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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 8-2-61

Call letters WJCD-FM

Station location Seymour, Indiana

A.C. Baker Broadcasting Corporation(10/26/79)

XXWJCD, INC. (AL-7-15-77 EFF: 8/1/77)

X EDNA GERTRUDE BAKER, EXECUTRIX OF THE ESTATE OF AZRA C. BAKER, DECEASED (ALH gr 7/8/76)

Name of licensee XX DR. AZRA C. BAKER

EFF: 11/9/76

(per 323)

Transmitter location 1534 Ewing, Seymour, Indiana (LH 8-2-61)
X East side of 31A, 0.46 miles north of Seymour, Indiana

Main studio location Same

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

| Appl. No. | Date Issued | Freq. | Power | Time Div. | Period From- To |
|--|-------------|--|---------------------|-----------|-------------------|
| BPH-3087 HAAT: 185' | 9-7-60 | 93.7mc Ch. 239 | 5.6-kw TPO: 1-kw | U | 11-7-60 7-7-61 |
| Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station. | | | | | |
| BPH-1213 HAAT: 185 ft. | 6-2-61 | 93.7mc Ch. 239 | 5.6kw TPO: 1kw | Unl | 8-2-61 8-1-64 |
| License to cover CP(BPH-3087) with ch. auto. a new FM broadcast station. | | | | | |
| BRH-1200 | 7-10-64 | Renewal of license | | | 8-1-67 |
| BRH-1200 | 7-31-67 | Renewal of License | | | 8-1-70 |
| BRH-1200(S) | 7-30-70 | Renewal | | | 8-1-73 |
| BRH-1200(S) | 7-30-70 | Superseding Authorization to correct Obstruction markings. | | | 8-1-73 |
| EBSA | 5-22-72 | | | | |
| BRH-1200(L) | 1-11-74 | RENEWAL | | | 8-1-76 |
| BALH-2304 | 7/8/76 | Invol ALH EFF: 11/9/76 (per 323) | | | |
| BPH-10184 HAAT: 190 feet | 9-20-76 | 93.7MHz | ERP: 10kw | U | 9-20-77 |
| CP chg TPO, ERP & Trans | | | | | |
| BLH-7272 (L) | 4-25-77 | Lic. (BPH-10,184) for chgs. | | | 8-1-79 |
| BRH-1200(S) | 7-15-77 | RENEWAL | | | 8-1-79 |
| BALH-2496 | 7-15-77 | VOL. ALH EFF: 8/1/77 | | | |
| | 10/26/79 | LICENSEE NAME CHANGED | | | |
| BRH790402DG(L) | 7-18-79 | Renewal of License | | | 8-1-82 |

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters ~~.....~~ WJCD-FM

Name DR. AZRA G. BAKER Station location: Seymour, Indiana
 (P.O. - P. O. Box 43, Radio Station WJCD, Seymour, Indiana)

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| | | | Nature | Date |
| BPH-3087 Rec'd Filed | 7-6-60 7-15-60 7-15-60 | Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 93.7mc CH 229 ERP - 5.62kw Type transmitter - Gates FM-1B Type antenna - Andrew 1308-1 (8 section) HAAT 184' Trans. location - E. side of 31A, .46 mi. N. of Seymour, Indiana Studio location - Same as transmitter. Atty. - <u>Miller & Schroeder</u> Engr. - <u>George C. Davis</u> | GRANTED HAAT: ERP: | 9-7-60 185' 5.6-kw |
| BLH-1813 Rec'd & Filed | 2-21-61 2-27-61 | License to cover C.P. (BPH-3087 which auth. a new FM Broadcast station). | GRANTED | 8-2-61 |
| BRH-1200 R. & F. | 4-28-64 5-4-64 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE | GRANTED | 7-10-64 |

FORM BC-121

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters W I C O - FMName Dr. Ezra C. Baker
Seymour, Indiana

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
|---|---|--|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | | | Nature | Date |
| BRH-1200 R & F | 4-28-67 5-1-67 | Renewal of license | GRANTED | 7-31-67 |
| BRH-1200 R & F #598240 \$75 PN PRESS | 4-28-70 5-1-70 JUN 11 1970 | Renewal of license | GRANTED | 7-30-70 |
| BRH-1200 R & F PN PRESS MAY 11 1973 | 4-2-73 4-30-73 4-30-73 | Renewal of License | GRANTED | 1-11-74 |
| BPH- Rec'd. #537957\$100 Code 001 PRESS | 2-23-76 3-4-76 3-5-76 APR 2 1976 | CP to install new trans. (CSI FM-5000E); chg. TPO; chg. ERP: 28.1kw. | Returned With Ref. 73.213(a) | 4-1-76 to Sect. of Comm. Rules |

BRH-1200 Sect. VI & Form Ltr. mailed out 5-9-73

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Letters WJCD-FM

EDNA GERTRUDE BAKER, EXECUTRIX OF THE ESTATE OF AZRA C. BAKER, DECEASED

Name ~~xxx~~ DR. AZRA C. BAKER
SEYNOUR, INDIANA

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
|--|---|--|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| | | | Nature | Date |
| BRH-1200 R & F PN Recd. PRESS | 3-30-76 4-1-76 " JUN 1 1978 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 8-17-76 re: comp. of area, comm. leaders, prog. & EEO | GRANTED | 7-15-77 |
| BAIL-2304 Rec'd Filed See WJCD(AM) for fee pd Code 047 (FORM 316) JUN 25 1978 | 6/4/76 6/10/76 6/21/76 | Involuntary assignment of license to EDNA GERTRUDE BAKER, EXECUTRIX OF THE ESTATE OF AZRA C. BAKER, DECEASED | GRANTED EFF: NO FEE: | 7/8/76 11/9/76 (per 323) |
| BPH-10184 Rec'd Filed 602275\$100 CODE 001 PRESS | b-11-76 b-22-76 8-9-76 8-10-76 SEP 3 1976 | CP install new Trans {CSI, FM-5000E}; chg TPO & ERP {10 kilowatts} 38° 58' 33" - 85° 53' 2.5" Atty--- Engr. Clarence E. Henson | GRANTED | 9-20-76 |

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WJCD, INC.

Name **X EDNA GERTRUDE BAKER, EXECUTRIX OF THE ESTATE OF AZRA C. BAKER, DECEASED**
Seymour, Indiana

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
|--|---|--|-----------------|-------------------|
| | | | Nature | Date |
| BLH-7272 R & F PTA PRESS | 11-22-76 1-4-77 1-13-77 MAR 7 1977 | Lic. (BPH-10,184) for changes. | GRANTED | 4-25-77 |
| BAIH-2496 Rec'd Also see WJCD(AM) FORM 314 Filed PN filed 5-13-77 JUN 8 1977 | 3/22/77 3/28/77 5-13-77 | Voluntary assignment of license to WJCD, INC. (see AM for amendments etc) Atty - A.L. Stein | GRANTED EFF: | 7/15/77 8/1/77 |
| BRH790402DG PRESS JUN 18 1979 | JUN 18 1979 | Renewal of License AMENDED 5-31-79 to change name of applicant to "WJCD, INC." | GRANTED | 7-18-79 |

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING
93.7MHz.

Call Letters: W J C D-FM

A. C. BAKER BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Name: XWJCD, INC.

Station Location: SEYMOUR, INDIANA

| File No. | Date | Description | Action and L. |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------|--|-------------------------|
| APPL. DATED PRESS (0) | 9-18-79 OCT 19 1979 | Filed by A. L. Stein Request to change Name of Licensee to: A. C. BAKER BROADCASTING CORPORATION. | GRANTED 10/26/79 |

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.

