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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 8-29-67

W C O D-FM (Eff 2-2-67)
Call letters X H K Q D-FM

Station location HYANNIS, MASS.

RESORT COMMUNICATIONS INC. (AL: 10-30-79 EFF: 6-27-80

X HARBINGER BROADCASTING CO., INC. (APLH gr 6/23/77 EFF: 7/21/77

XX KOTCOM BROADCASTING, INC. (AL 6-30-71 EFF: 7-1-71)

Name of licensee X CHARTER BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF MASSACHUSETTS

Hokum Rock Road, Dennis, Massachusetts (PH-10,068 10/3/79)

X62 Rear Barnstable Rd., Hyannis, Massachusetts (MP-1-11-67)

Transmitter location X E. of Mary Dunn Road, and N. of Rt. #6, Barnstable Township, Mass
(BPH-12-22-65)

105 Stevens St., Hyannis, Mass. (SH 7-10-73)

X28 Barnstable Rd., Hyannis, Massachusetts (MP-1-11-67)

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Main studio location X Same as Transmitter

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH-4914 HAAT: 190'	12-22-65	106.1mc. ch.#291	ERP: 23kw. TPO: 5kw.	Unl.	2-22-66 8-22-66
CP for a new Class B FM broadcast station.					
BPH-4914 (1)	3-18-66	Mod. of CP(BPH-4914) to assign call letters W K O D-FM.			
BMPH-8939 (2)	8-5-66	Mod. of CP(BPH-4914) for ext. of completion date to			
					3-22-67
BMPH-9147 HAAT: 125'	1-11-67	106.1mc. ch#291	ERP: 25kw TPO: 5kw	Unl.	2-22-66 3-22-67
Mod. of CP(BPH-4914 as mod.) to change ant-trans location; change studio location; and operate remote control from studio location; incr. ERP; and decrease HAAT;					
BMPH-9256 (1)	3-8-67	Mod. of CP(BPH-4914 as mod.) for ext. of completion date to			
					9-22-67
BLH-3705 HAAT: 125'	8-29-67	106.1mcs CH.#291	ERP: 25kw TPO: 5kw	U	8-29 4-1-69
BLH-5484 -EFF: 1-11-68	1-9-68	Lic. to cover CP(BPH-4914 as mod) Voluntary acquisition of positive control of lic.			
BSH-2062	7-1-68	Memo change antenna marking.			
BRH-2062(L)	3-26-69	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			
					4-1 4-1-72
BALH-1500	6-30-71	VOL. ALH EFF: 7-1-71			
EBSA	5-22-72				
BRH-2062(L)	8-17-72	RENEWAL			
					4-1-75
BSH-2062 (1)	7-10-73	Ltr. Rec'd: 5-7-73 chg. Studio loc. & RC point to: 105 Stevens Street, Hyannis, Massachusetts.			
BRH-2062(L)	3-31-75	Renewal of License			
					4-1-78
BRH-2062(L)	3-31-75	Supersede authorization issued same date to include condition			
BPH-9712(L)	9-13-76	106.1MHz	ERP: 13kw	{H&V} U {RC}	
HAAT: 130' {H&V}		CP chg	ERP, HAAT & Ant		9-13-77
BAPLH-207	6/23/77	Vol APLH EFF: 7/21/77			

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June 1975

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters WCOD-FM

Station location Hyannis, Massa.

Name of licensee HARBINGER BROADCASTING CO., INC.

Transmitter location SEE CARD #1

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BLH-7552 HAAT: 130'	3-27-78 (H&V) Lic. (BPH-9712) for changes.	ERP: 13kw (H&V) 106.1MHz #291 (RC)		U	4-1-78
BRH-2062	9-14-78	(S) REN. OF LICENSE			4-1-81
BSCA790720AO	9/12/79	SCA			4/1/81
BPH-10,068 HAAT: 430' (L)	10/3/79 (H&V)	106.1mhz ERP: 45kw (H&V) CP to chg TL, ant sys., TPO, ERP & HAAT. Install new antenna and trans.			10/3/80
BAPLH791019HQ	10-30-79	VOL. AL, CP & SCA			EFF: 6-27-80
BRH-801211UA	4-16-81				
BRSCA-801211UA	4-16-81				
BLH-800915AF HAAT: 430' (H&V)	4-16-81	RENEWAL AND MODIFICATION OF LICENSE & SCA.			4-1-84
BRH-801211UA	4-16-81				
BLH-800915AF	4-16-81	SUPERSEDES AUTHORIZATION ISSUED SAME DATE AND FILE NUMBER TO DELETE SCA FILE NUMBER.			4-1-84
BRSCA-801211UA	4-16-81	RENEWAL OF SCA			4-1-84

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters New- W N O D-FM

Name CHARTER BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF MASSACHUSETTS
HYANNIS, MASSACHUSETTS (% Freda M. Sullivan, 42 Longmeadow Rd., Belmont 78, Mass.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-4914 R.&F.	4-19-65 4-23-65	CP for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 106.1mc CH 291 ERP: 21.8kw- 23.1kw TPO: 5kw HAAT: 429'- 192 ft. Transmitter: RUST FMT-5C (5kw) Antenna: JAMPRO JA-5B, 5 sections Trans. Loc: South-of-Oak-Str; & US-Hwy. -6, Barnstable, Massachusetts Studio Loc: Same as transmitter Attys-Dow, Lohnes and Albertson(Alfred C.Cordon, Jr.) Engrs-George C.Davis <u>SEE CARD #2 FOR AMENDMENT</u>	GRANTED	12-22-65

FORM BC-121

AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters ~~NEW~~ W K O D-FMName **CHARTER BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF MASSACHUSETTS**
HYANNIS, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-4914 Cont'd. AMENDED R&F	9-24-65 9-24-65	AMENDED to change ERP to 23.1kw, HAAT to 192' chng. ant.-trans. & studio loc. to E. of Mary Dunn Rd., N. of U.S. Rt. 6, Barnstable Twp., Mass.	See	Card #1
BMPH-8939 R & F	7-18-66 7-20-66	Modification of CP(BPH-4914 which authorized a new FM broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 8-22-66 to 3-22-67.	GRANTED to	8-5-66 3-22-67
----- Attys - Dow, Lohnes and Albertson -----				
BMPH-9147 R & F	12-3-66 12-5-66	Mod. of CP(BPH-4914 as mod., which authorized a new FM broadcast station) to chg. ant-trans. location to 62 Rear Barnstable Rd., Hyannis, Massachusetts; change studio location to 28 Barnstable Rd., Hyannis, Massachusetts; and operate RC from studio location; make chg. in ant. system(decr. hght); incr. ERP to 24.8kw; and decrease HAAT to 130 feet. Engr. Stuart W. Underwood, Acushnet, Mass.	GRANTED	1-11-67

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FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters **W C O D-FM**
X W K O D-FM

Name **CHARTER BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF MASSACHUSETTS**
HYANNIS, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-9256 R&F	2-13-67 2-17-67	Modification of CP(BPH-4914 as mod., which authorized a new FM broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 3-22-67 to 9-22-67.	GRANTED to	3-8-67 9-22-67
BLH-3705 Rec'd Filed PTA-6/2/67	5/15/67 5/23/67 6/2/67	Lic. to cover CP (BPH-4914 as mod.) which auth. a new FM b/c station, specify type trans. COLLINS 830EL and ant. COLLINS 37M5. (R.C.)	GRANTED	8-29-67
BTC-5484 Rec'd Filed NOV 9 1967	11-1-67 11-2-67 11-2-67	Voluntary acquisition of positive control by Edward T. Sullivan (50%) and Freda M. Sullivan (50%) thru purchase of stock from Frederick M. Cusick and Barbara M. Cusick.	GRANTED EFF:	1-9-68 1-11-68

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

106.1mc

Call
Letters W C O D-FM

KOTCOM BROADCASTING, INC.

Name ☒ CHARTER BROADCASTING CORPORATION OF MASSACHUSETTS
Hyannis, Massachusetts

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-2062 R FILED #485595 \$45. #483376 \$30. PRESS FEB 7 1969	1-24-69 1-14-69 (date of Ser. I was amended) 1-27-69 1-14-69	Renewal of license AMENDED 3-14-69 re: Financial & Programming data	GRANTED	3-26-69
BALH-1500 R & F EFF FD: \$1000 #500003 CODE 049 Pub.notice filed 4-26-71 EXY 4 1971	4-12-71 4-13-71	Voluntary assignment of license to KOTCOM BROADCASTING, INC. Atty for assignee - Jason L. Shrinsky AMENDED 6-7-71 - re programming (analysis) AMENDED 6-18-71 re programming; & req. from atty for expeditious action AMENDED 6-25-71 - past programming & Sec VI; statement from assignee adopting Sec. VI	GRANTED Req. grant fee \$2,000.00 EFF: 7-1-71 Fee Paid: 7-13-71 050 WOI 5877	6-30-71

Sec. II, dated after Sec. I. Amended 1-27-69 re:
Sec. I updated

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters **WOOD-FM**Name **KOTCOM BROADCASTING, INC.**
HYANNIS, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-2062 R & F PN Recd. PBRESS	12-27-71 12-27-71 12-21-71	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Jason L. Shrinsky, Atty. (Arthur Stambler) AMENDED 1-20-72 re: programming; employment policy AMENDED 7-3-72 re: balance sheet AMENDED 8-2-72 re: financial statement	GRANTED	8-17-72
JAN 12 1972 BRH-2062 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	11-15-74 11-20-74 " DEC 5 1974	RENEWAL OF LICENSE J.L. Shrinsky, Atty. AMENDED 12-11-74 re: Balance Sheet	GRANTED	3-31-75
BPH- 10,068 Rec'd Filed #586717 \$400 Code 001 Press P. N. Rec'd	6-28-76 6-30-76 6-30-76 7-1-76 AUG 25 1976 8-11-76	CP to chg. TL to: Hokum Rock Road, Dennis, Massachusetts; install new trans. (Collins Radio Co. 831G-2); install new ant. (Collins Radio Co. G4CPH-5, 5 sects. (H&V); make chg. ant. system (incr. hght.); chg. TPO; ERP: 44.530KW(H&V) and HAAT: 425' (H&V). 41° 43' 46" - 70° 10' 01.4" Atty: James A. Koerner (Stambler & Shrinsky) F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.	GRANTED MAJOR ENVIRONMENTAL ACT. UNDER SECT. 1.1305 OF COMM RULES (OVER)	10/3/79

1-10-72 Atty. will submit Sec.6

AMENDED 8-12-77 re new ownership (BAPLH-207 effective 7-21-77)

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

106.1MHz

Call
Letters

WCOD-FM

Name **HARBINGER BROADCASTING CO., INC.**
x Kotcom Broadcasting, Inc.
Hyannis, Massachusetts

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-9712 R & F 585785#100 CODE 001 PRESS	6-21-76 6-28-76 6-29-76 AUG 13 1976	CP Install new Ant {COLLINS G4CPH-5, 5 sects H&V}; chg ERP: 13.1kw H&V; & HAAT: 129' H&V Atty. James A. Koerner Engr. D. W. Churchill	GRANTED	9-13-76
BAPLH-207 Re: R (FORM 314) FILED (CP included) MAY 6 1977	3-31-77 4-7-77 4-15-77 5-3-77	Voluntary assignment of license and CP(BPH-9712) to HARBINGER BROADCASTING CO., INC. (SEE OVER) Atty for assignor - Jason L. Shrinsky for assignee - Cohen & <u>Berfield</u>	GRANTED EFF:	6/23/77 7/21/77
BLH-7552 R & F PTA PRESS	8-9-77 8-12-77 8-24-77 DEC 8 1977	Lic. (BPH-9712) for chgs Atty. Morton L. Berfield Engr. Daniel W. Churchill	GRANTED	3-27-78

RE: BAIPRH-207 Attv was called 4-13-77 - BPH-9712(chge ant)
not shown on applic. *filed 4-13-77*

Statement re no EEOP complaints - filed 5-25-77

AMENDED 6-8-77 - legal data; re comm. survey & EEOP

AMENDED 6-14-77 - prog. data & statement re B/C int of pare

AMENDED 6-21-77 - statement re B/C int of stockholders of
parent corp; no overlap WWRJ(fm)

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May 1976

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters **WOOD-FM**

RESORT COMMUNICATIONS INC.

Name **HARBINGER BROADCASTING CO., INC.**
HYANNIS, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-2062 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	11-23-77 11-30-77 JAN 9 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Morton L. Berfield, Atty.	GRANTED	9-14-78
BSCA790720AO PRESS (O)	AUG 6 1979	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a Subcarrier Frequency of 67 Kiloherztz.	GRANTED	9/12/79
BAPLH791019HQ Form 316 PRESS 367	10-18-79	Vol. assignment of license, SCA and CP (BPH- 10068 - chge. site, etc.) to RESORT COMMUNICA- TIONS INC. Atty - Morton Berfield (Cohen and Berfield)	GRANTED EFF:	10-30-79 10-15-80

302 9/15/80

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: WCOD-FM

Name: RESORT COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Station Location: HYANNIS, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BLH-800915AF PTA PRESS	SEP 29 1980	License to cover (BPH-10068) for changes. Atty: Morton L. Barfield	GRANTED 4-16-81 Issued with Renewal
BRH801211 UA BRSCA " PRESS	JAN 12 1981	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA Robert L. Olender, Atty.	GRANTED 4-16-81 Issued with BLH-800915AF
BTCH810701HH Form 316 PRESS	JUL 21 1981	Vol TC from John G. Keljikan to Marjorie A. Hyman Executrix of the Estate of John G. Keljikan Deceased	

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.

