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FREQUENCY MODULATION

# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 9-29-69

W E Z F (EFF: 101-73)

Call letters W V N Y

Station location Burlington, Vermont

MARTIN BROADCASTING, INC. (ALH 2-26-81 EFF:

X INTERNATIONAL TELEVISION CORPORATION (ALH & SCA 4-17-74 EFF: 5-15-74

Name of licensee X Vermont New York Broadcasters, Inc.

Transmitter location Near Top of Mount Mansfield, Near Burlington, Vermont (PH-9-16-68)

Main studio location 1500-1502 Hegeman Avenue, Colchester Town, Vermont (PH-9-16-68)

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BPH-6122 HAAT: 2,710' (h&v) Cond '1	9-16-68	92.9mc.	ERP: 36kw (h&v) U TPO: 10kw (RC)		5-16-69
BPH-6122 (1)	12-5-68	Call letters assigned			
BMPH-10,561 (2)	4-3-69	MP(BPH-6122) chg. trans; ant; chg. ant. system (incr. hgh.); chg. TPO: 19kw and HAAT: 2,700'			
BMPH-10,598 (3)	5-9-69	MP(BPH-6122 as mod) ext. time 11-15-69			
BSCA-924 BLH-4480(L)	7-18-69 9-29-69	Request for SCA (67kw) LICENSE TO COVER (BPH-6122 as mod.) 4-1-72			
	10-16-69	Trans: Gates FM-20H2			
BPH-2123(L)	12-10-69	Mod. to show trans as Gates FM-20H2 4-1-72			
BTC-6075 NOT CONSUMMATED	12-11-69	Vol. TC - Ltr written 2-5-70			
BRH-2423	3-30-72	(Short) RENEWAL OF LICENSE 4-1-75			
BRSCA-924 EBSA	3-30-72 5-22-72	(short) RENEWAL OF SCA 4-1-75			
BALH-1924 BASCA-607	4-17-74	VOL ALH & SCA EFF: 5-15-74			
BRH-2423(L) BRSCA-924	5-8-75 5-8-75	Renewal of License & SCA 4-1-78			
BRCH-1287(1)	2-27-76	ML establish 2nd RC Loc.			
BTC-8598	3-13-78	Vol. acq of pos. con. EFF: 5-26-78			
BRH-2423(L)	4-26-78	Renewal & Main & SCA 4-1-81			
BALH810210ED	2-26-81	Vol ALH EFF:			
BRH-801201E8 BRSCA-801201E8 BMLH-801107AI HAAT: 2700' (H&V) (L)	3-30-81 3-30-81 6-29-81	RENEWAL AND MODIFICATION OF LICENSE & SCA 4-1-84			

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call W V N Y  
Letters New FM

Name VERMONT NEW YORK BROADCASTERS, INC.  
BURLINGTON, VERMONT (PO c/o J. L. Siegal, Box 22, Burlington, Vermont 05401)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-6122 R & F  FEB 7 1968	12-30-67 1-9-68	CP for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Freq.: 92.9mcs, Ch.#225 ERP: 36kw(H&V) Type trans.: RCA BTF-20E TPO: 18.045kw Type ant.: RCA BFC-4, 4 sections HAAT: 2,706 feet Trans. loc.: Near top of Mount Mansfield, near Burlington, Vermont Studio loc.: 1500-1502 Hegaman Avenue Colchester Town, Vermont RC pt. loc.: Same as Studio	GRANTED not issued Grant rescinded-teleg. 3-15-68	3-11-68
			DESIGNATED FOR HEARING 5-8-68 D#18181	
			GRANTED Cond'l	73.210(a)(2) Waived to permit studio location outside city limits.
		REQUEST WAIVER OF SECTION 73.210(a)(2) OF THE RULES.		
		Atty.: Covington & Burling (Edgar F. Czarra, Jr.) Engr.: A. D. Ring & Associates (Marvin Blumberg)		

**CONTACT: Jack L. Siegal**

**PHONE: Code 802; 658-2222**

**ADDRESS: 1500 Hegeman Avenue  
Winooski-Colchester, Vermont**

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Letters W V N YName VERMONT NEW YORK BROADCASTERS, INC  
BURLINGTON, VERMONT

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BSCA-924 R & F #497904 \$30	3-6-69 3-11-69 3-11-69	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authori- zation on a sub-carrier frequencies of 41 and 67 kilocycles.  Atty - William Malone (Covington & Burling)	GRANTED	7-18-69
BMPH-10,561 Rec'd Filed #501312 \$30  MAR 28 1969	3-18-69 3-20-69 3-25-69 3-25-69	MP(BPH-6122) chg. type trans (Collins-831G-1); change type ant (Collins-37CP-4, 4 sections); make chg. in ant. system (incr. hght); chg. TPO 18.87kw; and HAAT 2703 ft.  Atty - Herbert M. Silverberg (Covington & Burling)	GRANTED	4-3-69
BMPH-10,598 R & F #506183 \$30 MAY 5 1969	4-14-69 4-15-69 4-15-69	MP(BPH-6122 as mod.) ext. time to 11-15-69 (NEW STATION).  Atty - William Malone (Covington & Burling)	GRANTED to	5-9-69 11-15-69

AMENDED 4-11-69 re S&A Para. 7.

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Call **FM** WEZF  
Letters XWVNY

Name **VERMONT NEW YORK BROADCASTERS, INC.**  
**Burlington, Vermont**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
ELH-4480 R & F \$527315 \$30 PT SEP 28 1969	7/3/69 7/7/69 7/7/69 7/16/69	License (BPH-6122 as mod.) for new station. (Remote Control)  Atty: William Malone	GRANTED	9-29-69
BTC-6075 R & F FEE PD: \$30 (Form 316) OCT 28 1969	10-1-69 10-7-69 -#547479	Vol. pro forma transfer of control of lic corp from Jack L. Siegal, I.M. Boardman, Sr. et al (all stockholders) to Able Communications, Inc.  Atty - Covington & Burling	GRANTED NOT CON SUMMATED LTR WRITTEN 2-5-70	12-11-69
BRH-2423 R & F BRSCA-924 PN PRESS JAN 14 1972	12-28-71 1-3-72 12-12-71 1-3-72	Renewal of License AMENDED 3-17-72 re: financial data  Renewal of SCA Atty-Mark S. Fowler	GRANTED	3-30-72



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Call  
Letters WEZF

INTERNATIONAL TELEVISION CORPORATION

Name X VERMONT NEW YORK BROADCASTERS, INC.  
Burlington, Vermont

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
<del>BAH-1924</del> <del>BRSCA-607</del> R & F FEE PD: \$1000 #246285 CODE 049 (ALSO SEE WVNY-TV)	10-23-73 10-26-73	Voluntary assignment of license and SCA to INTERNATIONAL TELEVISION CORPORATION  Atty - Smith & Pepper (SEE OVER)	GRANTED GRANT FEE: \$24,761.10 EFF: 5-15-74	4-17-74 ✓ (Includes WVNY-TV)
Pub. notice filed 12-11-73 BRH-2423 BRSCA-924 R & F PN R cd. PRESS	11-26-74 " 12-2-74 DEC 17 1974	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA Mark S. Fowler, Atty. AMENDED 4-15-75 re: financial statement	GRANTED	5-8-75
Ltr 9-24-75 - Change of Counsel: Fowler & Meyers (Mark S. Fowler)				

RE: BALH-1924 - re assignor - equip schedule & bal sheet  
to be filed; ATTY WAS CALLED 11-14-73 - Table I - date  
of birth of Bull not shown; stock sub. agreem necessary  
AMENDED 12-11-73 to include SCA; Equip schedule; Sec IV  
& VI re past prog

AMENDED 12-19-73 - (assignor) current bal. sheet;  
(assignee) - proj. bal. sheet; financial data; re Table I  
Amended Art. of Inc.

AMENDED 2-19-74 Agreement ext. lease; bank ltr re loan;  
Subscription agreement; and re Table I

*95A 9/3/50 Refunded 20,000.00 to  
244 TV Corp. Original grant fee of  
24,761.10 apparently changed at closing.  
See document re fee refund package*

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Letters WEZF

Name International Television Corporation  
Burlington, Vermont

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCH-1287 R & F #481555\$100 Code 001 PRESS FEB 26 1976	9-22-75 9-29-75 10-1-75	Mod. of license to establish second remote control point from second floor of main studio building at: 1500-1502 Hegeman Ave., Colchester Town, Vermont.  Atty: Mark S. Fowler (Fowler & Meyers)	GRANTED	2-27-76
<del>BRH-2423</del> <del>BRSCA-924</del> R&F PN Recd. PRESS DEC 21 1977	11-27-77- 12-1-77 12-1-77	Renewal of License  (Main & SCA)	GRANTED	4-26-78
BTC-8598 R & F FORM 316 Also see WEZF-TV, WYUR-TV, Atty - Fowler & Meyers, P.C. & translators (TV) MAR 3 1978 502 11-7-80	2/10/78 2/15/78	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of lic corp by Donald G. Martin thru purchase of stock from Gerald V. Bull	GRANTED EFF:	3-13-78 5-26-78

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MARTIN BROADCASTING, INC.

Name: INTERNATIONAL TELEVISION CORPORATION

Station Location: BURLINGTON, VERMONT

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BMLH-801107AI PTA PRESS	NOV 20 1980	Modification of License to install new transmission system. Atty: Mark S. Fowler	GRANTED 6-29-81 Issued with renewal
BRH-801201E8 BRSCA-801201E8 PRESS	FEB 06 1981	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA  Atty. David Meyers	GRANTED 3-30-81 Issued with BMLH-801107AI
BALH810210EO Form 316 PRESS	FEB 27 1981	Vol AL to Martin Broadcasting, Inc.  Atty David Meyers	GRANTED 2-26-81 EFF: 3-13-81

## 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 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.

