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**REMOVABLE LABEL GUIDE**

**Cat. No. 4550L**

**Patent No. 1390199**

#42  
**BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD**

NON-COMM ED FM

HIGH FREQUENCY BROADCAST

Date first licensed **9-21-43**

Call letters

WNYC-FM 11-1-43

X W 39 NY (10-14-41)

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LOCATION: NEW YORK, NEW YORK

Name of licensee CITY OF NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM

World Trade Center, New York, New York (PH 7-29-75)  
X Empire State Bldg., 350 - 5th Ave, New York, N. Y. (PH 11-17-64)  
Transmitter location X Centre & Duane Streets, New York, New York (CP 6-17-11)

Centre & Duane Streets, New York, New York  
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Main studio location Municipal Bldg., Centre & Chambers Sts., New York, N.Y. (CP 6-17-11)

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

APPL. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	Service Power Area (SQ. MI.)	TIME Div.	PERIOD From— To—
Bl-PH-83	6-17-41	43,500	3,900	U	6-17 2-17-42
C.P. for new H.F.B. Station at New York, N.Y.					
Bl-PH-83	10-14-41	43,900	3,900	U	12-14 6-14-42
Commission reconsidered previous action of 6-17-41 and granted application for freq. of 43,900.					
Bl-MPH-96	8-18-42	43,900	3,900	U	12-14 11-14-42
Mod. C.P. (Bl-PH-83, which authorized new H.F.B. station) for ext. of completion date only.					
Bl-MPH-117	1-6-43	Mod. C.P. (Bl-PH-83) for exten. of completion date only/			from 11-14-42 to 3-14-43.
Bl-LH-38 (Condi. Cl. Mater. Person)	9-21-43	43,900	3,900	U	9-21-43 to 7-1-44
License to cover C.P. (Bl-PH-83, as mod), which author. new FM station, in part.					
Bl-RH-41	6-27-44	43,900	3,900	U	7-1 7-1-45
Renewal of license. (Mater. & Person'l Cl.)					
Bl-SH-41	6-26-45	Extension of License			7-1 9-1-45
Bl-RH-41	8-28-45	43.9 mcs	3,900	U	8-28 7-1-46
Renewal of license (Mater. & Person'l Cl.)					
Letter	4-9-46	Authority granted to operate on 95.3 mcs. with a W.E. 503-B1 trans. with power of 1 kw for period from 5-15-46 to 7-1-46.			
Bl-SH-41	6-20-46	Extension of License from 7-1-46 to 9-1-46			
Telegram	8-2-46	Authority granted to operate on 95.3 Mcs. using Modified W.E. 503A-1 transmitter with Max. power output of 1 kw. and using coaxial antenna, for period ending 9-1-46. Authority granted temporarily to have frequency measured by measurement service semi-monthly in lieu of frequency and modulation monitors.			
Bl-RH-41	7-31-46	Renewal of license 95.3			U 7-31-46 to 7-1-47
Bl-PH-1067	10-25-46	95.3	15.0 kw.	U	By 2-21-47 <del>XXXXXXXXXX</del> To 5-25-47
C.P. issued for FM broadcast station, to install new trans. & make changes in antenna system.					

**BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD**

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CARD #2

Date first licensed .....

Call letters WNYC-FMName of licensee CITY OF NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Mcs. Freq.	E.R.P. Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
Telegram	4-24-47	Retel.	In acc.	with policy adopted by Comm. concerning temporary operation on 94.1 mcs. to obviate interference with Aircraft instrument landing equipment, such operation is authorized in lieu of regularly assigned frequency when equipment modification is completed. Advise commission when operation begins on new frequency.	
Telegram	5-2-47	Retel.	Channel 230, 93.9 mcs. assigned in lieu of Channel 231, 94.1 mcs. pending final action in Docket 6768. Advise Comm. when operation begins on new frequency.		
BSH-41	6-20-47	Extension of License		7-1	10-1-47
BRH-41	7-17-47	93.9		U	7-17-47 to 7-1-48
	6-6-47	93.9	(No. 230)		
	Freq. assignment accord. Do 6768				
BMPH-418	6-3-47	95.3	15.0 kw	U	By 12-25-46 To 12-25-47
BMPH-436	8-14-47	93.9	18 kw.	U	By 12-25-46 To 12-25-47
MOD. C.F.	change ERP, freq., & changes in antenna system				
BMPH-1104	12-1-47	Ext. of completion date to 3-25-48			
BSH-41	6-28-48	Ext. of license from 7-1-48 to 9-1-48			
BRH-41	8-25-48	Renewal of license from 93.9			9-1-48 to 3-1-49
BRH-41	2-24-49	Renewal of license			To 3-1-52
BLH-151	6-30-49	License to cover construction permit(BI-PH-1067 as mod.)			6-30-49 to 3-1-52.
Telegram	11-19-51	Retel 19-	Auth. granted	remain silent 10 days accord. .261- for major repair pend. sub. Ret. ilc	
BRH-41	2-27-52	Renewal of license to			6-1-54 (✓)
BPH-1944	5-21-54	CP	to make changes in ant sys		
	93.9 mcs. ERP: 18 kw		Terr 540'		7-21-54 1-21-55

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CARD # 3

**BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD**

Date first licensed .....

Call letters ..... **WNYC-FM** .....

Name of licensee ..... **CITY OF NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM** .....

Transmitter location ..... **SEE CARD # 1** .....

Main studio location ..... **SEE CARD #1** .....

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BRH-41	5-19-54	RENEWAL OF LICENSE TO			6-1-57(S)
<del>BRH-41</del>	<del>12-21-54</del>	<del>Mod. CP (BPH-1974) ext. comp.</del>			<del>to 6-1-55</del>
BPH-2030	5-9-55	C.P. for Alternate Main transmitter. 93.9mcs. ERP: 18 kw, TERR: 540'			7-9-55 1-9-56
BPH-2047	6-28-55	CP to Replace Exp. CP			7-21-54
BPH-1974	as mod.	93.9mcs. ERP 18kw Terr: 540ft			1-16-56
BPH-2030	5-9-55	Superseding authorization correcting facilities of alternate Main transmitter to agree with those of licensed auth. BRH-41.			
BSCA-33	1-18-56	Subsidiary Communications			
BRH-41	2-27-52	Authorization MULTIPLEX BASIS to 6/1/57.			
BRH-41	5/19/54				
BMPH-5024	12-21-55	Mod. of C. P (BPH-2030 Alternate Main Transmitter) extension of completion date to 2-8-56			
BMPH-5035	2-3-56	Mod. CP (BPH-2030) for extension of completion date to <i>alternate main</i> 4-8-56			
BSCA-33 (2-29-56)	1-18-56	Superseding Auth. for Subsidiary Communications Authorization showing ch. in operating freq. of subcarrier to be 32.5 kilocycles from main carrier in lieu of 35 kc.			6-1-57
BPH-2105	3-19-56	CP to replace expired CP (BPH-2047)			3-19-56 to 7-16-56
<i>Forfeited CP Renewed 8-1-63 (ext)</i>					
BLH-1107	3-26-56	License to cover BPH-2030 as modified, FOR ALTERNATE MAIN TRANSMITTER---			TO 6-1-57(L)
		TPO: 8.3 kw -- 93.9mcs. 18kw ERP Terr: 535 ft.			
BMPH-5062	7-30-56	Mod. CP (BPH-2105) for extension of completion date to			10-16-56(S)
BRH-41	5-29-57	RENEWAL OF LICENSE FOR ALTERNATE MAIN TRANSMITTER TO			6-1-60 (S)
BRH-41	5-29-57	RENEWAL OF LICENSE FOR MAIN TRANSMITTER TO			6-1-60 (S)
BSCA-33	7-25-57	Mod. of SCA to drop condition which has been met and Renewal			to 6-1-60

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Date first licensed 9-21-43

Call letters WNYC-FM

Station location .....

Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BRH-41	3-22-61	Renewal of license Main and Alt Main			3-22 6-1-63
BRSCA-33	3-22-61	Renewal of SCA Main & Alt			3-22 6-1-63
BRH-41	5-31-63	Renewal of License Main			6-1 6-1-66
BRSCA-33	11-15-63	Subsidiary Communications Authoriza- tion on Multiplex Basis to			6-1-66
BPH-4413 HAAT:1260'	11-17-64	93.9mcs ERP:4.8kw Unl. Ch.#230 TPO:6.5kw CP to chg. ant.-trans. loc.; install new trans. (RCA BTF-10D); install new ant. (RCA BFA-1A mod., 1 sect.); <u>decr. TPO &amp; ERP and incr. HAAT.</u>			1-17-65 7-17-65
BMPH-8209 (1)	3-31-65	Mod. of CP(BPH-4413 <del>as mod.</del> ) for ext. of completion date to			11-17-65
BMPH-8531 (2)	11-1-65	Mod. of CP (BPH-4413, as mod.) for ext. of completion date to			5-17-66.
*** BRH-41	5-31-66	Renewal of License (MAIN & ALTERNATE MAIN)			6-1 6-1-69
BRSCA-33	5-31-66	Renewal of SCA			6-1-69
BMPH-8844 (3)	6-3-66	Mod. of CP(BPH-4413 as mod.) for ext. of completion date to			7-15-66
BMPH-8803 HAAT:1,220' (h&v) (cond'1)	6-29-66	93.9mc. ERP: 5.3kw(h)3.8kw(v)U ch# 230 TPO: 10kw Mod. of CP(BPH-4413 as mod.) to change type trans (Gates FM-10G); change type ant.(Alford 7472, 2 sections); change ant system(use of Master ant. on Empire State Building); increase TPO, horiz.ERP, decrease HAAT and operate on a vertical ERP;			1-17-65 7-15-66
BMPH-8911 (1)	7-25-66	Modification of CP(BPH-4413 as mod.) for extension of completion date to			8-15-66
BMPH-8956 (2)	8-9-66	Mod. of CP(BPH-4413 as mod.) for ext. of completion date to			9-15-66
BLH-3403 HAAT: 1220' (H&V)	12-15-66	93.9mcs ERP:5.3kw(H) U CH.#230 ERP:3.8kw(V) TPO:9.7kw Lic to cover CP(BPH-4413 as mod) which auth chg ant trans loc. install new trans & ant. chg. ERP, TPO & HAAT, chg ant-sys.			12-15 6-1-69

\*\*\* Main cancelled - Ltr. 12-8-66 *Alt. Cancelled - Ltr. 9-28-67*

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CARD #5

**BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD**

Date first licensed .....

Call letters WNYC-FM

Station location NEW YORK, NEW YORK

Name of licensee CITY OF NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
<b>BSH-41 (1)</b>	<b>2-10-67</b>	<b>Mod. of Lic. to show trans. as Composite Moseley LPE-10 Exciter, SCG-3 Stereo Generator &amp; Gates FM-10G Driver Amp.</b>			
<b>BPH-5896</b> HAAT: 1220'	8-3-67 (h&v)	93.9mc. ch# 230	ERP: 5.8kw (H&V) TPO: 9.7 kw	10-3-67 3.8kw (V) 4-3-68	10-3-67 4-3-68
CP to install new Alternate Main trans (Gates-FM-10H) at Main ant-trans location to be operate on the above facilities with remote control from the studio location.					
<b>BLH-3982</b>	<b>5-24-68</b>	<b>93.9mc</b>	<b>5.3kw(H) 3.8kw(V)</b>	<b>U RC</b>	<b>6-1-69</b>
Lic to cover BPH-5896 for Alt. Main trans.					
<b>BRCH-890(2)</b>	<b>8-30-68</b>	<b>Operate RC.</b>			
<b>BRH-41(L)</b>	<b>5-22-69</b>	<b>Renewal of Main &amp; Alt. Main and NDEA (L)</b>			
<b>EBSA</b>	<b>5-25-72</b>				
<b>BRH-41</b>	<b>5-31-72</b>	<b>(LONG) REN. OF LICENSE MAIN &amp; ALTER. MAIN TRANS.)</b>			
<b>COM. LTR.</b>	<b>12-14-72</b>	<b>STA to use SCA for Test Purposes thru</b>			
					<b>3-10-73.</b>
<b>BPH-9522(L)</b>	<b>7-29-75</b>	<b>93.9MHz.</b>	<b>ERP: 3.6kw(H&amp;V)</b>	<b>U</b>	<b>7-29-76</b>
<b>HAAT: 1440ft(H&amp;V)</b>	<b>CP chg TL, trans, ant, TPO, ERP &amp; HAA</b>				
<b>EMPH-14832(1)</b>	<b>7-19-76</b>	<b>MP(BPH-9522) ext. time to 12-29-76</b>			
<b>BRH-41(L)</b>	<b>6-30-76</b>	<b>RENEWAL</b>			
<b>BSCA-1644</b>	<b>9-30-76</b>	<b>SCA</b>	<b>67 KHz</b>		
<b>BPH-10968</b> <b>HAAT: 1440'</b> <b>(L)</b>	<b>4-3-78</b> <b>(h&amp;v)</b>	<b>93.9mhz.</b> <b>#230</b>	<b>ERP: 3.6kw (h&amp;v)</b> <b>(RC)</b>	<b>U</b>	<b>9-15-78</b>
CP replace expired permit (BPH-9522, as mod)					
<b>BRH-41(S)</b>	<b>5-31-78</b>	<b>Renewal of (Alt. Trans.)</b>			
<b>BRSCA-1644</b>	<b>Renewal of SCA</b>				
<b>BPH781006A</b> <b>(1)</b>	<b>11-8-78</b>	<b>CP to replace Expd permit (BPH-10968).</b>			
<b>BPED791019AH</b> <b>(2)</b>	<b>1-24-80</b>	<b>CP TO replace expired permit (BPH-9522, as reinstated &amp; mod.)</b>			

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June 1975

ED-FM

# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters WNYC - FM

Station location .....

Name 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
BMPED800604AG (1)	7-16-80	MP (BPED-791019AH) Reinstated		as	1-8-81
BMPED-810119AW (2)	4-24-81	MP (BPED-791019AH, for ext. of time to:		as Mod.)	10-31-81

xW 39 NY (10-14-41)

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Letters x NEW

Name CITY OF NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM

P.O. Centre &amp; Duane Sts.,

New York, N.Y.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B1-PH-83	12-2-40	C.P. for new high frequency broadcast station Frequency: 46,700 kcs. Coverage: 3,889 sq. mi. Population: 11,550,274 Location: Trans. - Centre & Duane Sts., New York, N.Y., Studio - Municipal Bldg., Center & Chambers Sts., New York, N.Y. (W.E., Type 503 A-1, Max. 1kw)	Returned	<del>12-6-40</del>
Rec'd	12-5-40		300s-120, 140, 160, 180,	
Resubmitted	1-6-41		190, 210, 15, 16, 170,	
Rec'd	1-7-41		and Exhibits 1, 8, 9, and	
Filed	1-7-41		H	GRANTED
			(43,500 kcs. 3,900 sq. mi.)	
			Commission on 10-14-41	
			reconsidered above action	
			& gr. appli. for 43,900k	
B1-MPH-96	5-13-42	Mod. C.P. (B1-PH-83, which authorized new FM station) for ext. of completion date only, from 6-14-42 to 11-14-42.	Returned	<del>5-20-42</del>
Rec'd	5-18-42		(Add'l copy required)	
Resubmitted	5-22-42		GRANTED	8-18-42
Rec'd	5-25-42			

HIGH FREQUENCY BROADCAST (FM)  
APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTINGCall WNYC-FM  
Letters X W 39 NYName CITY OF NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B1-MPH-117 Recd	11-13-42 11-14-42	Mod. of C.P. (B1-PH-83, as mod. & which authorized new H.F.B. <del>station</del> station) for exten. of completion date from 11-14-42 to 3-14-43.	GRANTED	1-16-43
B1-LH-38 Recd Resubmitted	3-11-43 3-12-43 3-27-43	License to cover C. P. (B1-PH-83, as mod. & which authorized new H.F.B. station) <u>in part.</u>	<del>Ret. 3-13-43 (triplicate copy requested)</del> GRANTED	9-21-43 (COND. CL.)
B1-RH-41 Recd Resubmitted Recd Filed	5-10-44 5-16-44 5-10-44 5-24-44 5-24-44	Renewal of license.	<del>Ret. 5-18-44, Sec. 13(b) not answer.</del> Granted	6-27-44 (Mater. & Person'l Cl.)
B1-RH-41 Recd.	4-18-45 4-24-45	Renewal of license	GRANTED	8-28-45
B1-RH-41 Rec'd. Filed	8-6-46 8-8-46 8-14-46	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-31-46

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters WNYC-FMName CITY OF NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM  
(P.O. Centre & Duane Streets, New York, N.Y.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B1-PH-1067 Rec'd Filed	8-15-46 8-17-46 8-17-46	Construction permit to install new transmitter and make changes in antenna system. (WE 506B-1 Max. 10 kw.)	Granted	10-25-46
BMPH-418 Rec'd Filed	5-23-47 5-26-47 5-26-47	Mod. of C. P. (B1-PH-1067 which authorized changes in new FM broadcast station) for extension of commencement and completion dates from 12-25-46 and 6-25-47 to 3-1-48 and 3-31-48, respectively.	GRANTED	6-3-47
BMPH-436 Rec'd Filed	5-27-47 5-28-47 5-28-47	Mod. of C. P. (B1-PH-1067 as modified which authorized changes in new FM broadcast station) to change effective radiated power to 18 kw; frequency to Channel 230, 93.9 mcs.; and make changes in antenna system.	GRANTED	8-14-47
BRH-41 Rec'd Filed	6-13-47 6-16-47 6-16-47	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-17-47



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CARD #4

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters WNYC - FMName CITY OF NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMFH-1104 Rec'd Filed	11-20-47 11-21-47 11-21-47	Mod. of C. P. (B1-PH-1067 as modified) which authorized changes in FM Broadcast station for extension of completion date from 12-25-47 to 6-25-48.	GRANTED	12-1-47
BLH-151 Rec'd Filed	2-9-48 2-11-48 2-11-48	License to cover C. P. (B1-PH-1067 as modified) which authorized changes in FM broadcast station.	GRANTED	6-30-49 to 3-1-52
BRH-41 Rec'd Resubmitted Rec'd Filed	6-7-48 6-24-48 6-30-48 7-1-48 7-1-48	Renewal of license  (Sections I & II)	GRANTED	8-25-48
BRH-41 Rec'd Filed	12-22-48 12-28-48 12-28-48	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	2-24-49
BRH-41 Rec'd. Filed	12-4-51 12-7-51 12-7-51	Renewal of license  <i>auth held re: studio location 3-26-52</i>	GRANTED	2-27-52

CARD 5

FORM A-170

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-41 Recd. & filed	2-26-54 3-1-54	Renewal of license Charles S. Rhyne, atty	323 req. 3-2-54.  GRANTED	Forms mailed  5-19-54
BPH-1944 Recd. & filed	5-6-54 5-10-54	C. P. to make changes in licensed station to change ERP to 17.85 kw., ant. ht. above average terr: 539 ft & change antenna system.	GRANTED	5-21-54
BMPH-4967 Recd & Filed	12-7-54 12-10-54	Mod. of CP(BPH-1944) extension of completion date to <u>June 1955</u> Atty: Eugene F. Mullin, Jr.	GRANTED	12-21-54
BPH-2030 Recd. & Filed	4-19-55 4-21-55	C. P. to install alternate main Transmitter (WE 506-B2 10 kw). (same facilities as main) Charles S. Rhyne, atty	GRANTED	5-9-55

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

Call  
Letters WNYC-EMName CITY OF NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL B/CC, SYSTEM  
Municipal Building, New York 7, N. Y.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH- Recd.	6-13-55 6-14-55	Extension completion date.	Ret. 6-24-55. Filed too late. 321 necessary.	
BPH-2047 Recd. & Filed	6-21-55 6-21-55	C. P. to replace C. P. (BPH-1044 which authorized change in licensed station) which expired 6-1-55. Eugene R. Mullin, atty.	GRANTED	6-28-55
BSCA-33 Recd & Filed	8-15-55 8-19-55	Applications for Subsidiary Communications Authorization MULTIPLEX BASIS. Filed by Charles S. Rhyne, Atty Amend. recd. 10-21-55 re Par. 7 filed by Eugene Mullin, atty Add. info. recd. 11-29-55	GRANTED	1/18/56
BMPH-5024 Recd & filed	12-1-55 12-8-55	Mod. of C. P. (BPH-2030 to install <sup>alternate</sup> main Transmitter ) for extension of completion date from 1-9-56 to 2-8-56. Eugene Mullin, atty	GRANTED	12-21-55

CARD 7

FORM BC-121

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORMERLY FORM A-170

Call Letters **WNYC-FM**

CITY OF NEW YORK MUNICIPAL B/CO. SYSTEM

Name .....

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-5035 Recd & filed	1-27-56 1-30-56	Mod. of C. P. (BPH-2030 as mod. to install an alternate main transmitter) for extension of completion date from 2-8-56 to 4-8-56. Filed by Eugene F. Mullin, atty	GRANTED	2-3-56
BPH-2105 Recd & filed	3-1-56 3-13-56	C. P. to replace C. P. (BPH-2047, which replaced expired permit) which authorized changes in lic. sta. which expired 1-16-56. Filed Eugene Mullin, atty	GRANTED	3-19-56
BLE-1107 Recd & Filed	3-7-56 3-13-56	License to cover C.P. (BPH-2030 which auth. an alternate Main Transmitter) Filed by Eugene F. Mullin, Atty	GRANTED	3-26-56
BMPH-5062 Recd & filed	6-5-56 6-19-56	Mod. of C. P. (BPH-2105 which replaced expired permit, which authorized changes in licensed station) for extension of completion date from 7-16-56 to 1-16-57. Filed by Eugene Mullin, atty	GRANTED	7-30-56

CARD 8  
FORM BC-121  
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters WNYC-FM

Name CITY OF NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL B/CO. SYSTEM

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-5078 Recd & filed 10-1-56	9-26-56	Mod. of C.P. (BPH-2105/ <sup>as mod.</sup> which replaced expired permit, which authorized changes in licensed station) for extension of completion date from 10-16-56 to 4-16-57. Eugene F. Mullin, Jr. atty	DISMISSED at req. of applicant	8-1-63
BRH-41 Recd & filed	2-21-57 3-1-57	Renwal of license MAIN	GRANTED	5-29-57
BRH-41 Recd & filed	2-21-57 3-1-57	Renewal of license (ALT RNATE MAIN)	GRANTED Atty called Ren. for BSCA will be filed 4-1-57.	5-29-57
BRSCA-33 Recd & filed	5-29-57 5-31-57	Renewal of Subsidiary Communications Authorization. MULTIPLEX BASIS, Filed by Eugene Mullin, atty	GRANTED	7-25-57
		Per ltr. 1-29-60 station now represented by Rhyne and Rhyne, Washington, D.C.		

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			Nature	Date
BRH-41 Rec'd Filed	2-23-60 2-26-60 2-26-60	Renewal of License (MAIN & ALTERNATE MAIN)  Charles A. Dukes, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	3-22-61
BRSCA-33 Rec'd & Filed	3-25-60 3-28-60	Renewal of Subsidiary Communications Authority	GRANTED	3-22-61
BRH-41 Rec'd Filed	2-25-63 2-27-63 3-15-63	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (Main & alt. main)  Atty-Rhyne & Rhyne (Thomas P. Brown, III)	GRANTED	5-31-63
BRSCA-33 Rec'd Filed	5-31-63 5-31-63	Renewal of Subsidiary Communications Auth.	GRANTED	11-15-63

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-4413 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd Filed	12-20-63 12-24-63 12-20-63 3-18-64 3-18-64	CP to decrease ERP from 18kw to 4.8kw, decrease TPO from 8.3kw to 6.5kw, change antenna-transmitter location from Centre & Duane Streets, New York, New York, to Empire State Building, New York, New York, to install a new antenna (RCA BFA-1A, 1 sec.), install a new transmitter (RCA BTF-10D), increase HAAT from 535 ft. to 1264 ft. Atty: Rhyne & Rhyne PETITION FOR WAIVER OF SEC. 73.207 (formerly 3.207) OF THE RULES	<del>Ret'd - Short-spaced</del> GRANTED	<del>JAN 8 - 1964</del> 11-17-64
BMPH-8209 R&F	3-5-65 3-15-65	Modification of CP (BPH-4413 which authorized install new trans and new ant; decrease ERP and TPO; increase HAAT; and change ant-trans location) for extension of completion date from 7-17-65 to 11-65. Atty: Rhyne & Rhyne F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.	GRANTED	3-31-65 11-17-65

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-8531 R&F	10-19-65 10-22-65	Modification of CP (BPH-4413 as modified which authorized change in ant-trans location, install new trans and new ant, decrease TPO and ERP, and increase HAAT) for extension of completion date from 11-17-65 to 7-66.	GRANTED to	11-1-65 5-17-66
BRH-41 BRSCA-33 R & F	2-14-66 2-14-66 3-3-66	Renewal of license (Main & Alt.-Main) Renewal of SCA Atty- Rhyne & Rhyne (Alfred J. Tighe, Jr.)	GRANTED <i>Alt. Cancelled</i> <i>Letter 9-28-67</i>	5-31-66
BMPH-8803 R & F	4-12-66 4-18-66	Modification of CP (BPH-4413 as modified which authorized change ant.-trans. location, install new trans., install new ant., decrease TPO and ERP, and increase HAAT) to change type trans. (Gates FM-10G); change type ant. (Alford 7472, 2 sections); change ant. system (use of Master ant. on Empire State Building); increase TPO to 10kw; increase horizontal ERP to <sup>5.4kw</sup> <del>5.4kw</del> and operate with a vertical ERP of <sup>2.8kw</sup> <del>3.8kw</del> ; and decrease HAAT to 1227 feet.	GRANTED condl re meas.	6-29-66

SEE CARD # 12 FOR AMEND

F. C. C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.  
Rhyne & Rhyne, Attys. (A. J. Tighe, Jr.)



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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMSCA-193 R & F	5-4-66 5-10-66	Modification of Subsidiary Communications Authorization to delete operation on sub-carrier frequency of 32.5kcs and operate on a subcarrier frequency of 67kcs.	RETURNED	6-27-66 Inadvertently accepted; not in accordance with Section 73.293 of Rules.
BMPH-8844 R & F	5-4-66 5-16-66	<u>Rhyme &amp; Rhyme, Attys. (A. J. Tighe, Jr.)</u> Modification of CP(BPH-4413 as modified which authorized change ant.-trans. location, install new trans. and new ant., decrease TPO and ERP, and increase HAAT) for extension of completion date from 5-17-66 to 7-15-66.	GRANTED to	6-3-66 7-15-66
BMPH-8803 AMENDMENT R & F	cont'd 6-1-66 6-7-66	<u>Rhyme &amp; Rhyme, Attys. (A. J. Tighe, Jr.)</u> AMENDED to change horiz ERP to 5.3kw and vert ERP to 3.8kw.	GRANTED	6-29-66 cond1

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-8911 R&F	7-1-66 7-15-66	Modification of CP(BPH-4413 as mod., which authorized change ant-trans location, install new trans and new ant., change TPO and ERP and <del>SURETY</del> HAAT) for extension of completion date from 7-15-66 to 8-15-66.  Attys Rhyne & Rhyne	GRANTED to	7-25-66 8-15-66
BMPH-8956 R & F	7-25-66 7-27-66	Modification of CP(BPH-4413 as mod., which authorized change ant-trans location, install new trans and new ant., change TPO and ERP and HAAT) for extension of completion date from 8-15-66 to 9-15-66.  Attys - Rhyne & Rhyne	GRANTED to	8-9-66 9-15-66

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-3403 R & F	8/15/66 8/22/66	Lic. to cover CP (BPH-4413 as mod.) which auth. chng ant-trans. loc., install new trans. & ant., chng ERP, TPO & HAAT, change antenna-system. Atty: A. J. Tighe Engr: R. M. Silliman, Wash., D. C.	GRANTED	12-15-66
BPH-5896 R & F JUL 31 1967	6-6-67 6-21-67	CP to install new Alternate Main trans (Gates-FM-10H) at Main ant-trans location, to be operated on 93.9mc., ch#230, TPO 9.6kw; ERP 5.3kw(h) and 3.8kw(v), and HAAT 1220t(h&v), with remote control from studio location (Municipal Building, Centre and Duane Streets, New York, New York. Atty Alfred J. Tighe, Jr.	GRANTED	8-3-67

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New York, N.Y.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-3982 R & F PT MAY 8 1968	3/14/68 3/20/68 3/28/68 1968	License (RPH-5896, install alternate-main transmitter). Atty: Alfred J. Tighe, Jr.	GRANTED	5-24-68
BRCH-890 R & F SEP 8 1968	8-14-68 8-27-68	Modification of license to operate <del>trans-</del> <sup>MAIN</sup> mitter by remote control from Municipal Bldg., Chambers & Centre Streets, New York, New York. Atty.: Alfred J. Tighe, Jr.	GRANTED	8-30-68

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93.9mc.

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New York, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-41 R & F No fee paid - PRESS APR 2 1969	2-29-69 3-3-69	Renewal of license---(Main & Alt. Main) Request waiver of Rules Sec. 1.1111 (ltr written 3/23/69) Atty. Rhyne & Rhyne (Alfred J. Tighe, Jr.)	GRANTED	5-22-69
BRH-41 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAR 29 1972	2-15-72 3-3-72 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & ALTER. MAIN TRANS.) Atty. A. J. Tighe, Jr.	GRANTED	5-31-72
BSCA-1,201 R & F No Fee Required Press SEP 14 1972	8-24-72 8-28-72	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67 kilocycles. Atty: Alfred J. Tighe, Jr.	DISMISSED 12-14-72 (See STA gr. by ltr.)	AS MOOT
AMENDED	11-8-72	Proposed Experimental Operation	PRESS:	DEC 22 1972

Atty called 3-27-69 re: renewal of SCA nec.

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-41 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	1-31-75 2-3-75  MAR 5 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE(MAIN & ALTER.MAIN TRANS.) PETITION TO DENY filed 5-1-75 by Network Project OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY filed 7-8-75 by W. Bernard Richland, counsel on behalf of City of New York, Municipal Broadcasting System (over)	GRANTED	6-30-76
BPH-9522 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS	6-2-75 6-12-75  JUL 23 1975	CP to chg. TL to: World Trade Center, New York, New York; install new trans.(RCA BTF 5/5); install new ant. (RCA-BFF, 2 layers of 4-BFF Panel Radiators); make changes in ant. sys. (incr. hght.); chg. TPO; chg. ERP: 3.63 kw(H&V); chg. HAAT: 1,420 ft. (H&V) 40° 42' 43" 74° 00' 49" Atty: Alfred J. Tighe, Jr. (Rhyne & Rhyne) Engr: M.K. Kunins	GRANTED	7-29-75

(BRH-41) AMENDED 7-29-75 re: programming  
NETWORK PROJECT REPLY TO THE CITY OF NEW YORK MUNICIPAL  
BROADCASTING SYSTEM OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY  
filed 8-18-75 by Petitioner

MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER adopted 10-22-75 Petition to  
Deny filed by the Network Project GRANTED to the limited  
extent indicated herein and ARE DENIED in all other  
respects (submit EEO)

11-24-75 The Network Project filed an appeal in the United  
States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia  
Circuit.

ERRATUM TO OPPOSITION TO PETITIONS TO DENY filed 1-7-76  
by W. Bernard Richland, Counsel on behalf of City of  
New York, Municipal Broadcasting System

RESPONSE OF THE NETWORK PROJECT TO THE EEO PROGRAM  
submitted by the City of New York Municipal B/Casting  
System filed 2-5-76

REPLY OF CITY OF NEW YORK MUNICIPAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM  
TO COMMENTS OF THE NETWORK PROJECT CONCERNING THE  
EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY PROGRAM FOR WNYC\_AM-FM-TV  
filed 3-8-76 by W. Bernard Richland, Counsel on behalf  
of City of New York, Municipal B/Casting System.

6-30-76 MEMORANDUM OPINION & ORDER Adopted #40929,  
FCC 76-629, Petition to Deny filed by the Network Project  
DENIED.

8-25-76 PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed by Network  
Project

OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 9-7-76  
by W. Bernard Richland, Counsel on behalf of City of  
New York Municipal Broadcasting System

MEMORANDUM OPINION & ORDER adopted 10-21-76, Petition for  
Reconsideration filed by the Network Project DENIED



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New York, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-14832 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS	5-17-76	MP(BPH-9522) ext time to _____ {For Chgs}	GRANTED to	7-19-76
	5-24-76			12-29-76
	JUN 8 1976			
BSCA-1644 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS	9-22-76	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a sub-carrier fre- quency of 67 kilohertz  Atty----	GRANTED	9-30-76
	9-23-76			
	SEP 29 1976			

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New York, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-41 R&F PRESS	1-31-78 2-1-78 <b>FEB 23 1978</b>	Renewal of License (Alt. Trans., & SCA & Main)	GRANTED	5-31-78
BPH-10968 R & F PRESS:	2-24-78 3-6-78 <b>MAR 14 1978</b>	CP to replace expired permit (BPH-9522, as Mod) REQUEST WAIVER OF SECTION 1.534(b) OF THE COMMISSION'S RULES.  Atty:	GRANTED	4-3-78
BPH781006AK PRESS	<b>OCT 18 1978</b>	Construction Permit to replace Expired Permit (BPH-10968).	GRANTED TO	11-8-78 5-3-79

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Call Letters: W N Y C-FM

Name: CITY OF NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM

Station Location: NEW YORK, NEW YORK

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BPED791019AH PRESS (0)	NOV 15 1979	Construction Permit to Replace Expired Permit (BPH-9522, as Reinstated & Mod.)	GRANTED D 1-24-80
BMPED800604AG PRESS (0)	JUL 3 1980	MP (BPED-791019AH) <sup>as reinstated</sup> For Extension of Time to: <u>6-15-81</u> (FOR CHANGES)	GRANTED 7-16-80 TO 1-8-81

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Name: CITY OF NEW YORK, MUNICIPAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM

Station Location: New York, N.Y.

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRED810205UF BRSC810205UF PRESS	MAR 25 1981	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & ALTERNATE TRANS.) RENEWAL OF SCA	<i>granted 10-8-81</i> <b>ISSUED</b>
<del>BMPH-810119AW</del> PRESS:	(Q) APR 9 1981	MP(BPED-791019AH as mod.) for extension of time for _____ (FOR CHANGES)	GRANTED: 4-24-81 TO: 10-31-81
<del>BMPH-810427AU</del> PRESS:	(Q) MAR 20 1981	Atty----- MP(BPED-791019AH as mod.) for extension of time to: _____ (FOR CHGS.)	<del>DISMISSED</del> <del>AS MOOT</del> <del>5-29-81</del>

## 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.

