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FREQUENCY MODULATION

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 1-27-69

Call letters K H O M

Station location Houma, Louisiana

Name of licensee La-Terr Broadcasting Corporation

Transmitter location 1.5 mi. S. of city on Hwy. 24, Gray, La. (PH-4-24-68)

2306 West Main, Houma, Louisiana
xredes. 2304 W. Main, Houma, Louisiana (PH 5-23-75)
X2306 West Main, Houma, Louisiana (EACH-11-21-68)

Main studio location To be determined, Houma, La. (PH-4-24-68)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div	Period From - To
BPH-6009 HAAT: 330'	4-24-68	104.1mc.	ERP: 56kw Unl. ch# 281 TPO: 10kw CP for new Station.		6-24-68 12-24-68
BPH-6009 (1)	6-25-68	Call letters assigned.			
BRCH-905(2)	11-21-68	Operate RC			
BLH-4236(L)	1-27-69	Lic. (BPH-6009 as mod.) for new FM sta. Type Trans: COLLINS 830F-10, studio loc. 2306 W. Main.			
BTG-6090	3-27-70	VOL. TO EFF: 4-4-70			
BRH-2294(S)	5-27-70	RENEWAL			
EBSA	5-22-72				
BRH2294(S)	5-31-73	RENEWAL			
BPH-9398 HAAT: 295ft (H&V)	5-23-75	104.1MHz.	ERP: 56kw (H&V) CP chg trans, ant, ERP & HAAT	U	5-23-76
BSCA-1543	12-17-75	SCA 67 khz.			
BRH-2294(L)	7-29-76	L.c. (BPH-9398) for change			
BRSCA-1543	" " "	" " "			
BMSCA781106AN	1-25-79	Mod. of SCA to make chg. in Programming.			
BPH11,070 HAAT: 400' (L)	10-30-78	104.1mhz	ERP: 54kW (H&V) CP to mke. chg. ant sys. incr. hght. chg. ERP & HAAT	RC	10-30-79
COMTEL	4-27-79	HAAT 430' (H&V) BPH-11,070			
BRH790124UG	1-10-80	Renewal & Lic. cover (BPH-11,070)			
ELH790420AF(L)		104.1	52kw 430' (H&V) Main Ant. PC 56kw 325' H&V Aux. Ant.		6-1-82
BRSCA790124UG	9-27-79	Renewal of SCA			
BPH800702AJ HAAT: 430' (L)	1-21-81	104.9mhz	ERP: 100kW (h&v) CP to chg type Trans; incre ERP; HAAT and chg TPO.		1-21-82
BPH800702AJ	1-21-81	SUPERSEDE TO CORRECT THE FREQUENCY.			

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters ~~W H~~Name LA-TERR BROADCASTING CORPORATION
HOUMA, LOUISIANA (PO & Kenneth Watkins; 415 Goode St., Houma, La. 70361)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-6009	9-25-67	CP for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on:	Designated for hearing	12-19-67
R.&F.	9-27-67	Frequency: 104.1mcs, CH.#281		
OCT 20 1967		ERP: 56.5kw	GRANTED	4-24-68
		TPO: 10kw		
		HAAT: 325.4 feet		
		Trans.: Collins 830F-1A		
		Antenna: Collins 37M-6, 6 sections		
		Trans.Loc: On Hwy. #24, 1.5 mile South of Gray, Louisiana		
		Studio Loc: To be determined, Houma, Louisiana		
		Arthur		
		ATTY: Stambler (Jason L. Shrinsky)		
		ENGR: Raymond E. Rohrer & Assoc. (Purcell)		

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Houma, Louisiana

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCH-905 R & F NOV 21 1968 Fee: \$30.00	11-20-68 11-20-68 473579	MP(BPH-6009) to ^{specify} change studio location to 2306 West Main, Houma, Louisiana and operate transmitter by remote control from studio location. Atty.: Jason L. Shrinsky	GRANTED	11-21-68
BLH-4236 R & F \$470813 \$30 PT JAN 1 1969	11/7/68 11/8/68 11/8/68 11/19/68	License (BPH-6009) for new FM b/c station, specify type trans. COLLINS 830F-1B, studio loc. 2306 West Main. Atty: Arthur Stambler	GRANTED	1-27-69
PTC-6090 R & F FEE PD: \$75 (NOV 10 1969 Pub notice F 11-17-69	10-17-69 10-20-69 -#550245	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp. from James J. Buquet, Jr. and Thomas Kenneth Watkins to James J. Buquet, Jr., Thomas Kenneth Watkins and Raymond Saadi REQUEST WAIVER RE SEC. 1.597, if nec.	GRANTED EFF:	3-27-70 4-4-70

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-2294 R & F #580846 \$75. P.N.	2-13-70 2-26-70 2-26-70 2-17-70	Renewal of License Atty.: Jason L. Shrinsky	GRANTED	5-27-70
BRH-2294 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAR 28 1973	2-5-73 3-5-73 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE James A. Koerner, Atty.	GRANTED	5-31-73
BPH-9398 R & F #398274 \$50 Code 057 PRESS APR 7 - 1975	2-27-75 3-3-75 3-6-75	CP to install new trans. (COLLINS 830F-1A); new ant. (PHELPS-DODGE CFM-LP12, 12 sections (H&V); change ERP: 55.94kw(H&V); change HAAT: 295 ft. (H&V) 302-5-7-76-PTA-5-11	GRANTED	5-23-75
BSCA-1543 R & F #500054 \$100 PRESS 001 DEC 3 1975	11-13-75 11-17-75 11-21-75	Request for Subsidiary Communications Auth- orization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67khz	GRANTED	12-17-75

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-2294 BRSCA-1543 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	1-16-76 1-16-76 1-27-76 " MAR 23 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA Stambler & <u>Shrinsky</u> , Atty.	GRANTED	7-29-76
BLH-7064 R & F W564906-1100 PTA PRESS	5-5-76 5-7-76 5-10-76-001 5-11-76 MAY 17 1976	Lic. (BPH-9398) - Changes - Transmitter: COLLINS, 830F-1B. Atty: Stambler & <u>Shrinsky</u>	GRANTED issued with BRH-2294	7-29-76
BPH-11,070 R & F PRESS:	4-4-78 4-21-78 MAY 11 1978 JUL 27 1978	CP to mke. chg. ant. sys. (incr. hght.); chg. ERP: 53.75kw (H&V) & HAAT: 434.4' (H&V) Atty: James M. Weitzman (Stambler & Shrinsky) Engr: ---	GRANTED	10-30-78

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			Nature	Date
BMSCA781106AN PRESS	NOV 30 1978	Modification of Subsidiary Communications Authorization to make changes in Programming.	GRANTED	1-25-79
BRH 790124 UG BRSCA " MAR 26 1979 PRESS		RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA	GRANTED	9-27-79 Issued with BLH790420AF
BPH790404AH PRESS (O) APR 16 1979		CP to install Auxiliary Antenna (COLLINS 37 M-6, 6 sects. H) at Main Studio Location, to be operated on: ERP: 56kw (H); HAAT: 325' (H) & chg. TPO. Atty. James M. Weitzman (Stambler & Shrinsky)	DISMISSED	1-10-80 (unnecessary per 73.257)
BLH-790420AF PTA: PRESS:	5-17-79 JUN 4 1979	License to cover (BPH-11070) FOR CHANGES Atty: James M. Weitzman (STAMBLER & SHRINSKY)	GRANTED	1-10-80

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104.1MHz.

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Station Location: HOUMA, LOUISIANA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BPH800702AJ PRESS (O)	JUL 25 1980	CP to chg. type Trans.; incre. ERP: 100kw (H&V); incre. HAAT: 434.4' (H&V) & chg. TPO.	GRANTED 1-21-81
BMPH810427AD PRESS (O)	MAY 21 1981	Mod. of CP (BPH-800702AJ) To Utilize Existing Trans. & Aux. Ant. together as Aux. Facilities to be Operated on: ERP: 56kw (H); HAAT: 325' (H) & chg. TPO (FOR AUX. PURPOSES ONLY)	DISMISSED-8-26-81 PURSUANT TO SECT. 73.3538 OF THE RULES.

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.

