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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Card # 1.

X W S I D-FM (Let. 10-2-61).

x W Y O U (Ltr. 9-16-60)

Date first licensed 3-16-61

Call letters X W S I D-FM

Station location: Baltimore, Maryland

Name of licensee UNITED BROADCASTING COMPANY OF EASTERN MARYLAND, INC.

4338 Park Heights Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland

x Rolling Road, 0.23 mi. N. of US Rt. 40, Catonsville, Md. (BMPH 7-13-60)

x Belvedere Hotel

Transmitter location 1 Chase Street, Baltimore, Maryland

6623 Reisterstown Rd., Baltimore, Maryland (Ltr. 3-10-71)

x 4338 Park Heights Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland

x 4340 Park Heights Ave., Baltimore, Md. (SH 7-29-65) (Eff: 7-15-65)

x 910 North Charles Street, Baltimore, Maryland (BMPH 7-19-60)

N North

Main studio location 912 W Charles Street, Baltimore, Maryland

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Channel & Freq.	ER Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH-2371	3-19-58	92.3mc. Ch. 222	11 kw.	U	5-19-58 11-19-58
HAAT: 185 ft. Construction permit for a new FM Broadcast Station.					
BMPH-5327	10-31-58	Ext. of completion date to			5-19-59.
#1.					
BMPH-5474	5-1-59	Extension of completion date to			9-19-59
(2)					
BMPH-6007	9-16-59	Extension of completion date			12-19-59
(3)					
BMPH-6072	11-19-59	Extension of completion date			3-19-60
(4)					
BMPH-6193	5-11-60	Extension of completion date			6-19-60.
BMPH-6294	7-11-60	Mod. of C.P. (BPH-2371 as mod) for extension of completion date to 9-15-60.			
BMPH-6261	7-13-60	92.3mc. Ch. 222	5.1kw.	Unl.	5-19-58 9-15-60
TPO: 970w. HAAT: 300'					
Modification of CP(BPH-2371 as mod.) to changeerp, haat, transmitter location, main studio location, remote control point, transmitter, antenna and ant. system.					
BMPH-6400	11-17-60	Mod. of CP(BPH-2371 as mod.) for extension of completion date to			1-2-61.
1					
BMPH-6530	12-30-60	Mod. of CP(BPH-2371 as mod.) for extension of completion date to			1-31-61.
2					
BPH-1768	3-16-61	92.3mc	5.12kw	U	3-16 10-1-63
HAAT: 300 ft. TOP: 1kw (RC)					
Lic. to cover (BPH-2371 as mod) which auth. a new FM broadcast station.					
10-30-63		COMMISSION DEFERRED ACTION ON RENEWAL PENDING FURTHER CONSIDERATION.			
BRH-1148	1-19-65	Renewal of License			1-19 2-1-66
BRCH-616	6-4-65	Mod. of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 4338-44 Park Heights Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland.			
(1) (Second Remote Control Point)					
BSH-1148	7-29-65	Mod. of Lic. to chg. studio loc. & RC point; and delete RC oper. of trans. from old studio loc. (Eff: 7-15-65)			
(2)					

Form BC 126

June 1954

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters W.S.I.D-FM

Station location BALTIMORE, MARYLAND

Name of licensee^U UNITED BROADCASTING COMPANY OF EASTERN MARYLAND, INC.

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BPH-5122 HAAT: 390'	10-8-65	92.3mc. ch.#222	ERP: 20kw. TPO: 4kw.	Unl.	12-8-65 6-8-66
		Construction permit to chg ant-trans, studio and remote control point location install new trans (Gates-FM-5G), incr TPO; and incr ERP, and HAAT;			
BMPH-8836 (1)	5-25-66	Mod. of CP(BPH-5122) for ext. of completion date to			12-8-66
BRH-1148	6-2-66	92.3mcs.	5.2kw	Unl.	6-2 10-1-66
BMPH-9074 (2)	10-28-66	Mod. of CP(BPH-5122 as mod.) to change type trans (Gates-FM-5B); chg. type ant. (Gates-FMA-6, 6 sections); decrease TPO to 3.7 kw.			
BMPH-9119 (3)	12-12-66	Mod. of CP(BPH-5122 as mod.) for ext. of completion date to			3-8-67
BRH-1148	9-9-66	Renewal of license			10-1 10-1-69
BLH-3597 HAAT: 390'	5-12-67	92.3mcs CH.#222	ERP: 20kw TPO: 3.7kw	U	5-12 / 10-1-69
Ltr.	3-10-71	Lic to cover CP(BPH-5122 as mod) which auth chg. ant-trans studio & RC point loc; install new trans & ant chg. ERP, TPO & HAAT, specify type trans GATES FM-5G			
Ltr.	4-15-71	Chg. studio & RC to 6623 Reisterstown Rd. Baltimore, Md.			
Ltr.	4-15-71	Trans: Gates FM-5H3			
EBSA	5-22-72				
BPH11200 HAAT: 390' (L)	10-30-78	92.3mhz	ERP: 5.3kw (H)	RC	10-30-79
		CP to install new aux. trans FOR AUXILIARY PURPOSES ONLY			
COMTEL	12-12-80	SPECIAL TEMP. AUTH. GR. OPERATE HARRIS, FML-1E, ONE BAY CIRCULARLY POLARIZED ANTENNA MOUNTED AT 400 FEET HAAT DUE TO MAIN ANTENNA ARCING. EFFECTIVE RADIATED POWER 2.3 KW. THIS AUTH. EXPIRES 3-2-81. NOTIFY WHEN NORMAL & WHAT REPAIRS WERE MADE.			

AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters~~NEW VOID-30~~

Name UNITED BROADCASTING COMPANY OF EASTERN MARYLAND, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-2371	2-7-58	CP for new FM broadcast station:		
Rec'd	2-10-58	Freq. 92.3 mc Ch 222		
Filed	2-10-58	ERP 10.98 kw U		
		HAAT 186'		
		T-L 1 Chase Street, Baltimore, Maryland	GRANTED	3-19-58
		S-L 912 W ^{North} Charles Street, Baltimore, Md.	HAAT: 185 feet	
		RC Same as studio	ERP: 11 kw.	
		Attorney: Cohn & Marks		
		Engineer: Applicant's Chief Engineer.		
BMPH-5327	10-18-58	Modification of C.P. (BPH-2371 which author-		
Rec'd	10-20-58	ized a new FM Broadcast Station) for exten-	GRANTED	10-31-58
Filed	10-20-58	sion of completion date from 11-19-58 to		
		5-19-58.		
		Leonard H. Marks, Atty.		

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 Letters W S I D-FM

Name UNITED BROADCASTING COMPANY OF EASTERN MARYLAND, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-5474 Rec'd Filed	4-13-59	Modification of c.p. (BPH-2371 as mod., which authorized a new FM Broadcast Station) for extension of completion date from 5-19-59 to 11-19-59. Stanley B. Cohen, Atty.	GRANTED to	5-1-59
	4-14-59			9-19-59
	4-14-59			
BMPH-6007 R & F	8-27-59	Modification of C. P. (BPH-2371 as modified, which authorized a new FM Broadcast Station) for extension of completion date from 9-19-59 to 3-19-60. Stanley B. Cohen, Atty.	GRANTED to	9-16-59
	8-28-59			12-19-59
BMPH-6072 R & F	11-2-59	Modification of C. P. (BPH-2371 as modified which authorized a new FM broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 12-19-59 to 6-19-60. Atty's: Cohn and Marks	GRANTED to	11-19-59
	11-3-59			3-19-60

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Call
Letters WSID-FM

Name

UNITED BROADCASTING COMPANY OF EASTERN MARYLAND, INC.

File No.

Dated

Application for

Action
Nature

Date

BMPH-6193
R & F2-17-60
2-19-60

Modification of C. P. (BPH-2371 as modified which authorized a new FM broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 3-19-60 to 9-19-60.

Atty's: Cohn & Marks

GRANTED

5-11-60

to

8-19-60

BMPH-6261
R & F5-2-60
5-2-60Modification of C. P. (BPH-2371 as modified which authorized a new FM broadcast station) to increase ERP from 11kw to 30kw, increase HAAT from 185' to 454', change transmitter location from Belvedere Hotel, 1 Chase St. Baltimore, Md. to Rolling Road, 0.23 mi. N. of U. S. 40, Catonsville, Md.; change main studio location & remote control point from 912 W. Charles St. Baltimore, Md. to 910 N. Charles St. Baltimore, Md., change type transmitter (~~Collins-737-A with Gates-M-5534 exciter~~) and type antenna (Andrew-1306-1) & make changes in antenna system.

GRANTED

7-13-60

ERP: 5.1 kw.

HAAT: 300'

SEE CARD #1 FOR AMENDMENT

Atty's: Cohn & Marks
Engr. - Page, Creutz etc

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Aug. 1955

Call
Letters ~~WYOU~~ WYOUName UNITED BROADCASTING COMPANY OF EASTERN MARYLAND, INC.
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-6294 Rec'd Filed	5-23-60 5-23-60 5-23-60	Modification of C. P. (BPH-2371, as modified which authorized a new FM Broadcast Station) for extension of completion date from June 18, 1960 to September 15, 1960.	GRANTED	7-11-60
BMPH-6261 (cont'd) AMENDMENT R & F	6-27-60 6-27-60	AMENDED to change ERP to 5.12kw; change HAAT to 298 ft; change type trans. (GATES FM 1B)	GRANTED ERP: 5.1 HAAT: 300'	7-13-60
BMPH-6400 R & F	8-23-60 8-24-60	Modification of C. P. (BPH-2371 as modified which authorized a new FM broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 9-15-60 to 12-1-60. Atty's: Cohn & Marks	GRANTED	11-17-60 to 1-2-61
BMPH-6530 Rec'd & Filed	11-30-60 12-5-60	Modification of CP (BPH-2371 as mod.; for a new FM Broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 1-2-61 to 1-31-61. Cohn and Marks, Attys. F.C.C. WASHINGTON, D.C.	GRANTED	12-30-60 to 1-31-61

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Call **W S I D-FM**
Letters **X W Y O U**Name **UNITED BROADCASTING COMPANY OF EASTERN MARYLAND, INC.**
Baltimore, Md.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-1768 R & F	12-20-60 12-22-60	License to cover C.P. (BPH-2371 as modified) which authorized construction of a new FM Broadcast Station. Atty. Cohn and Marks	GRANTED	3-16-61
BRH-1148 Rec'd Filed	7-24-63 7-24-63 7-24-63	Renewal of License Cohn and Marks, Atty.	GRANTED	1-19-65
BRCH-616 Rec'd Filed	5-27-65 5-28-65 5-28-65	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 4338-44 Park Heights Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland. (Second Remote Control Point) Roy F. Perkins, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	6-4-65

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Call
 Letters W S I D - FM

Name UNITED BROADCASTING COMPANY OF EASTERN MARYLAND, INC.
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-5122 R & F	9-21-65 9-22-65	Construction permit to change ant-trans, studio and remote control point location to 4338 Park Heights Ave., Baltimore, Md. (WTLF(TV) site), install new trans (Gates-FM-5G), increase TPO to 4.045kw, increase ERP to 20kw, and increase HAAT to 392.5'. Atty: Cohn & Marks	GRANTED	10-8-65
BRH-1148 R & F	1-5-66 1-6-66	Renewal of license (Short Term) Atty: Roy F. Perkins, Jr.	GRANTED	6-2-66
MPH-8836 R & F	5-9-66 5-10-66	Modification of CP(BPH-5122 which authorized change ant-trans, studio and remote control point location, install new trans, increase TPO, ERP and HAAT) for extension of completion date from 6-8-66 to 12-8-66. Atty - Cohn and Marks	GRANTED to	5-25-66 12-8-66

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BALTIMORE, MARYLAND

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-1148 R & F	6-27-66 6-30-66	Renewal of license Atty. Cohn & Marks	GRANTED	9-9-66
BMPH-9074 R & F	9-27-66 10-4-66	Mod. of CP(BPH-5122 as modified which authorized to change ant-trans, studio and remote control point location; install new trans, incr. TPO, ERP, and HAAT) to change type trans(GATES-FM 5B); change type ant.(GATES FMA-6, 6 sections); make changes in antenna system(decrease height) and decrease TPO to 3.657 kw. Attys - Cohn and Marks Engr: Gail G. Griner, Baltimore, Md.	GRANTED	10-28-66
BMPH-9119 R & F	11-7-66 11-10-66	Modification of CP(BPH-5122 as mod., which authorized change ant-trans studio and remote control point loc., install new trans, increase TPO, ERP, and HAAT) for extension of completion date from 12-8-66 to 3-8-67. Attys - Cohn & Marks WASHINGTON, D. C.	GRANTED to	12-12-66 3-8-67

FORM BC-121 #8
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FM 92.3mc.

Call W L P L
Letters X W S I D FM

Name UNITED BROADCASTING COMPANY OF EASTERN MARYLAND, INC.
Baltimore, Maryland

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-3597 R & F	2/6/67 2/8/67	Lic. to cover CP (BPH-5122 as mod.) which auth. chng. ant-trans., studio & remote control point loc.; install new trans. & ant., chng. ERP, TPO & HAAT, specify type trans. GATES FM-5G. Atty: R. F. Perkins	GRANTED	5-12-67
BRH-1148 R & F #527038 \$75. P.N. filed PRESS	7-2-69 7-3-69 7-3-69 7-3-69	Renewal of license Atty-Cohn & Marks (R. F. Perkins, Jr.) AMENDED 8-14-69 re: to show correct power AMENDED 1-12-71 re: letter 1-12-71 re: business interest (Over) SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION filed 7-3-72 as Amendment (Pub Notice 7-3-72)		
BSCA-1,154 R & F #036611 \$50 Code 068 Press	1-27-72 1-27-72 1-27-72 FEB 9 1972	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67 kilocycles. Atty: Roy F. Perkins, Jr. SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION filed 7-3-72 as Amendment		2-15-72

Re: BRH-1148, called atty, 7-31-69, for amendment of Sect. I, para. 1-(power in kilowatts). Sect. II, Para. 10(b)-date of last equip. perf. meas not given-called atty, 8-4-69, for amendment.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION filed 6-2-75 as an amendment to pending renewal. PN 6-2-75

JUL 15 1975

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION filed 6-1-78 as an amendment to pending renewal application. (Harry F. Cole, Atty.)

JUN 12 1978

AMENDED 7-2-80 re: Ownership Report

AMENDED 8-26-80 re: other business interests

AMENDED 10-7-80 re: EEO

AMENDED 10-20-80 re: other broadcast interests

(BRHS10602UW) SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION filed 6-2-81 as an amendment to pending renewal application.

(Atty. Harry F. Cole) PRESS: **AUG 6 1981**

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

92.3mc

Call
Letters W L P L

Name UNITED BROADCASTING COMPANY OF EASTERN MARYLAND, INC.
Baltimore, Md.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
		FCC FORM 316 rec'd 3-15-72 re Trust Agreements (SEE WOOK (AM), WFAN (FM) ETC)	RET'D	8-15-72

Ltr. 3-6-73 now represented by Smith & Pepper (Seymour M. Chase.)				

Ltr. 1-3-77 now represented by Arent, Fox, et al (John Fiorini III)				

BPH-11200 R & F PRESS:	7-3-78 7-5-78 JUL 28 1978	CP to install new Aux. Trans. (GATES FM-1B) at main TL; to be operated on: 92.3mhz. #222, ERP: 5.33kw & HAAT: 390'. FOR AUXILIARY PURPOSES ONLY. Atty: Harry F. Cole (Arent, Fox, etc.) Engr:-----	GRANTED	10-30-78

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

92.3MHz.

Call Letters: W L P L

Name: UNITED BROADCASTING COMPANY OF EASTERN MARYLAND

Station Location: BALTIMORE, MARYLAND

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BPH810520AE PRESS (O) JUN 9 1981		CP to make chgs. in Ant. Sys.; chg. type Trans.; chg. type Ant. (HARRIS FML-3C, 3 sects. H&V); decre. ERP: 10kw (H&V); incre. HAAT: 560' (H&V); chg. SL & RC to: 4338 Park Hts. Ave., Baltimore, Maryland & chg. TPO.	
Amended Amended	7-16-81 7-28-81	Atty. Susan A. Marshall (Arent, Fox, Kintner etc.) Specify SL/RC: 6623 Reisterstown Rd., Baltimore, Additional Engineering Data	Maryland
BTCH 810518E Form 316 PRESS Also see WSID, WBNX, WJMO(am) WLYT(fm), WINX(am) KALI KSOL WOOK	JUN 15 1981	Involuntary transfer of control from Richard Eaton to Suburban Trust Company Guardian Harry F. Cole	

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Call Letters: WLPL

Name: UNITED BROADCASTING COMPANY OF EASTERN MARYLAND Inc.

Station Location: Baltimore, Maryland

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BTCH810701EJ Form 316 PRESS Also see WOOK ET AL	JUL 16 1981	Invol. TC from Suburban Trust Company (Guardian) to Suburban Trust Company and Dennison L. Mitchell (Personal Representatives) Atty Harry F. Cole	

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.

