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FREQUENCY MODULATION

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 3-19-70

Call letters K I N B

Station location Poteau, Oklahoma

Name of licensee V.F. Nowlin TR/AS INDIAN NATION BROADCASTING CO. (ALH & SCA 2-21-74 EFF: 3-7-74)
V.F. Nowlin and Hosea Austin, D/B As Indian Nation Broadcasting Co.

Transmitter location Atop Poteau Mtn., 3.8 mi. N. of Bates, Arkansas (PH-3-10-69)

Main studio location Hwy. #271, 2.3mi. N. of center of Poteau, Oklahoma (PH-3-10-69)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Day	Period From To
BPH-6518 HAAT:1,810' (h&v)	3-10-69	107.3mc.	ERP: 70kw(h)30kw(v) ch#297 TPO:8.8kw RC CP for new Station.		11-10-69
BPH-6518(1)	6-3-69	Call letters assigned.			
BPH-6518	9-5-69	Request for SCA license.			
BPH-6518	10-6-69	Superseding authorization to show correct Trans. location as Arkansas. 107.3mc. #297 ERP:70kw(h)30kw(v) TPO: 8.8kw (RC)			
HAAT:1,810' (h&v)					11-10-69
BPH-6518(1)	3-19-70	Lic. cover (BPH-6518)			
HAAT: 1810' (h&v)			107.3mc ERP: 70kw(h)30kw(v) TPO: 8.8kw		6-1-71
BRH-2453	1-31-72	(S) RENEWAL OF LICENSE			6-1-74
BRSCA-961	"	RENEWAL OF SCA			
EBSA	5-22-72				
BALH-1833	2-21-74	VOL ALH & SCA			EFF: 3-7-74
BASCA-568					
BRH-2453(L)	8-22-74	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			6-1-77
BRSCA-961		RENEWAL OF SCA			
BRH-2453(S)	3-13-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			6-1-80
BRSCA-961					
BRH800201 YD		RENEWAL OF LICENSE			
BRSCA"	6-13-80	RENEWAL OF SCA			6-1-83

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters **-NHW-FM**

Name **V. F. NOWLIN AND HOSEA AUSTIN, d/b as INDIAN NATION BROADCASTING CO.**
POTEAU, OKLAHOMA (PO c/o V. F. Nowlin, Box H, Poteau, Okla. 74953)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-6518 R & F #466966 \$75 PRESS: DEC 13 1968 PN REC'D:	10-1-68 10-21-68 10-21-68 12-12-68	CP for new FM on: 107.3mc #297 ERP:70kw(H) HAAT:1,842.8' TPO:9.1960kw 30kw(V) Trans.: CCA FM-10,000D Ant.: CCA 6710, 12 secs. TL: Atop Poteau Mountain, 3.8 mi. N. of Bates, Ark. SL: Hwy. #271, 2.3 mi. N. of ctr. of Poteau, Okla. (RC) (in city limits) REQUEST WAIVER OF SECTION 73.207 OF THE RULES. Atty.: James E. Hamilton (Poteau, Oklahoma) Engr.: William H. Bradley (Sand Springs, Oklahoma) SECTION 73.207(a) OF THE RULES WAIVED AND APPLICATION ACCEPTED FOR FILING BY COMMISSION ACTION OF 11-20-68.	GRANTED	3-10-69
BSCA-961 R & F #57295 \$30	8-13-69 8-29-69	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authori- zation on a sub-carrier frequency of 67 kcs.	GRANTED	9-5-69

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION MAILED 12-19-68.

Note: Ltr. 12-12-68 requesting amended Partnership Agreement to show trade name.

CONTACT: James E. Hamilton, Attorney; PHONE: Code 918, 647-3221

ADDRESS: Black Angus Offices, Poteau, Oklahoma.

AMENDED 12-26-68 in resp. to Comm. ltr. 12-12-68 re Sect. II.

AMENDED 3-6-69 re Sect. III.

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Name V. F. NOWLIN TR/AS INDIAN NATION BROADCASTING CO.
V. F. NOWLIN AND HOSEA AUSTIN, D/B AS INDIAN NATION BROADCASTING CO.
Poteau, Oklahoma

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BLH-4604 Rec'd #547468\$30. PTA to 11-17 Amended & F PTA ext.	9-26-69 9-29-69 10-7-69 10-17-69 11-14-69 11-24-69	Lic.(BPH-6518) for new FM Broadcast Station. Engineering	GRANTED	3-19-70
BRH-2453 BRSCA-961 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAR 30 1971	2-27-71 " 3-2-71 " 3-8-71	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA AMENDED 7-16-71 re: programming	GRANTED	1-31-72
BALH-1833 BASCA-568 R & F FEE PD: \$250 CCDE 054	3-30-73 4-4-73 #171231 (FORM 316)	Voluntary assignment of license and SCA to V.F. NOWLIN tr/as INDIAN NATION BROADCASTING CO. Atty - Daly, Joyce & Borsari AMENDED 1-7-74 - revised bal sheet and promissory note F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D.C.	GRANTED EFF:	2-21-74 3-7-74

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			Nature	Date
BRH-2453 BRSCA-961 R & F PRESS	2-26-74 3-8-74 3-4-74 25 MAR 1974	Renewal of License Renewal of SCA Atty: John A. Borsari(Daly, Joyce etc.) AMENDED 3-18-74 re: to change name of applicant; Section II submitted AMENDED 5-29-74 re: notice of network affiliation AMENDED 6-21-74 re: programming	GRANTED	8-22-74
BRH-2453 BRSCA-961 R & F P.N. PRESS	2-1-77 2-1-77 2-1-77 2-1-77 MAR 1 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA Atty. John A. Borsari (Daly, Joyce, etc.) AMENDED 4-8-77 re: engineering	GRANTED	3-13-79
BRH 800201 YD BRSCA " PRESS APR 8 1980		RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA Leo I. George, Atty.	GRANTED	6-13-80

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.

