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June 1954

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

W K C I (Eff: 10-17-66)

Date first licensed JANUARY 11, 1965

Call letters X W K C I

Station location Hamden, Connecticut

KOPS, ~~MONAHAN COMMUNICATIONS, INC.~~ (MLH 6-28-67)

X KOPS COMMUNICATIONS, INC. (ALH 7-29-66) (EFF: 9-13-66)

Name of licensee X THE SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Downes Rd., and Hoadley Rd., 5.1 mi. N. of New Haven, Conn. (PH-6-11-68)

X 473 Denslow Hill Rd., Hamden, Conn. (Redesc, MPH 10-2-63) (LH 1-11-65)

Transmitter location X At North end of Denslow Hill Road, Hamden, Connecticut

59 Quinnipiac Avenue, North Haven, Connecticut (MLH-7-10-73)

X Same as trans. (ELH 4-1-69)

X To be determined, Hamden, Connecticut (PH-6-11-68)

X 473 Denslow Hill Rd., Hamden, Conn. (Redesc. MPH 10-2-63) (LH 1-11-65)

Main studio location X At North end of Denslow Hill Road, Hamden, Connecticut

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BPH-3165 HAAT: 135'	11-22-60	101.3mcs Ch. #267	20kw TPO: 4kw	Unl.	1-22-61 7-22-61
Construction permit for new FM broadcast station.					
BPH-6805 (1)	8-1-61	Mod. of CP(BPH-3165) for extension of completion date to 1-23-62.			
BPH-7071 (2)	1-30-62	Mod. CP(BPH-3165) for extension of completion date to July 23, 1962			
BPH-7263 (3)	8-6-62	Mod. of CP(BPH-3165, as mod.) for ext. of completion date to 1-23-63.			
STC-4157	3-6-63	Voluntary transfer of control of permittee corporation from Vincent De Laurentis, Phyllis De Laurentis and Aldo DeDominicis TO C-G Associates, Inc.			
BPH-7474 (4)	3-7-63	Mod. of CP(BPH-3165, as mod.) for ext. of completion date to 8-31-63.			
BPH-7652 (5)	8-22-63	Mod. of CP(BPH-3165, as mod.) for ext. of completion date to 11-1-63.			
BPH-7660 (6)	10-2-63	Mod. of CP(BPH-3165, as mod.) to redesc ant.-trans. & studio loc.; chg. type trans. (GEL FMT-5B) & chg. type ant. (Jampro JA-6A, 6 secs.).			
BPH-7701 (7)	11-4-63	Mod. of CP(BPH-3165, as mod.) to extend completion date to 1-1-64.			
Wire	1-21-65	Auth. remain silent thru 4-23-65.			
BLH-2498 HAAT: 135'	1-11-65	101.3mcs Ch.#267	ERP:20kw TPO:4.8kw	Unl.	1-11-65 4-1-66
Lic. to cover CP(BPH-3165, as mod.) which auth. a new Class B FM Broadcast Station.					
Wire	7-15-65	Ext. auth remain silent thru 11-1-65.			
Wire	1-24-66	Ext. auth. remain silent thru 3-1-66.			
BALH-900 EFF:	7-29-66	Voluntary assignment of license to KOPS COMMUNICATIONS, INC.			
Ltr.	9-13-66				
Ltr.	10-7-66	Ext. auth remain silent thru 1-1-67.			
Ltr.	1-20-67	Ext. auth remain silent thru 4-10-67.			
BMLH-270	6-28-67	Mod. of Lic. to chg. name to KOPS-MONAHAN COMMUNICATIONS, INC.			

GRANTED, NOT ISSUED: ~~TO BE ISSUED WITH RENEWAL.~~

Form BC 126
June 1954 CARD #2

FM BROADCAST

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters W K C I

Station location HAMDEN, CONNECTICUT

Name of licensee KOPS-MONAHAN COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
Letter	11-14-67	Authority to remain silent and extended through			reinstated 2-6-68.
Ltr.	2-9-68	Ext auth remain silent thru			5-7-68.
Ltr.	5-2-68	Ext auth remain silent thru			7-30-68.
BPH-6281 HAAT: 860' (h&v) (NEW STATION)	6-11-68	101.3mc. ch#267	ERP: 12kw (h&v) (max) TPO: 10kw (DA)	V (DA)	2-11-69
		CP chg. ant-trans loc., chg. studio loc. install new trans; new ant; chg. TPO, ERP, operate with vert. ERP and chg. HAAT;			
BMPH-10,398 (1)	12-19-68	MP(BPH-6281) chg. ERP 12kw (h&v) (Max) HAAT: 870 feet. (h&v)			
BLH-4332(L)	4-1-69	Lic. (BPH-6281 as mod.) for new FM sta., specify studio loc. same as trans. 101.3mc ERP: 12kw (H&V) DA CH#267 TPO: 8.7kw			4-1-72
HAAT: 870' (H&V)					
BRH-1534(S)	3-30-72	RENEWAL			4-1-75
EBSA	5-22-72				
BPH-8167 HAAT: 870' (H&V)	12-18-72	101.3mhz. #267	*ERP: 12kw (H&V) *(RMS-7.8)		in major lobes 12-18-73
		CP install new alternate main trans.			
BLH-5817(D)	5-24-73	Lic. (BPH-8167) Alternate trans. ERP: 12kw (H), 9.8kw (V) in maj. lobes			4-1-75
BMLH-462(1)	7-10-73	ML chg. SL (Alt. Main Transmitter)			
BMLH-462(1)	7-10-73	ML chg. SL (Main Transmitter)			
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BRH-1534(L)	3-31-75	Renewal of Lic. (main & Alt trans.)			4-1-78
BPH-11,168 HAAT: 1070' (H&V) (L)	1-7-80	101.3mhz	ERP: 7.5kw (H&V)	RC	1-7-81
		CP to operate transmitter by RC Install new trans. and new antenna.			

BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

CARD # 3

First licensed

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Station Location

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Name

Transmitter Location

Main studio location

Authorization Record

File No.	Granted	Facilities	Expires
BRH1534 (S)	4-30-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	4-1-81
BLH-800125AD HAAT: 1070' (H&V) (L)	4-23-80	101.3mhz., ERP: 7.5kW Lic. to cover (BPH- 11168) for changes.	4-1-81
BMPH800201AF HAAT: 1070' (H&V)	6-13-80 L	101.3mhz ERP: 10kW (H&V) CP to increase ERP	6-13-81
BRH-801201ZS BLH-800929AT HAAT: 1070' (H&V) (L)	ISSUED AS NEW CP 3-30-81 6-29-81	101.3mhz ERP: 10kW (H&V) RENEWAL AND MODIFICATION OF LICENSE.	----- 4-1-84

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

AUG. 1955

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Letters ~~NEW~~

Name THE SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND BROADCASTING CORPORATION

(473 Denslow Hill Road, Hamden, Connecticut)

STATION LOCATION: HAMDEN, CONNECTICUT

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-3165 Rec'd & Filed	9-21-60 9-26-60	Construction permit for a new FM Broadcast Station to be operated on: Frequency: 101.3 mcs. Ch. 267 Power: 20 kilowatts. HAAT: 134 feet. Transmitter: ITA, FM-5000A, r/p 5 kw. Transmitter location: At North end of Denslow Hill Road, Hamden, Connecticut Studio location: At north end of Denslow Hill Rd. Hamden, Connecticut Fisher, Wayland, Duvall and Southmayd, Attys. Commercial Radio Equipment Co., Engineers	GRANTED HAAT: 135'	11-22-60
BMPH-6805 Rec'd & Filed	6-19-61 6-21-61	Modification of CP(BPH-3165 which auth. a new FM Broadcast station) for extension completion date from 7-22-61 to 1-23-62. Fisher, Wayland, Duvall and Southmayd, Attys.	GRANTED	5-1-61

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name THE SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Hamden, Conn.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-7071 R & F	12-29-61 1-2-62	Mod. of C.P. (BPH-3165 as modified which authorized a new FM Broadcast Station) for extension of completion date from 1-23-62 to 7-23-62 Atty. Southmayd	GRANTED	1-30-62
BMPH-7263 R & F	6-12-62 6-15-62	Mod. of CP(BPH-3165 as mod., which auth. a New FM B/C Station) for extension of completion date from 7-23-62 to 1-23-63. Atty.- Southmayd	GRANTED	8-6-62
BTC-4157 Rec'd Filed	10-26-62 11-9-62 11-9-62	Voluntary transfer of control of permittee corporation from Vincent De Laurentis, Phyllis De Laurentis and Aldo DeDominicis to C-G Associates, Inc.	GRANTED: EFF:	3-6-63

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Aug. 1955

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Letters

Name THE SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Harden, Connecticut

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-7474 R & F	12-20-62 12-21-62	Mod. of CP (BPH-3165 as mod, which auth a new FM B/C station) for extension of completion date from 1-23-63 to 7-23-63. Atty: John P. Southmayd	GRANTED	3-7-63 to 8-31-63
BMPH-7652 R & F	7-30-63 8-5-63	Mod. of CP (BPH-3165 as mod, which auth a new FM B/C station) for extension of completion date from 8-31-63 to 11-1-63. Atty: Grover C. Cooper	GRANTED	8-22-63
BMPH-7660 R & F	8-1-63 8-8-63	Mod. of CP (BPH-3165 as mod, which auth a new FM B/C station) to chg type trans (GEL-FMT-d0x) and ant (JAMPRO-JA-6-A, 6 sect). Atty: John P. Southmayd	GRANTED	10-2-63
Amend R&F	9-5-63 9-12-63	AMENDED 9-12-63 to chg. type trans. (GEL-FMT-5B)		

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Name * THE SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Hamden, Connecticut

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BNPH-7701 R & F	10-4-63 10-7-63	Mod. of CP (BNPH-3165 as mod, which auth a new FM B/C station) for ext. of completion date from 11-1-63 to 1-1-64. Atty: John F. Southmayd	GRANTED	11-4-63
BLH-2498/10 R & F	12-27-63 1-2-64	Lic. to cover CP (BLH-3165 as mod) which auth a new FM broadcast station.	GRANTED	1-11-65
Ltr. dated 5-13-65 from Southmayd re ext. remain silent to 8-1-65 B/C 5-17-65				
LTR. dated 7-9-65 from Southmayd re ext. remain silent B/C 7-13-65				
BRH-1534 R & F	12-15-66 2-25-66 APR 30 1968	Renewal of license AMENDED 4-19-68 to change name to Kops-Monahan Communications, Inc. Atty- Fisher, Wayland, Duvall & Southmayd	DISMISSED	AUG 7 1968
BALH-900 R & F	5-14-66 5-20-66	Voluntary assignment of license to KOPS COMMUNICATIONS, INC. Req. waiver of Sec. 1.597 of Rules Atty for assignor - J. P. Southmayd for assignee - Stanley B. Cohen	GRANTED Cond'l re Assignee file for CALL LETTER change	7-29-66 EFF: 9-13-66

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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KOPS-MONAHAN COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
KOPS COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Name HAMDEN, CONNECTICUT

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMLH-270 R. & F.	5-6-67 6-8-67	Mod. of license to change the name of licensee to KOPS-MONAHAN COMMUNICATIONS, INC.	GRANTED	6-28-67
		ATTY- <u>Stanley B. Cohn</u>	NOT ISSUED; TO BE ISSUED WITH RENEWAL.	
BPH-6281 Rec'd Filed #422339 \$30 #425050 \$45 PN REC'D:	4-15-68 4-19-68 4-30-68 4-19-68 4-30-68 5-31-68	CP chg. ant-trans loc. Downes Rd., and Roadley Rd., Hamden, Conn., chg. studio loc. to a site to be determined, Hamden, Conn., install new trans(Gates-FM-10H); new ant(Alford-1049-5018 Custom, 2 horiz. & 2 vert. sects); make chg. in ant. system(incr. hght); chg. TPO 10kw; chg. ERP 12.84kw; operate with a vert. ERP 12.84kw; and HAAT to 860 ft.(directional) Atty - Stanley B. Cohen(Marcus Cohn) Engr: Julius Cohen	GRANTED	6-11-68
		This CP to be considered as a CP for a new Station in view of the fact Renewal application Dismissed 8-7-68	Cond'l ERP shall not exceed the max. 2.55kw (WEEK PM) Submit 302's containing proof-of-performance.; Subm. of affidavit by qualified surveyor re proper orientation of antennas established at time of installation; Subj. to subm. with 302 complete physical descrip of DA systems.	

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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HAMDEN, CONNECTICUT

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-10,398 R & F #472959 \$30 DEC 17 1968	11-16-68 11-18-68 11-18-68	MP(BPH-6281) chg. ERP to RMS-7.8= Max. 12.09kw; and HAAT 868 ft. Atty - Marcus Cohn (Stanley B. Cohen)	GRANTED	12-19-68
BLH-4332 Rec'd #482960 \$30 Filed PT MAR 12 1969	1/10/69 1/13/69 1/13/69 2/4/69 2/7/69	License (BPH-6281 as mod.) for new FM b/c station, specify studio loc. same as trans. Atty: Robt. B. Jacobi Engr: Julius Cohen (OVER)	GRANTED the max. ERP in dir. of WEOK-FM Poughkeepsie N.Y. shall not exceed 2.555kw	4-1-69
BRH-1534 R & F P.N. PRESS JAN 24 1972	11-30-71 1-3-72 1-3-72	Renewal of License	GRANTED	3-30-72

AMENDED: R & F 2/4/69 re engr. data. (BLH-4332
AMENDED: R & F 2/24/69 re engr. data.)

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Letters W K C IName Kops-Monahan Communications, Inc.
Hamden, Connecticut

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-8167 R & F #131965 \$50 Code 061 Press DEC 11 1972	11-13-72 11-28-72 11-28-72	CP to install a new Alternate Main Transmitter (Gates FM-10H). Atty: Lawrence N. Cohn	GRANTED	1-18-72
BLH-5817 Rec'd W 174297-\$50 PTA Amended & F PRESS MAY 18 1973	4-9-73 4-13-73 4-13-73-AC-068 4-26-73 5-3-73	Lic. (BPH-8167) for Alternate trans. ERP:12.0kw Atty: Cohn & Marks (Stanley B. Cohen) pend. amend. w/in 15 days re ERP	GRANTED	5-24-73
BMLH-462 R & F #199103 \$50 Code 061 Press JUL 9 1973	6-8-73 6-12-73 6-12-73	Mod. of license to change studio location outside the city limits: 59 Quinnipiac Avenue, North Haven, Connecticut. (Main & Alt. Main) Atty: Lawrence N. Cohn	GRANTED	7-10-73

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name KOPS-MONAHAN COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
HANDEN, CONNECTICUT

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-1534 R & F ENR Recd. PRESS	10-31-74 12-2-74 " JAN 30 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & ALTER. TRANS.) I.D. Volner, Atty. AMENDED 2-24-75 re: EEO	GRANTED	3-31-75
BRH-1534 R & F P.N. PRESS DEC 12 1977	11-28-77 12-1-77 12-1-77	Renewal of License (Main & Alternate Main) Atty.: Ian D. Volner	GRANTED	4-30-80

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters **W K C I**

Name **KOPS-MONAHAN COMMUNICATIONS, INC.**
Hamden, Connecticut

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-11,168 R & F PRESS: JUL 11 1978	6-26-78 6-29-78	CP to operate transmitter by RC from the main SL: 59 Quinnipiac Ave., North Haven, Connecticut; install new Trans. (HARRIS FM-10K mod. with HARRIS MS-15 exciter); install new Ant. (HARRIS FMH-2AE, 2 sects H&V)(chg. from DA to Non-DA); chg. TPO; ERP: 7.5kw (H&V) & HAAT: 1070' (H&V) Atty: Ian D. Volner (Cohn & Marks) Engr: David L. Steel	GRANTED	1-7-80
Letter Dated: 5-22-79 PRESS (0) JUN 26 1979		Filed by Arnold D. Spevack Request for Dual City Identification as: HAMDEN-NEW HAVEN, CONNECTICUT.	Gr.	7-11-79
BLH-800125AD PTA PRESS MAR 19 1980	2-6-80	License to cover (BPH-11168) for changes. Atty: Martin I. Levy	GRANTED	4-23-80

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APPLICATION RECORD BROADCASTING

Call Letters: W K C I (FM)

Name: KOPS-MONAHAN COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Station Location: Hamden, Connecticut

File No.	Date	CP	Description	Action and Date
BMPH-800201AF PRESS: (0)		BMPH-11168	to increase ERP to: 10.0kw (FOR CHANGES) Atty: Martin I. Levy	GRANTED 6-13-80 issued as new CP
BLH-800929AT PTA PRESS	OCT 29 1980		License to cover (BMPH-800201AF) for changes. Atty: Martin I. Levy	GRANTED 6-29-81 Issued with renewal.
BRH8012012S PRESS	JAN 29 1981		Renewal of License Atty.: Martin I. Levy	GRANTED 3-30-81 Issued with BLH-800929AT

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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.

