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BC-126 February 1974

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Official No. 857
Date first licensed 4-6-76

Call letters ... W S K G-FM

Station location Binghamton, New York

Name of licensee .Southern Tier Educational Television Association, Inc.

East side of Robinson Hill Rd at Strubell Rd., Near Johnson City, N.Y. (MPED 8-8-75)
Transmitter locationXxIngraham Hill Rd., Binghamton, N. Y. (PED-7-10-74)

Main studio location 3311 E. Main St., Endwell, N. Y. (PED-7-10-74)

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call W S K G-FM Letters *NEW-EDUC-FM

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BSCA-1,377 R & F No Fee Requi Press	9-13-73 1-28-74 red AUG 22 1974	Request for Subs diary Communications Authorization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67 kilohertz.	GRANTED	8-30-74
BMPED-1262 R & F NO FEE REQUIR PRESS	6-6-75 6-11-75 ED JUN 19 1975	MP(BPED-1699) ext. time to 1-10-76. (New Station) Atty: Norman E. Jorgensen	GRANTE	7-9-75 1-10-76

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call

Southern Tier Educational Television Association, Inc. Binghamton, New York Name

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date	
BMPED-1286 R & F NO FEE REQUI PRESS	RED	MP(BPED-1699) to chg. TL to: East Side of Robinson Hill Road at Strubell Road; Near Johnson City, New York; chg. trans.(RCA-BTF-20E1); chg. ant. (RCA-BFG-3AD, 3 sects.; make chgs. in ant. sys. (decr. hght.); chg. TPO; chg. ERP: 42.7kw; chg. HAAT: 529 ft. 42° 08' 20" 75° 59' 58"	GRANTE COND"L		
		Atty: Norman E. Jorgensen Engr: Robert D. Cohen			
BLED-1460 Rec'd Amended & F PTA PRESS	10-9-75 10-10-75 10-20-75 10-20-75 NOV 2 1 1975	lic.(BPED-1699, as mod.)-New sta. engr. data	GRANTED	4-6-76	
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.			

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call WSKG-FM Letters

Name Southern Tier Educational Television Association, Inc. Binghamton, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	1 Date
BRED-857 R & F PRESS		Renewal of License (Main & SCA)	GRANTED	
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BMLED810223AI PRESS (9		Modification of License to change Studio & Remote Control Locations to: 1168 Conklin Road, Conklin, New York (OUTSIDE CITY LIMITS). REQUEST WAIVER OF SECTION 73.1125(b)(2) OF THE COMMISSION'S RULES. Atty. Daniel W. Toohey (Dow, Lohnes & Albertson)		
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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.

