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FREQUENCY MODULATION

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed November 19, 1965

Call letters KGR I-FM

Station location HENDERSON, TEXAS

KGRI, INC. (ALH 3-8-78 EFF:

x GEORGE A. FREEMAN (ALH 2-14-74 EFF:3-1-74)

Name of licensee X HENDERSON BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Transmitter location 0.7 mi. SE of center of Henderson, Tex. (PH 3-20-64) (LH 11-19-65)

Main studio location 0.7 mi. SE of center of Henderson, Tex. (PH 3-20-64) (LH 11-19-65)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div	Period From - To
BPH-4216 HAAT: 200' (Cond. 1) BTC-4678	3-20-64 10-29-64	100.1mc Ch. #261	ERP: 3kw TPO: 930w	Unl.	5-20-64 11-20-64
	CP for a new Class A FM broadcast station. Involuntary relinquishment of negative control of permittee corp. by James T. Reeves and Mary Reeves, as a Family Group thru transfer of stock to the Third National Bank, Executor of the Estate of James T. Reeves, Deceased				
BMPH-8065 (1)	12-9-64	Mod. of CP(BPH-4216) for extension of completion date to 5-20-65.			
BMPH-8278 (2)	5-18-65	Mod. of CP(BPH-4216, as mod.) for ext. of completion date to 12-1-65			
BMPH-8478 (3)	9-28-65	Mod. of CP(BPH-4216) to chg type trans (Gates-F-1B), as mod, chg type ant (Gates-FMA-4, 4 sections), and decr TPO to 890w			
BLH-3026 HAAT: 200'	11-19-65	100.1mc ch. #261	ERP: 3kw TPO: 1kw	Unl.	11-19-65 8-1-68
	Lic to cover CP(BPH-4216 as mod) which authorized a new FM broadcast station				
BTC-5396 EFF:	8-24-67 10-3-67	Voluntary acquisition of negative control of lic.			
BRH-1779(S)	7-29-68	RENEWAL			
BRH-1779(S)	7-29-71	RENEWAL			
EBSA	5-22-72				
BALH-1895	2-14-74	VOL ALH	EFF:	3-1-74	
BRH-1779(L)	11-17-75	Renewal of License			
BPH-9848(L) HAAT: 200'	4-15-76 H&V	100.1MHz CP chg trans, ant, TPO, ERP, W & HAAT	ERP: 3kw	H&V	4-15-77
BAPLH-227 BRH-1779 BLH-7533	3-8-78 2-24-78 "	VOL. AL of CP REN. OF LICENSE & LIC. for Chgs. (BPH-9848)			
					8-1-80

BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

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First licensed

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Station Location

Name SEE CARD # 1

Transmitter Location

Main studio location

Authorization Record

File No.	Granted	Facilities	Expires
BRH800331VM(L)	7-31-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	8-1-83
BTCH800714GS	11-19-80	VOL TCH EFF:	12-24-80

AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call K G R 1-FM
Letters ~~new-FM~~Name HENDERSON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Henderson, Texas (PO Box 126, Madison, Tenn.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-4216 R. & F.	11-4-63	CP for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 100.1mc CH 261 ERP: 3kw Type transmitter: Collins 830 D1 TPO: 0.927 kw Type antenna: Collins 37M-4 (4 section) HAAT: 197 ft. Trans. location: 0.7 mi SE of center of Henderson, Texas (Same as AM, KGRI) Studio location: Same as transmitter Atty: Mallyck & Bernton Engr: Willis C. Beecher	GRANTED Cond'l re KGRI submit 302s	3-20-64
	11-8-63			
BTC-4678 R & F	9-25-64 10-1-64	Involuntary relinquishment of negative control of permittee corp. by James T. Reeves and Mary Reeves, as a Family Group, thru transfer of stock to the Third National Bank, Executor of the Estate of James T. Reeves, Deceased	GRANTED	10-29-64

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters H G H I - FM

Name HENDERSON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
HENDERSON, TEXAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-8065 R&F	11-12-64 11-17-64	Modification of CP (BPH-4216 which authorized a new FM broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 11-20-64 to 5-20-65. Atty: Mallyck & Bernton	GRANTED	12-9-64
BMPH-8278 R&F	5-4-65 5-7-65	Modification of CP (BPH-4216 as modified which authorized a new FM broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 5-20-65 to 11-20-65. Atty: Mallyck & Bernton	GRANTED to	5-18-65 12-1-65
BMPH-8478 R&F	9-3-65 9-10-65	Modification of CP (BPH-4216 as modified which authorized a new FM broadcast station) to change type trans (Gates-FM-1B), change type ant (Gates-FMA-4, 4 sections), and increase TPO to .975kw. Atty: Mallyck & Bernton	GRANTED	9-28-65

FORM BC-121 #3
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name HENDERSON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Henderson, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-3026 Rec'd Filed	9/14/65 9/17/65 10/15/65	License to cover CP (BPH-4216 as mod.) which auth. a new FM broadcast station. Attys: Mallyck & Bernton	GRANTED	11-19-65
BLH-5396 R & F (Form 316)	7-20-67 7-24-67	Voluntary acquisition of negative control of lic. corp. by Mary Reeves thru transfer of stock from Third National Bank, Executor of the Estate of James T. Reeves, Deceased Atty - Prescott & Prescott, Dallas, Texas	GRANTED EFF:	8-24-67 10-3-67
BRH-1779 R & F #424439 \$25 MAY 22 1968	4-24-68 4-29-68 4-29-68	Renewal of license AMENDED 7-2-68 re: Other Business Interests: Commercial Practices	GRANTED	7-29-68

Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters **KGRI-FM**

GEORGE A. FREEMAN
 Name **XHENDERSON BROADCASTING CORPORATION**
HENDERSON, TEXAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-1779 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAY 6 1971	4-22-71 4-28-71 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 5-24-71 re: equal employment policy	GRANTED	7-29-71
BAH-1895 R & F FEE PD: \$1000 #230667 CODE 049 (ALSO SEE AK) SEP 28 1973	9-5-73 9-7-73	Voluntary assignment of license to GEORGE A. FREEMAN Atty - Prescott & Prescott, Dallas, Texas	GRANTED GRANT FEE: \$ 1,763.00 (INCLUDES AM) EFF:	2-14-74 3-1-74
BRH-1779 R & F P.N. PRESS MAY 28 1974	5-2-74 5-6-74 5-6-74	Renewal of License AMENDED 5-16-74 re: engineering	GRANTED	11-17-75

5-7-71 Lt. Plus Sec.6 mailed

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

100.1mhz.

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Letters **KGRI-FM**

KGRI, INC.
Name **GEORGE A. FREEMAN**
Henderson, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-9848 Rec'd Filed #547236\$100 Code 001 PRESS	1-31-76 2-10-76 3-22-76 3-26-76 APR 1 3 1976	CP to install new trans. (Collins 831D); install new Circular Polarized ant. (Collins LPC-3, 3 sects. (H&V); chg. ERP: 3kw (H&V); chg. TPO: 2.5kw; chg. HAAT: 197 ft. (H&V)	GRANTED COND'L	4-15-76
BRH-1779 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	3-21-77 3-31-77 " APR 25 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 7-19-77 re: problems & needs of community & commercial matter	GRANTED	2-24-78
BAPLH-227 R & F PRESS Also see KGRI PN FILED	11-11-77 11-14-77 DEC 14 1977 1-18-78 *	Voluntary assignment of license and CP (BPH-9848 - install new trans, and new antenna to WILLIAM-LAWRENCE-WALLING over Atty.-Eugene T. Smith AMENDED 3-1-78 - chgo assignee to KGRI, INC.; fin. data	GRANTED EFF:	3-8-78
BLH-7533 R & F PTA PRESS	4-15-77 4-18-77 9-1-77 DEC 7 1977	Lic. (BPH-9848) for chgs Atty--- Engr. Charles Chassno	GRANTED	2-24-78

RE: BAPLH-227 - Called Atty 12/12/77 re: CP - ltr to be
filed to include CP in AL (BLH-7533 pending - PTA 9-1-77)

AMENDED Articles of Incorporation filed 5-23-80.

Amended 10-21-80 re: To show grant of Transfer would
be in the interest of the public if granted.

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: K G R I-FM

Name: KGRI, INC.

Station Location: HENDERSON, TEXAS

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRH800331VM PRESS: APR 29 1980		RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty: Eugene T. Smith	GRANTED 7-31-80
BTCH800714GS Form 315 PRESS Also see KGRI(am) PN filed 9-25-80	AUG 7 1980	Vol TC from William L. Walling to Lynda McCombs Rubey, Connie McCombs McNab, and Marsha McCombs Shields Atty for transferor-Eugene T. Smith Atty for transferee-Martin I. Levy (over)	Granted 11-19-80 Cond' 1 EFF: 12-24-80
BALH810528HM Form 316 JUN 9 1981 PRESS Also see KGRI (am)		Vol AL to KGRI Associates Atty. Martin I. Levy	GR 6-22-81

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.

