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CATALOG NO. 4550L 1/5

## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 12-18-68

Call letters XWIK I-FM

Station location Chester, Virginia

HOFFMAN COMMUNICATIONS, INC. (APLH gr 9/29/76 EFF:10/18/76
Name of licensee x NIKI Radio, Inc.

Consummated:10/15/76

Transmitter location 10,600 Jefferson Davis Highway. Chester. Va. (28-12-20-67)

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Main studio location Same as Transm

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

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Appl.	Date			Time	Period
No.	Issued	Freq.	Power	Div.	From- To-
BPH-5202	12-20-67	92.1mc.	ERP: 3k	Unl.	2-20-68
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BKH-2260	3-12-73				10-1-76
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BLH-7132(	L) 9-29-76	Lic. (B	PH-9727)	for chang	es 10-1-78
BRH-2280()	L) 9-14-78	Renew	al of Lic	ense ,	10-1-81

# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORM BC-121 Aug. 1955 Call WIK I-FM

Name CHESTER, VIRGINIA (PO & JOHN LAURINO, PO BOX 230, Richmond, Va. 23234)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature Date
BPH-5202 R.&F.	11-30-65	Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 92.1mc CH 221 ERP: 3kw TPO: .945kw HAAT: 255' Transmitter: GATES FM 1G (1kw) Antenna: GATES FMA-4, 4 sections Trans.Loc: 10,600 Jefferson Davis Hwy. Chester, Virginia Studio Loc: Same as transmitter  Atty-Haley, Bader, & Potts Engr-Raymond E. Rohrer	GRANTED 12-20-67 Cond'1 Submit 302's for WIRI (AM). docket No. 17494
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.	

FORM BC-121 2 Aug. 1955

### APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call W I K I-FM Letters .- INVASSIGNED .-

Name WIKI RADIO, INC.
CHESTER, VIRGINIA

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature Nature	Date
BMPH-9859 R&F FEB 1 9 1968	1-11-68 1-15-68	Mod. of CP(BPH-5202 which authorized a new FM b/c station) to chg. type trans(CCA-FM-3000D); install dual polarized ant(CCA-FMA-6710R/CCA-3, 3 sects); chg. TPO to 2.419kw; operate with a vert. ERP 3kw; and chg. HAAT to 260 ft.(h&v);  Atty -Henty A. Solomon(Haley, Bader & Potts)	GRANTED Cond' for W	submit 302's
BMPH-10,157 R & F #442595 \$30 JUL 2 1 1868	7-10-68 7-10-68 7-10-68	Engr: Reymond, E. Rohrer, Washington, B. C. MP(BPH-5202 as mod.) ext. time to 12-1-68 (NEW STATION).  Atty - Harry A. Solomon(Haley, Max Bader & Pot	GRANTED	8-5-68 12-1-68

# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call WDYL Letters X W I K I-FM

Name	WIKI RADIO, INC.
	CHESTER. VIRGINIA

File No.  BMPH-10,169  R & F  #443639 \$30	Dated 7-10-68 7-12-68 7-12-68	Application for  MP(BPH-5202 as mod.) chg. ant(CCA-6811-3, 3 sects); chg. TPO 2.44 kw;  Atty-Henry A. Solomon(Haley, Bader & Potts) Engr: Raymond E. Rhorer	Nature	-
BLH-4192 Rec'd #469360 \$30 AMENDED AMENDED Filed PT	10/31/68 10/31/68 10/31/68 11/7/68 11/25/68 11/25/68 12/4/68	License (EPH-5202 as mod.) for new FM b/c station.  Re engr. data. Re engr. data. Atty: Henry A. Solomon Engr: Wm. E. Ford	GRANTED	12-18-68
BRH-2280 " & F #526903 475 PN FILED	6-30-69 7-2-69 7-2-69 7-2-69	Renewal of License Atty: Kenneth W. Gross (Haley, Bader & Potts)	GRANTED	9-25-69

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Natur	otion e   Date
BRH-2280 R & F	6-15-72 6-30-72	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Michael H. Bader, Atty.	GRANTED	8-1-75
PN Recd. PRESS	972 SI	(See WIVE for Petition) (See WIKI for Petition)  PPLEMENTAL APPLICATION filed 6-2-75 as an ame	ndment to	pending
Mog -		renewal. PN 6-2-75 JUL 1 5 1975		
8-1-75 MEM	DRANDUM OPIN	ION & ORDER, Petition to Prevent Continued Vio	lations o	E Commissions
Equal Empl	pyment Oppor	tunities Rules filed 9-1-75 by Rev. Dwight Jon	es. et al	DENTED
BRH-2280 R & F	5-27-75 6-2-75	DENEUAL OF LICENCE	GRANTED	9-12-75
PN Recd. PRESS	"	M.H.Bader, Atty.		
BPH-9727 R & F	11-26-75 12-2-75	CP to install new ant. (Phelps-Dodge CFM LP-3, 3 sects.(H&V); make chgs. in ant. sys.	GRANTED	1-28-76
#505898\$100		(incr. hght.); chg. TPO; chg. HAAT: 300 ft. (H&V) Major Environmental Action Under Section	CONDIL	
Code 001 PRESS D AMENDED	FP 2 4 13/2	1.1305 Atty: Michael H. Bader (Haley Bader, & Potts) Environmental Impact Statement	70	

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Chester, Virginia

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	AUG 2   18	76	Atty - Haley, Bader & Potts			
B	LH-7132	7-10-76	Lic. (BPH-9727) for changes.	GRANTED	9-29-76	
- 600	& F	7-23-76				
-	592267\$100		Atty: John Wells King (Haley, Bader, et al)			
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_	R& F	5-17-78	(Unlaw Redor & Potte)			
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Call Letters: WDYL

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Station Location: CHESTER, VIRGINIA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRH-810528UJ PRESS: JUL 2 1	81	RENEWAL of LICENSE Atty: Michael H. Bader	GRANTED 10-22-81
			Form BC-121 March 1979

#### **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 12<sup>th</sup> 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.

