbus, Mississippi (MPED 2-24-76)
Transmitter location X217 South 5th Street, Columbus, Miss. (PED 11-4-75)

102 North 5th Street, Columbus, Mississippi (MPED 2-24-76)

Main studio location \*217 South 5th Street, Columbus, Miss. (PED 11-4-75)

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

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Appl.	Date			Time	Period
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# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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AMENDED 9-	Atty: Engr: Section III.		
R & F NO FEE REQUIRED		GRANTED	2-24-76
	33° 29' 43" 88° 25' 43"		

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Name GOLDEN TRIANGLE EDUCATIONAL MEDIA CORPORATION
Columbus, Mississippi

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BPED-2	552	9-20-77 9-26-77	CP install new Antenna (GATES, FMC-4A, 4 sections); mke chgs in Ant sys (incr hght) & Transmission Line	ĀČČĒPTĒD 8 GRANTED	11-9-77	
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			F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.			

#### **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 12<sup>th</sup> 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.

