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FREQUENCY MODULATION

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 8-23-67

Call letters WRS L-FM

Station location Stanford, Kentucky

Name of licensee LINCOLN-GARRARD BROADCASTING CO., INC.

Transmitter location North of Stanford on Highway 27, Stanford, Kentucky (PH-7-13-66)

40454

Main studio location Same as Transmitter

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BPH-5339 HAAT: 85' cond'1	7-13-66	95.9mc.	ERP: 3kw ch# 240 TPO: 980w	Unl.	9-13-66 3-13-67
CP for a new Class A FM broadcast station.					
BPH-5339 (1)	7-25-66	Mod. of CP(BPH-5339) to assign call letters W R S L-FM.			
BMPH-9291 (2)	3-30-67	Mod. of CP(BPH-5339) for ext. of completion date to 9-13-67			
BMPH-9312 (3)	4-5-67	Mod. of CP(BPH-5339 as mod.) to chg. type trans(General Electric-BT-3-A); and incr. TPO to 1.20 kw			
BLH-3693	8-23-67	95.9mc Ch# 240	ERP: 3kw TPO: 1.2kw	Unl.	8-23- 8-1-70
Lic. to cover CP (BPH-5339 as mod)					
Lic. 2-15-69 Trans: CCA FM-3000D					
BPH-6885 HAAT: 85' (B&V)	10-16-69	95.9mc Ch# 240	TPO: 2.95kw ERP: 3kw (H&V)		12-16- 6-16-70
CP ant., ERP, TPO, HAAT					
BMPH-11,095 (1)	6-30-70	MP(BPH-6885) ext time			9-16-70
BRH-2079(S)	7-30-70	Renewal of License			8-1-73
BMPH-13,033 (2)	10-27-70	MP(BPH-6885 as mod) ext time			12-16-70
BTC-6371	12-23-70	VOL. TC			
BLH-5027	1-29-71	Lic.(BPH-6885, as mod.) for changes. 8-1-73			
EBSA	5-22-72				
BRH-2079(S)	7-31-73	RENEWAL			8-1-76
BRH-2079(L)	7-14-76	RENEWAL			8-1-79
BRH-790402XH(S)	7-18-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1-82

FORM BC-121  
Aug. 1955

# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters ~~WRSL~~ WRSL-FM

Name LINCOLN-GARRARD BROADCASTING CO., INC.  
STANFORD, KENTUCKY (PO BOX 237, Stanford, Kentucky 40484)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-5339 R.&F.	3-31-66 4-4-66	Construction permit for a new FM b/c station to be operated on: Frequency: 95.9mc CH 240 ERP: 3kw TPO: .985kw HAAT: 85' Transmitter: G.E. <del>BT-1B</del> <sup>BT-2A</sup> (1kw) Antenna: Andrews 1304-1, 4 sections Trans. Loc: On Hwy. 27, North of Stanford, Kentucky Studio Loc: Same as trans.	GRANTED cond'1	7-13-66 submit 302's WRSL(AM).
AMENDMENT H & F	5-17-66 5-19-66	AMENDED to change type trans to (G.E.-BT-2A).		

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**ADDRESS: P. O. Box 237**  
**Stanford, Kentucky**

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-9291 R & F	3-9-67	Modification of CP(BPH-5339 which authorized a new FM broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 3-13-67 to _____.	GRANTED to	3-30-67
	3-13-67			9-13-67
BMPH-9312 R & F	8-22-66	Mod. of CP(BPH-5339 as mod., which authorized a new FM b/e station) to change type trans. (General Electric-BT-3-A); and incr. TPO to 1.2 kw;  Engr.: J. A. Cunningham, Livingston, Tennessee	GRANTED	4-5-67
	3-8-67			
BLH-3693 R & F PTA-5/19/67	5/6/67 5/10/67	Lic. to cover CP (BPH-5339 as mod.) which auth. a new FM b/c station. Engr: J. A. Cunningham, Livingston, Tenn.	GRANTED	8-23-67

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-6885 R & F #546883 \$30 PRESS:	9-29-69 10-6-69 10-6-69  OCT 13 1969	CP ant(CCA-FMA-6811/CCA-3, 3 horis. & 3 vert. sects); TPO 2.96kws; operate with vert. ERP 3kws; & vert. HAAT: 85 ft.  Atty - None	GRANTED	10-16-69
BRH-2079 R & F \$75 #598112 PN Recd. PRESS	5-1-70 5-4-70 " " MAY 25 1970	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED <i>gl.</i>	7-30-70 <i>7-30-70</i>
BMPH-11,095 R & F #609096 \$30. PRESS:	6-12-70 6-16-70 6-16-70 JUN 22 1970	MP(BPH-6885) ext. time to 8-16-70(FOR CHGS).	GRANTED	6-30-70

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**FREQUENCY MODULATION**

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**STANFORD, KENTUCKY**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC- 6371 R & F #619745 \$75 PRESS: SEP 7 PN REC'D: 1970	7-27-70 7-30-70 7-30-70	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from W. G. Morgan and S. C. Bybee to Calvin C. Smith.	GRANTED Req. grant fee \$900.00 *\$475.53. Grant fee paid 2-8-71. See WRSL-AM	12-23-70
BMPH-13,033 R & F #631176 \$30. CODE 068 #635335 \$20. CODE 068 PRESS: OCT 21 1970	9-16-70 9-21-70 9-21-70 10-7-70	MP(BFH-6885 as mod) ext. time to 12-16-70 (For Chgs).  Atty-None.	GRANTED	10-27-70
BLH-5027 Rec'd #655000 \$50. AC-067 EA PRESS JAN 27 1971	12-16-70 12-18-70 1-5-71 1-4-71 1-14-71	Lic.(BFH-6885, as mod.) for changes.	GRANTED	1-29-71



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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-2079 R & F PN PRESS JUN 7 1973	4-23-73 4-27-73 4-27-73	Renewal of License	GRANTED	7-31-73
BRH-2079 R & F PN Recd. PRESS JUN 16 1976	3-29-76 3-31-76 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-14-76
BRH 790402 XH PRESS MAY 11 1979		RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-18-79

## 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 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.

