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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Official No. 868

W B L I (EFF: 1-28-72)

WB LI-FM (EFF: 1-11-71)

Date first licensed 7-31-58

Call letters X W P A O-FM

LOCATION: PATCHOGUE, NEW YORK

W.B.L.I., INC. (AL 12-29-70 EFF. 1-14-71)

EFF: 12-5-66)

x ADAMS-GETSCHAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. (ALH & ASCA 10-19-66)

Name of licensee x PATCHOGUE BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

Adirondack Dr., 0.65 mi. N. of Granny Rd., Patchogue, N.Y. (CP 11-26-73)

x Adirondack Dr., 0.6 mi. of inter. of Adirondack Dr. & Granny Rd.,
Patchogue, N.Y. (PH-5-4-71)Transmitter location x NE side of intersection of Penn & Woodside Ave., Brookhaven, N.Y. (BPH 5-15-57)
(Redescription 1-20-71)

W. of Patchogue Port Jefferson Rd., 0.8 mi. N. of Hwy 495, near, Patchogue, New York

x 31-West Main Street, Patchogue, New York (RCH-3-17-71) (MLH-5-29-81)

x Same as transmitter

x NE side of intersection of Penn and Woodside Avenue, Brookhaven, N.Y. (BSH 6-14-61)

Main studio location 31 West Main St., Patchogue, New York (BPH 5-15-57)

Form BC 126

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Name of licensee SEE CARD # 1

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To
BRH-568(L)	7-11-69	Renewal			6-1-72
BSCA-602	2-11-69	Renewal			6-1-72
NDEA	2-19-70				
BALH-1418 BASCA-425	12-29-70	VOL. AL & SCA			
	EFF. 1-14-71				
BRCH-1,003	1-19-71	operate by RC			
ltr.	1-20-71	Redescription of TL & SL: NE side of intersec. Pa. & Woodside Aves., Medford, Brookhaven Township, New York.			
BRCH-1,016 (2)	3-17-71	chg. Studio & RC loc. 31 West Main St. Patchogue, New York (Second RC Point).			
BSH-868(L)	4-22-71	NL delete one RC point.			7-4-71
BPH-7421	5-4-71	106.1mc	ERP: 10kw (H&V) U		5-4-72
HAAT: 360' (H&V)	ch#291	TPO: 7.1kw	CP to chg. trans. loc. install new trans. Gates Type No. FM-10H3. chg. TPO, ERP, and HAAT:		
BLH-5159(L)	7-16-71	106.1	ERP: 10kw (H&V)		6-1-72
HAAT: 360' (H&V)			TPO: 7kw	RC	
	Lic. (BPH-7421) for changes.				
BPH-7546(L)	7-30-71	106.1	ERP: 1.40kw (H&V)		7-30-72
HAAT: 360' (H&V)			TPO: 1kw		
CP install Aux. Trans. Old Trans at Main Trans. Loc.					
BMSCA-306 EBSA	3-20-72 5-25-72	SCA 67mhz. SCA not renewed			6-1-75
BRH-868 BLH-5388(L)	6-12-72	Renewal & Lic. cover CP (BPH-7546) 106.1mc 10kw H&V 360' H&V Main 1.40kw H&V 360' H&V Aux.			6-1-75
BPH-8598	11-26-73	CP chg. TL, ant. sys.	TPO, HAAT.		
	(Main)	106.1mhz 10kw H&V	470' H&V	RC	11-26-74
BLH-6174(L)	5-10-74	Lic. (BPH-8598) - Changes, Main-			6-1-75
SCA not to be renewed per atty letter 3-7-75					
Aux. trans. not to be renewed per atty ltr. 3-28-75					

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PATCHOUGE, NEW YORK
Station location

Name of licensee See Card #1

Transmitter location See Card #1

Main studio location See Card #1

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BRH-868(S)	5-28-75	RENEWAL (MAIN ONLY)			6-1-78
Letter dated	7-28-75	Trans. (MAIN)	Sparta	610A	now installed
Letter dated	10-13-75	Trans. (Aux.)	Gates FM	10H3	now installed
BRH-868(L)	5-11-78	RENEWAL (MAIN & AUX.)			6-1-81
BRH-868(L)	5-11-78	Superseded to Add on Markings Inadvertently left off.			
BMLH-810407AC (1)	5-29-81	Mod. of Lic. chg. SL. & RC. LOC.			

FORM BC-121
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name PATCHOGUE BROADCASTING CO., INC.
BOX 651, PATCHOGUE, NEW YORK

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-2198 Recd & filed	3-29-57 4-1-57	C.P. for a new nre FM B/C stations: Frequency: 105.9 mcs. Ch. 290 ERP: 8.225 kw. HAAT: 147.3 ft T-L: NE Side of intersection of Penn & Woodside Ave., Brookhaven, N.Y. S-L: 31 W. Main St. Patchogue, N.Y. Remote ^{control} point of opr. Same as studio (FED 192A 3 kw) Unlimited Opr. Samuel Miller, atty	GRANTED	5-15-57
BLH-1210 Recd Filed	12-6-57 12-9-57 12-9-57	License to cover CP (BPH-2198) for new FM broadcast station.	GRANTED	7-31-58
BRH-868 Rec'd & Filed	2-29-60 3-10-60	Renewal of license. Samuel Miller, Atty.	GRANTED	7-7-60

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 Letters W P A C-FM

Name Patchogue Broadcasting Company, Inc.
Patchogue, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-3363 Rec'd Filed	4-28-61 5-1-61 5-1-61	Construction permit to change ERP from 8.3kw to 6.849kw. Atty. - Samuel Miller	GRANTED	7-20-61
BMPH-7147 R & F	3-16-62 3-16-62	Mod. of CP (BPH-3363, which auth. a chge in ERP) for extension of completion date from 3-20-62 to 6-1-62	GRANTED	4-30-62 to 7-2-62
BMPH-7283 R & F	6-28-62 6-29-62	Modification of CP (BPH-3363, as mod which auth a chg in ERP) for extension of completion date from 7-2-62 to _____	GRANTED	8-2-62 Issued with BMPH-7284
BMPH-7284 R & F	6-28-62 6-29-62	Modification of CP (BPH-3363 as mod which auth a chg in ERP) to chg ERP from 6.8kw to 7.823kw, HAAT from 145' to 115.33', chg type of trans (GATES FM-1B) and chg type ant (GATES FMA-10A)	GRANTED	8-2-62 Issued with BMPH-7283

Atty: Samuel Miller
 F. C. C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

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PATCHOGUE, NEW YORK

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-2223 R & F	8-23-62 8-27-62	Lic. to cover CF (BPH-3363, as mod) which auth chgs in ERP, HAAT, TPO; chg type of trans and ant. and specify type transmitter as GATES FM-1C	GRANTED	11-13-62
BRH-868 R. & F.	3-26-63 4-8-63	Renewal of license. Atty. Samuel Miller	GRANTED	11-29-63
BSCA-602 R&F	3-27-65 3-23-65	Request for subsidiary communications authorization on sub-carrier frequency of 67kcs.	GRANTED	5-3-65
BRH-868 R & F	3-1-66 3-1-66	Renewal of License	GRANTED	7-20-66
BRSCA-602 R & F	3-1-66 3-1-66	Renewal of SCA	GRANTED	7-20-66
BALH-915 BASCA-241 R & F	7-28-66 7-29-66	Voluntary assignment of license and SCA to ADAMS-GETSCHAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. Atty - Keith of publisher (for assignee)	GRANTED EFF:	10-19-66 12-5-66

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Name **ADAMS-OETSCHAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.**
Patchogue, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC -5410 Rec'd Filed	7-7-67	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from Keith E. Putbress, Lee Gilbert and Jimmie Lee Putbress (as a group) to Metrocom, Inc. REQUEST WAIVER SECTION 1.597 of RULES Atty - Keith Putbress	DISMISSED per Sec. 1,568b	7-15-68
	7-13-67			
	8-9-67			
BRH-868 R & F #495639 \$75. PRESS	2-20-69	Renewal of license	G RANTED	7-11-69
3-3-69	AMENDED 6-24-69 re: additional programming data			
3-3-69	filed with WPAC-AM			
BRSCA-602 R & F #495629 \$30. PRESS	2-20-69	Renewal of license---(S.C.A.)		
	3-3-69			
	3-3-69	Atty. Robert W. Healy		
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BRH-868 bal sheet to be filed later

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FREQUENCY MODULATION

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PATCHOGUE, NEW YORK

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BALH-1418	7-31-70	Voluntary assignment of license and SCA to W.B.L.I., Inc.	GRANTED	12-29-70
BASCA-425	7-31-70		Req. grant fee	
R & F	7-31-70		\$3,500.00	
#617479 \$75	7-31-70	Attys.: Putbrese, Fletcher, & Healy (Assignor) <u>Cordon</u> and Jacob (Assignee)	Grant fee paid	3-3-71.
PRESS: SEP 11 1970			EFF.	1-14-71
PN REC'D:		PETITION TO DENY filed 10-9-70 by Welch & Morgan on behalf of WBAB-FM (Engr. data included)		
SCA FEE FD: \$30 -#629621	9-10-70			
CODE 049		REPLY to above petition filed by atty Cordon, Jr. 10-21-70 - also engr. affidavit re WGLI contour		
Pub. notice filed 8-31-70		RESPONSE TO ABOVE LTR filed 11-2-70 by Welch and Morgan on behalf of WBAB-FM		
	AMENDED 12-14-70	- re plan of financing; financial data		
	AMENDED 12-22-70	- statement re present & future location of station; supplement to Exh. D (legal re stockholders); B/C int; proj. bal. sheet; & re comm. needs (prog)		

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Name W.B.L.I., INC.,
Patchogue, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCH-1,003 Rec'd: Filed: #657223 \$50 CODE: 068 PRESS: 21 JAN 1971	1-15-71 1-18-71 1-18-71 1-18-71	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from WBLI-FM Studio building, located 50 feet East of WPAC Studio building, N.E. side of Intersection of Penn and Woodside Avenues, Brookhaven, New York. Atty-Alfred C. Cordon, Jr.(Jacob)	GRANTED	1-19-71
BRCH-1,016 Rec'd. & Filed #669338 \$50. CODE 068 PRESS: 16 MAR 1971	3-3-71 3-5-71 3-5-71	Modification of license to change studio loc to: 31-West Main Street, Patchogue, New York & Operate by Remote Control from 31-West Main Street, Patchogue, New York(Second Remote Control Point) Atty - Alfred C. Cordon, Jr.	GRANTED	3-17-71

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name W.B.L.I., INC.
Patchogue, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-7421 R & F #669551 \$200 CODEL 015 PRESS: 30 MAR 1971 PN REC'd: 4-1-71	3-3-71 3-8-71 3-8-71	CP chg. Trans. loc. to: Adirondack Drive, 0.6 mi. N. of Adirondack Dr. & Granny Rd., Patchogue, New York; chg. trans(Gates-FM-10H3); Ant(Gates-FMC-3, 3 horiz. & 3 vert. sects); make chgs in ant. system(decr. hght); chg. TPO: 7.08kw; ERP: 10kw(h&v); HAAT: 358'(h&v). 40° 50' 30" - 73° 01' 38" Atty - Alfred C. Cordon, Jr(Cordon and Jacob) Engr- Cohen & Dippell	GRANT FEE: GRANTED	5-4-71 Grant fee paid \$1,800 5-18-71.
BLH-5159 Rec'd #W 013237\$50 AC-068 Amended & F PTA PRESS	6-28-71 6-28-71 6-28-71 6-29-71 6-30-71 JUL 9 1971	Lic.(BPH-7421) for changes. Atty: Cordon and Jacob Engr. data	GRANTED	7-16-71

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Name W.B.L.I., Inc.
Patchogue, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-7546 R & F #016328 \$50 CODE: 061 PRESS: 9 9 JUL 1971	7-9-71 7-13-71 7-13-71	CP to install new Auxiliary Trans. (GATES-FM-1C) ^{Main} Old transmitter, at Main Transmitter loc., to be operated on 106.1mc, #291, TPO: 1kw; ERP: 1.41kw(h&v); HAAT: 358' (h&v). Atty - Alfred C. Cordon, Jr. Engr- ---	GRANTED	7-30-71
BRH-868 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAR 7 1972	2-25-72 2-29-72 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Alfred C. Cordon, Jr. Atty. AMENDED 3-24-72 re: statement on equal empl.	GRANTED	5-31-72 Issued with BLH-5388
BMSCA-306 R & F #047914 \$50 Code 068 Press	2-28-72 3-6-72 3-6-72 1 1 1972	Mod. of Subsidiary Communications Authorization to make chg. in equipment and programming. Atty: Alfred C. Cordon, Jr.	GRANTED	3-20-72

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Name W.B.L.I., INC.

Patchogue, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-5388 R & F W 038637-\$50 PTA PRESS	1-28-72 2-4-72 2-4-72 2-11-72 MAR 24 1972	Lic.(BPH-7546) for Auxiliary Transmitter using former main transmitter-GATES, FM-1C. AC-068 Atty: <u>Cordon</u> and Jacob	GRANTED issued	6-12-72 with BRH-868
BPH-8598 R & F #232394 \$50 Code 057 Press	9-12-73 9-13-73 9-14-73 OCT 4 - 1973	CP to chg. TL to: Adirondack Drive, 0.65 miles north of Granny Rd., Patchogue, New York; install new ant. (Gates FMS-3, 3 sects. (H&V); make chg. ant. system (increase height); chg. TPO; HAAT: 358'-(H&V), - (40° 50' 32" - 73° 01' 35")	GRANTED	11-26-73
AMENDED	9-18-73	Change HAAT: 472' (H&V).		
BLH-6174 R & F W 260479-\$50 PTA PRESS	12-12-73 12-13-73 12-13-73-057 12-19-73 MAY 8 1974	Lic.(BPH-8598)-Changes, Main. -Atty: <u>Cordon</u> and Jacob	GRANTED	5-10-74

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Name W.B.L.I., INC.
Patchogue, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BRH-868 R&F PN PRESS	1-30-75 1-30-75 1-30-75 MAR 4 1975	Renewal of license (AUX. not to be renewed) (SCA not to be renewed) Atty- Alfred C. Cordon, Jr.	GRANTED	5-28-75
Letter dated	5-12-75	Jerome S. Boros, Esq. firm of Fly, Shuebruk, Blume, etc. now represents station		
BRH-868 R & F PRESS	1-25-78 1-31-78 FEB 23 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Atty. Jerome S. Boros (Fly, Shuebruk, Blume, Gaguine etc.)	GRANTED	5-11-78
BRH810202ZW PRESS PN filed	MAR 23 1981	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY TRANS.) Atty. Jerome S. Boros	GRANTED	5-29-81

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

106.1MHz

Call Letters: WBLI

Name: W. B. L. I., INC.

Station Location: Patchogue, New York

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BMLH-810407AC PRESS (0)	MAY 20 1981	Modification of license to chg studio loc to West of Patchogue Port Jefferson Rd., 0.8 mi N of Hwy 495, near Patchogue, New York (outside city limits) & Operate Trans. by Remote Control from Proposed Studio Location.	GRANTED: 5-29-81

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 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.

