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Form BC 126
June 1954
OFFICIAL NO. 1682

FREQUENCY MODULATION
BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD *KFRX 10-25-78*

Date first licensed JUNE 7, 1965

*KFOR-FM (EFF: 9-1-75)

*KHK S (EFF: 10-1-73)

Call letters *K W H G

Station location LINCOLN, NEBRASKA

CORNBELT BROADCASTING CORPORATION (ALH&SCA EFF: 3-25-74)
xH/K BROADCASTING CORPORATION (ALH-8-24-73 EFF: 9-24-73)
xCAPITOL BROADCASTING, INC. (BAPH-2-3-65; EFF: 4-22-65)
Name of licensee xWENDELL HOLMES GRAHAM tr/as LINCOLN BROADCASTING SERVICE

Vine and Grape Sts., Lincoln, Nebraska (PH-6/20/74)
xxFolsom Street, at "A" Street, Lincoln, Nebraska (BPH-8-5-69)
xx 13th & M Sts. (Redasc.)

Cornhusker Hotel, Lincoln, Nebr. (MPH 4-9-65)(LH-6-7-65)

Transmitter location x325 S. 11th St., Lincoln, Nebr. (PH 3-11-64)

825 Stuart Building, 13th and P sts. Lincoln, Nebraska PH 6/20/74 (Ltr. 7-11-75)

xx825 Stuart Bldg., 128 North 13th St.

~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ Lincoln, Nebraska 68508 (BSH 2-5-74)

x443 S. 13th St., Lincoln, Nebr. (MPH 4-9-65) (LH 6-7-65)

68508
Main studio location x325 S. 11th St., Lincoln, Nebr. (PH 3-11-64)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH-3690 HAAT:40'	3-11-64	106.3mcs Ch.#292	ERP:3kw TPO:860w	Unl.	5-11-64 11-11-64
CP for a new Class A FM broadcast station.					
BMPH-8034 (1)	11-24-64	Mod. of CP(BPH-3690) for extension of completion date to			5-11-65.
BAPH-350 EFF:	2-3-65 4-22-65	Voluntary assignment of CP to Capitol Broadcasting, Inc.			
BMPH-8207 HAAT:125'	4-9-65	106.3mcs Ch.#292	ERP:3kw TPO:790w	Unl.	5-11-64 5-11-65
Mod. of CP(BPH-3690, as mod.) to chg. ant.-trans. loc.; chg. studio & RC point loc.; chg. type ant. (Jampro, JA-4B, 4 secs.); decr. TPO; and incr. HAAT.					
BLH-2826 HAAT:125'	6-7-65	106.3mcs Ch.#292	ERP:3kw TPO:787w	Unl.	6-7-65 6-1-68
Lic. to cover CP(BPH-3690, as mod.) which auth. a new FM broadcast station; specify type trans. as Rust FMT-1B-SGX-B.					
BPH-4973 HAAT:115' (h&v)	9-9-65	102.7mc. ch.#274	ERP:25kw. TPO:8kw.	(h)660w(v)	10-9-65 5-9-66
Construction permit to change freq. increase ERP; install new transmitter (RUST, FMT-50-SGX-B) install new ant. (Jampro, J6B/1V, 6 horiz. & 1 vert. secs and incr. TPO; decr. HAAT.					
BMPH-8800 (1)	5-10-66	Mod. of CP(BPH-4973) for ext. of completion date to			10-9-66
BMPH-9007 (2)	9-26-66	Mod. of CP(BPH-4973 as mod.) for ext. of completion date to			3-10-67
BSCA-778	7-25-67	Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a multiplex basis of 67 kilocycles.			
BLH-3641 HAAT: 115' (H&V)	7-26-67	102.7mcs CH.#274	ERP:25kw(H) ERP:600w(V)	U TPO:5kw	7-26 6-1-68
Lic. to cover CP(BPH-4973 as mod)					
BRH-1682 (3)	5-28-60	RENEWAL, NDEA RENEWAL			6-1-71
BSCA-778	5-28-68	Renewal of SCA			

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

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Station location LINCOLN, NEBRASKA

Name of licensee CAPITOL BROADCASTING, INC.

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
BPH-6751 HAAT: 125' (H) 100' (V)	4-5-60	102.7mc Ch#274	TPO: 4.9kw ERP: 25kw (H&V)		10-5-	4-3-70
CP chg. ant-trans. loc. TPO ERP HAAT						
BLH-4654(L) HAAT: 125'	4-20-70	102.7mc	ERP: 25kw (H) & 660 watts (V) TPO: 4.5 kw		6-1-71	
Lic.(BPH-6751) for chg. ant trans., ERP:, TPO:, & HAAT:						
BRH-1682	5-28-71	Renewal & NDEA & SCA			6-1-74	
BRSCA-798	5-28-71					
EBSA	5-25-72					
BPH-8380	5-17-73	CP chg. ant. 102.7	25kw H&V	125' H&V	RC	5-18-74
BAPLH-160 BASCA-31-57	8-24-73	Vol. AL & SCA			6-1-74	
BLH-5909(L)	11-30-73	Lic.(BPH-8380, as mod.)			Changes	6-1-74
BSH-1682 (1)	2-5-74	ML Change SL & RC				
BALH-1952 BASCA-617	3-6-74 "	VOL AL " SCA	EFF: 3-25-74			
BRH-1682 BRSCA-798	5-31-74 "	(LONG) RENEWAL OF LICENSE & SCA			6-1-77	
BPH-8870 HAAT: 430ft. H&V	6-20-74	102.7	ERP: 100kw H&V	TPO: 18.5kw	6-20-75	
CP to chg TL, ant sys., install new trans & ant.						
BLH-6363(L)	10-21-74	Lic.(BPH-8870)			Changes	6-1-77
tr.	7-11-75	Correct SL				
BRH-1682(L) BRSCA-798	6-15-77	Renewal & SCA			6-1-80	
BRH-1682(L)	6-15-77	Supersedes to correct TPO			6-1-80	
EBSA	10-25-78	chg. call				

BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

First licensed JUNE 7, 1965

Call Letters K F R X

Station Location LINCOLN, NEBRASKA

Name CORNBELT BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Transmitter Location SEE CARD # 1

Main studio location

Authorization Record

File No.	Granted	Facilities	Expires
BRSCA & BRH 800201	XL 5-22-80	(L) RENEVAL	6-1-83

FORM BC-121
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters new K W H G

Name WENDELL HOLMES GRAHAM tr/as
LINCOLN BROADCASTING SERVICE
LINCOLN, NEBRASKA (P.O. 325 South 11th Street, Lincoln, Nebraska)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-3690 Rec'd Filed	3-5-62 3-12-62 3-12-62	Construction Permit for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: 102.3mc CH-272 Frequency - 92.1mc CH-225 102.3mc CH-271 ERP 3.470kw 3kw 106.3mc CH 292 Type Antenna - Andrew 1304-1 (4 sections) HAAT 40.39 feet Type transmitter - GEL-FMT-1-B-SOX-B TPO 1kw Trans. location - 325 South 11th Street Lincoln, Nebraska Studio location - Same as transmitter	GRANTED	3-11-64
Amend Rec'd & F AMENDMENT R & F	3-29-62 4-2-62 8-24-62 8-27-62	Amended 4-2-62 to change freq. and type trans. Eng. Larry Miller, Lincoln, Neb. AMENDED to change frequency to 102.3mc CH-272 ; change ERP to 3kw		
AMENDMENT Rec'd SEE CARD # 2	2-1-63 2-4-63	AMENDED to change freq. to 102.7mc CH ; chg. ERP to 5.264kw	Ret'd Freeze	2-6-63

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Letters ~~.....~~ W. K. W. H. G.

CAPITOL BROADCASTING, INC.

X WENDELL HOLMES GRAHAM tr/as

Name LINCOLN BROADCASTING SERVICELINCOLN, NEBRASKA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-3690 AMENDMENT Rec'd	CON'T 9-20-63 9-23-63	Amendment to change frequency to 106.3mc CH 292	SEE CARD #1	
BPH-3034 Received Filed	9-9-64 9-14-64 11-2-64	Modification of CP (BPH-3690 which authorized a new FM broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 11-11-64 to _____.	GRANTED	11-24-64 to 5-11-65
BAPH-350 Rec'd Resub. R & F	10-28-64 11-6-64 11-27-64 12-9-64	Voluntary assignment of CP to CAPITOL BROAD- CASTING INC.	REC'D FILED (if necessary) GRANTED	11-12-64 11-15-64 2-3-65 2-3-65 EFF: 4-22-65

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Letters KWHGName CAPITOL BROADCASTING, INC.
LINCOLN, NEBRASKA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-8207 Received	2-22-65 3-1-65	Modification of CP (BPH-3690 as modified which authorized a new FM broadcast station) to move studio location to 443 S. 13th St., Lincoln, Nebraska; move ant-trans location to Atop Cornhusker Hotel, Lincoln, Nebraska; increase HAAT to 125'; decrease TPO to .787kw; operate trans by remote control from studio location; ^{and} change type ant (Jampro-JA-4B, 4 sections).	GRANTED	4-9-65
BLH-2826 Received Filed	4-21-65 4-26-65 4-28-65	License to cover CP (BPH-3690 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station; and specify type trans as (kust-FMT-1B).	GRANTED	6-7-65

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Letters KWHGName CAPITOL BROADCASTING, INC.
LINCOLN, NEBRASKA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-4973 R.&F.	5-26-65 5-28-65	Construction permit to change frequency from 106.3mc CH 292 to 102.7mc CH 274; increase ERP to 25.11kw(horiz.) .664kw (vert.); TPO to 5kw; HAAT to 115.36'; install new transmitter (Rust-FMT-5C-SXB (5kw); new antenna(Jampro J6B/1V, 6 horiz. sect; 1 vert. sect.)	GRANTED	9-9-65
AMENDED R&F	6-28-65 7-1-65	AMENDED to show transmitter as RUST FMT-5C-SXB-B		
BSCA-702 Rec'd	2-16-66 2-23-66	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67kcs.	RETURNED	6-24-66
Filed	4-8-66	Modification of CP(BPH-4973 which authorized install new trans., install dual polarized ant., change frequency, and changes in TPO, ERP and HAAT) for extension of completion date from 5-9-66 to 10-9-66.	Inadvertently accepted,	
BMPH-8800 R & F	4-13-66 4-15-66		GRANTED to	5-10-66 10-9-66

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Letters KWHG

Name CAPITOL BROADCASTING, INC.
LINCOLN, NEBRASKA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-9007 R & F	8-30-66 9-2-66	Modification of CP(BPH-4973 as mod., which authorized install new trans, install dual polarized ant., change frequency, and changes in TPO, ERP and HAAT) for extension of completion date from 10-9-66 to 1-10-67.	GRANTED to	9-26-66 3-10-67
BSCA-798 Rec'd Filed	5-15-67 5-17-67 5-25-67	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67 kc.	GRANTED	7-25-67
BLH-3641 R & F	3/5/67 3/6/67	Lic. to cover CP (BPH-4973 as mod.) which auth. install new trans. & dual ant., chng. freq., chng. ERP, TPO & HAAT, specify type trans. Bauer 610 and ant. TELETRONICS FMV6/FMV-1.	GRANTED	7-26-67
BRH-1682 BRSCA-798 R & F #416248 \$25 #416247 \$30 Press	3-4-68 3-4-68 3-25-68	Renewal of license Renewal of SCA AMENDED 4-11-68 re: Engineering (date of last freq. check & equip. meas. perf.) AMENDED 5-6-68 re: Programming	GRANTED	5-28-68

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Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters **KWHG**

Name **CAPITOL BROADCASTING, INC.**
LINCOLN, NEBRASKA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-6751 R & F \$520258 \$75 Refunded \$45 JUN 19 1969	5-27-69 6-9-69 6-9-69 6-17-69 JUN 19 1969	CP chg. ant-trans loc. to Folsom at A, Lincoln, Nebraska; make chgs. in ant. system (incr. hght); chg. TPO: 4.18kw. 40° 47' 54" - 98° 43' 38" Atty.: None Engr.: B. Lenox Dunbar (Omaha, Nebr.) 11-7-69. By Memorandum Opinion and Order. ORDERED TO pay \$100 Forfeiture.	GRANTED	8-5-69
BLN- 4654 Rec'd \$563482 \$30. RESUBMITTED Amended & F PTA PRESS APR 15 1970	12-9-69 12-11-69 12-11-69 DEC 18 1969 12-29-69 1-16-70 1-19-70 APR 15 1970	Lic. (BPH-6751) for changes. (Transmitter BAUER-605) Exhibit I, Equip. Proof of Perf.	GRANTED 12-27-69 12-27-69 12-27-69 GRANTED	12-27-69 12-27-69 12-27-69 4-20-70

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X K W H GName H/K Broadcasting Corporation
 CAPITOL BROADCASTING, INC.
LINCOLN, NEBRASKA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BRH-1682 BRSCA-798 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAR 5 1971	2-26-71 2-26-71 3-1-71 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (Bauer 20) RENEWAL OF SCA AMENDED 5-6-71 re: community survey; programming	GRANTED	5-28-71
BPH-8380 R & F #174585 \$50 Code 061 Press MAY 4 - 1973	4-10-73 4-16-73 4-16-73	CP to install new antenna (Jampro JSCP-6, 6 sects. (H&V) and chg. transmission line.	GRANTED	5-18-73
BAPH-160 BASCA-576 R & F FEE PD: \$1000 #187923 CODE 049 Pub. notice filed 6-11-73	5-4-73 5-17-73 JUN 7 1973	Voluntary assignment of license, SCA & CP (PH-8380) to H/K BROADCASTING CORPORATION Atty - Dow, Lohnes & Albertson (SEE OVER)	GRANTED grante fee \$3,500.00 EFP: 9-24-73 pd 050 9-28-73 236627	8-24-73

RE BAPLI-160 - OK TO ASSIGN BPH-8300 also (auth. gr 2-27-73
to use new antenna)

AMENDED 6-11-73 to include BOK-

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters

K H K S

Name
CORNBELT BROADCASTING CORPORATION
X H / K BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Lincoln, Nebraska

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-5909 Rec'd W 517604-\$50. Amended & F PTA (ltr to lic. Amended PRESS	6-29-73 7-5-73 7-5-73-AC-057 8-14-73 8-17-73 8-28-73 9-26-73 OCT 31 1973	Lic.(BPH-8380, as mod.) for Changes. cor. Sect. II-B for engr. data for amend. of lic. name) " " "	GRANTED	11-30-73
BALH-1952 BASCA-617 R & F FEE PD: \$250 # 270045 CODE 047 (Form 316)	1-8-74 1-17-74	Voluntary assignment of license and SCA to CORNBELT BROADCASTING CORPORATION (SEE OVER) Atty - Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED EFF:	3-6-74 3-25-74

RE: BALH-1952 - Assignee is licensee of KFOR (Art. on file)

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102.7mhz.

Call
Letters **K H K S**

CORNBELT BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Name **X H/K BROADCASTING CORPORATION**
Lincoln, Nebraska

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
✓ BRH-1682 R & F P.N. PRESS	2-27-74 3-1-74 3-1-74 MAR 18 1974	Renewal of License Atty.: Dominic Monahan	GRANTED	5-31-74
✓ BRSCA-798 R & F	2-27-74 3-1-74	Renewal of SCA AMENDED 3-26-74 to change name of applicant to "CORNBELT BROADCASTING CORPORATION"		
BPH-8870 R & F #287104 \$200 Code 013 Press P. N. Rec'd	1-18-74 3-5-74 3-6-74 MAR 26 1974 6-19-74	CP to chg. TL to: Vine and Grape Streets, Lincoln, Nebraska; install new trans. (Collins 831G-1); install new ant. (Jampro JSCP-12, 12 sects. (H&V); make chg. ant. system (incr. hght.); chg. TPO; ERP: 100KW (H&V) and HAAT: 430' (H&V). (40° 49' 12" - 96° 39' 29")	GRANTED gr. fee req. \$1,800.00 Pd 014 W325978	6-20-74 7-17-74
AMENDED Press: AMENDED AMENDED	4-28-74 MAY 0 1974 5-10-74 5-16-74	Atty: Dominic Monahan (Dow, Lohnes & Albertson) Chg. the name to: CORNBELT BROADCASTING CORPORATION. Section II. AMENDED 5-22-74 Financial Data. Section III. F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.		

CORNBELT BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Name
Lincoln, Nebraska

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-6363 R & F W 336202-\$50. PTA PRESS	8-13-74 8-15-74 8-15-74-057 8-21-74	Lic.(BPH-8870)-Changes. Atty: Dow, Lohnes & Albertson (D. Monahan)	GRANTED	10-21-74
BRH-1682 BRSCA-798 R & F P.N. PRESS	1-15-77 1-15-77 1-31-77 1-31-77	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA Atty. James D. Monahan (Dow, Lohnes & Albertson) AMENDED 5-23-77 re: EEO complaint	GRANTED	6-15-77
BRH 800201 N L BRSCA " PRESS	FEB 23 1977 MAR 31 1980	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA J.D.Monahan, Atty.	GRANTED	5-22-80

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.

