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June 1975

FM BROADCAST

# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

OFFICIAL NO. 3392

W K U E 11-23-77

Date first licensed

4-26-78

Call letters W K K J

Station location Green Cove Springs  
Florida

RADIO CORPORATION OF THE SOUTH, INC. (AL: 8-10-79 EFF: 8-12-79)

x MEL-LIN, INC. (APH gr 5/12/77 EFF: 5/27/77)

Name of licensee x JAMES A. WILSON TR/AS CLAY COUNTY BROADCASTERS

0.4 mi. E of Hwy. 13; 0.5 mi. S of Switzerland, Florida (MPH-5-28-77)

Transmitter location XHeath Rd., 1 mi. E of US 17 & 1.5 mi. N of Green Cove Springs, FL  
(PH-12-4-74)

102 S. Orange, Green Cove Springs, Florida (LH-4-26-78)

x To-Be-Determined, Green Cove Springs, Florida (MPH-5-28-77)

Main studio location Xsame as transmitter



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH-8928 HAAT: 275' (h&v) (L)	12-4-74	92.7mhz #224 CP for NEW FM Station	ERP: 3kw (h&v) U (RC)		12-4-75
BPH-8928(1)	3-3-75	CALL LETTERS & EBSA ASSIGNED			
BMPH-14695(2)	1-9-76	MP (BPH-8928) ext time to			5-28-76
BMPH-14807(3)	5-11-76	MP(BPH-8928, as mod) ext time			11-28-76
BMPH-14954(4)	2-23-77	MP (BPH-8928, as mod) ext time to			5-28-77
BMPH-15111 HAAT: 300' (h&v) (L)	5-28-77	92.7mhz #224 MP(BPH-8928, as md) chg TL; chg SL-RC; make chg ant sys (incr hght); chg HAAT	ERP: 3kw (h&v) U (RC)		11-28-77
BMPH-15118 (1)	6-15-77	MP (BPH-8928, as mod) ext time to			11-28-77
BAPH-608	5/12/77	Vol APH EFF: 5/27/77			
BMPH-15320 (2)	11-29-77	MP(BPH-8928, as mod) ext time to			5-28-78
BLH-7689 HAAT: 300' (H&V) License (BPH-8928, as Mod.)	4-26-78	92.7MHz #224	ERP: 3kW (H&V) (RC) U for New Station.		2-1-79
BALH790605FL	8-10-79	VOL. AL EFF: 8-12-79			
BRH-781002X1(L)	5-11-79	RENEWAL			2-1-82



# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call **W K K J**  
Letters **XNEW-FM**

Name **James A. Wilson tr/as Clay County Broadcasters**  
**Green Cove Springs, Florida (PO Residence B, Nyquist Circle, Green Cove Springs, Fla.)**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action 32043)	
			Nature	Date
BPH-8928	4-15-74	CP for New FM on: 92.7mhz. #224	GRANTED	12-4-74
R & F	4-19-74	HAAT: 272.61' (h&v) ERP: 3kw (h&v)	gr fee req. \$900.00	
#277662 \$100	4-19-74	Trans: GATES-FM-2.5H3; Ant: GATES-FMC-3A,	Pd 014	1-22-75
CODE: 013		3 sects. (h&v).	W384477	
PRESS:	MAY 1 - 1974	T-SL: On Heath Rd., 1 mi. E. of U.S. 17,		
PN REC'd:	6-3-74	1 1/2 mi. N. of Green Cove Springs, Fla.		
		30° 01' 17" - 81° 42' 04"		
		Atty---		
		Engr---		
AMENDED	9-24-74	Sections III and IV-A.		
AMENDED	9-23-74	Loan Commitment Letter.		
AMENDED	11-18-74	Section IV-A.		
BMPH-14,695	11-17-75	MP(BPH-8928) ext time to		
R & F	11-24-75	(New Station)		
#502729 \$100	11-28-75		GRANTED	1-9-76
CODE 001			TO	5-28-76
PRESS	DEC 17 1975			



PN mailed: 4-29-74.



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92.7MHz.

Call  
Letters **W K K J**

MEL-LIN, INC.

Name **x James A. Wilson tr/as Clay County Broadcasters**  
**Green Cove Springs, Florida**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-14807 R & F 559808#100 CODE 001 PRESS	4-19-76 4-22-76 4-26-76 MAY 3 1976	MP(BPH-8928, as mod) ext time to {New Station}	GRANTED TO Cond <sup>n</sup> 1	5-11-76 11-28-76
BMPH-14954 R & F 629928#100 CODE 001 PRESS	10-27-76 10-28-76 10-29-76 NOV 10 1976	MP(BPH-8928, as mod) ext time to {New Station} Atty. James L. Oyster	GRANTED TO	2-23-77 5-28-77
BAPH-608 R & F (FORM 314) PN filed	2-17-77 2-18-77 MAR 17 1977 3/28/77	Voluntary assignment of CP(BPH-8928, as mod., new station) to MEL-LIN, INC.  Atty - Smith & Pepper  AMENDED 4-15-77 - current data re Sec.II(Tables I & II) financial data & re staff; add'l comm survey	GRANTED EFF:	5/12/77 5/27/77



RE: BAPH-608 - Assignee is licensee of WPDQ, Jacksonville  
Fla. (ref to WPDQ re Articles etc)



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92.7MHz

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Name James A. Wilson tr/as Clay County Broadcasters  
Green Cove Springs, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-15111 R & F PRESS PN Rec'd	2-17-77	MP (BPH-8928, as mod) chg TL to: 0.4 mi.	GRANTED	5-28-77
	2-18-77	East of Hwy. 13; 0.5 mile South of		
	APR 28 1977	Switzerland, Fla; chg SL/RC to: a site To-be-determined, Green Cove Springs, Fla; mke chgs in Ant sys: incr hght; chg HAAT: 300 feet H&V 30° 04' 12" - 81° 38' 50" Major Enviromental Action Under Section 1.1305 of Commission's Rules  Atty. James L. Oyster Engr. Palmer Greer		
BMPH-15118 R & F PRESS	4-18-77	MP (BPH-8928, as mod) ext time to _____	GRANTED D	6-15-77
	4-20-77	NEW STATION		11-28-77
	MAY 3 1977	Atty. James L. Oyster		



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X WKKJName **MEL-LIN, INC.**  
**Green Cove Springs, Florida**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-15320 R & F PRESS: NOV 14 1977	10-28-77 11-3-77	MP (BPH-8928, as mod) for extension of time to: _____ (NEW STATION) Atty-James L. Oyster	GRANTED TO	11-29-77 5-28-78
BLH-7689 R & F PTA: PRESS: APR 3 1978	1-3-78 1-4-78 1-5-78	Lic. (BPH-8928, as mod.) for New Station. Specify SL & RC as: 102 S. Orange, Green Cove Springs, Florida.  Trans: Martin BF 3.5K Ant: Phelps-Dodge CFM-LP-3, 3-sections.(h&v)  Atty: James L. Oyster (Smith & Pepper)	GRANTED	4-26-78



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RADIO CORPORATION OF THE SOUTH, INC.

Name **x MEL-LIN, INC.**  
**Green Cove, Springs, FL**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH781002XI PRESS NOV 3 1978		Renewal of License Atty. James L. Oyster	GRANTED	5-11-79
BALH 790605FL PRESS JUN 18 1979 Form 314 PN FILED	6-21-79	Vol AL to Radio Corporation of the South, Inc. REQUEST WAIVER SECTION 1.597 Atty-James J. McGillan (SEE OVER) AMENDED 7-25-79 - chges in stockholders, stock- holdings; financial data; by laws filed; agreement between stockholders	GRANTED EFF:	8-10-79 8-12-79



BALH790605FL Amended 6-21-79 re: bal. sheet of Mel-Lin  
Inc.

AMENDED 7-31-79 re: financial & ascertainment data



## 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.

