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"RIDGWAY-JOHNSONBURG, PENNSYLVANIA"

FREQUENCY MODULATION

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 2-23-67

W T M X (EFF: 2-14-77)
Call letters W K B I-FM

Station location Ridgway, Pennsylvania

Olivia T. Rennekamp, Executrix of the Estate of Kenneth E. Rennekamp, deceased
and Cary H. Simpson DBA The Elk-Cameron Broadcasting Company (INVOL, AL 2-29-72
EFF: 3-2-72)

Name of licensee Kenneth E. Rennekamp and Cary H. Simpson dba The Elk-Cameron Broadcasting Company

Transmitter location Boot Jack Summit, Route 219, near inter. of Route 948 near city,
Ridgway, Pennsylvania (BPH-4-13-66)

Main studio location Boot Jack Summit, Rte. 219, Near inter. of Rte. 948 near Ridgway, Pa. (MLH-3-15-72)
Main & Broad Street, Ridgway, Pennsylvania (BPH-4-13-66)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH-4322 HAAT: 550' (h&v) cond 1	4-13-66	94.3mc. ERP: 740 w(h&v) U CH# 232 TPO: 800w			6-13-66 12-13-66
CP for a new Class B FM broadcast station with RC					
BPH-4322 (1)	5-10-66	Mod. of CP(BPH-4322) to assign call letters W K B 1-FM.			
BLH-3472 HAAT: 550' (H&V)	2-23-67	94.3mcs ERP: 740w (H&V) U CH.#232 TPO: 800w		2-23	8-1-69
Lic to cover CP(BPH-4322) which auth a new FM broadcast station, specify type horiz. ant-Andrew 1302-1					
BSCA-756	3-28-67	Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a multiplex basis of 67 kilocycles.			
Applic.	10-7-67	To change Second Remote Control Point to 10 Railroad St., St. Marys, Pa.			
BALH-1639 BASCA-487	2-29-72	IN-VOL. ALH #SCA		EFF: 2-29-72	
BRH-1968(L)	3-17-72	RENEWAL & MODI.			8-1-72
BRSCA-756		RENEWAL of SCA			
BMLH-409	3-15-72	Chge studio location (Issued with BRH-1968)			
EBSA	6-12-72				
BRH-1968(S)	7-31-72	RENEWAL			8-1-75
BRSCA-756		RENEWAL of SCA			
Supersedes to add Second Remote control					
BPH-8517	8-16-73	CP install Aux. trans. & Ant. 8-16-74 94.3mhz 200WH&V 530' H&V RC			
BMPH-14,193 (1)	9-11-74	MP(BPH-8517) ext. time to 12-15-74			
BMPH-14,348 (2)	1-9-75	MP(BPH-8517, as mod) ext to 5-15-75			
BMPH-14,485 (3)	6-6-75	MP(BPH-8517, as mod) ext to 10-1-75			
BH-9465(L)	7-3-75	94.3MHz. ERP: 740W(H&V) U		7-3-76	
HAAT: 550ft(H&V)		CP chg ant, TPO, transmitting equip.			
BMPH-14,515 (4)	7-3-75	MP(BPH-8517, as mod) chg ant & HAAT			
BRH-1968(S)	10-16-75	Renewal of License & SCA		8-1-78	
BRSCA-756					
BLH-6870 BLH-6871(L)	2-26-76	Lic.(BPH-8517, as mod.)-New Aux. trans. & ant. Lic.(BPH-9465)-Changes, Main			
				8-1-78	

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

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X W K B I-FM
Call letters

Station location

Name of licensee SEE CARD # 1

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
COMTEL	11-9-76	Trans: Raytheon-RA-1000 mod. with CCA-FM-10DS exciter now installed.			
	2-14-77	Call letters changed & ERSA issued.			
BRCH-1343 (1)	1 2-15-77	NL delete 2nd RC and establish new new 2nd RC at proposed WKBI (AM) new studio site.			
BRH-1968	7-12-78	(L) REN. OF LIC. (MAIN & AUX. & ANTENNAS)			
BRSCA-756	"	REN. OF SCA			8-1-81

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters **-N-B-W-W K B I-FM**

Name **KENNETH E. RENNEKAMP AND CARY H. SIMPSON d/b as THE ELK-CAMERON BROADCASTING
RIDGWAY, PENNSYLVANIA (PO Box 29, Tyrone, Pa.) 16886 COMPANY**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-4322 R & F	12-30-63	Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Freq.: 107.3mc, Ch. 297- 94.3mc CH 232 ERP: 5.8kw 0.74kw (Horiz. & Vertical) Type trans.: Composite RAYTHEON RF-1000 TPO: 4kw 0.82kw Type ant.: Collins-37M-63-6-secs, - JAMPRO J2B (2 sec.) (Horiz) HAAT: 467' 550 ft. COMPOSITE (2 sec.) (Vertical) Trans. loc.: Boot Jack Summit, Rte. #219, 0.4 mi. NW of intersection with Rte. #948, Ridgway, Pa. Studio loc.: Main & Broad Sts., Ridgway, Pa. RC loc.: (1) Main & Broad Sts., Ridgway, Pa. (2) 41 Erie Ave., St. Marys, Pa. Harry J. Daly, Atty. <u>SEE CARD #2 FOR AMENDMENT</u>	GRANTED	4-17-66 see Card #2
	1-3-64			

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Letters NEW H.K.B.-1-FM

Name KENNETH E. RENNEKAMP AND CARY H. SIMPSON d/b as THE ELK-CAMERON BROADCASTING COMPANY
Ridgway, Pennsylvania

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-4322 (Cont'd) AMEND Rec'd.	7-7-65	AMEND to change freq. to 94.3mc, CH 232, ERP to 920 watts HAAT to 550 ft, type trans. to Raytheon RF-1000, type antenna to Jampro JB-2 (2 sections (Horiz.) Composite (2 sec.) (Vert.))	RETURNED coverage exceeds maximum for Class A station	7-19-65
AMENDED R&F	7-21-65 7-22-65	AMENDED to change frequency to 94.3mc CH 232, decrease ERP to 0.74kw and install a vertically polarized antenna (COMPOSITE, 2 sections) with a vertical ERP of 0.74kw, chng. Horizontal type antenna to JAMPRO J2B (2 sections), increase HAAT to 550 ft., decrease TPO to 0.82kw and chng. type trans. to RAYTHEON RF-1000	GRANTED Condl re type accept of trans.	4-13-66
BSCA-756 R & F	11-17-66 11-21-66	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on subcarrier frequencies of 26 & 41 , and 67 kilocycles.	GRANTED	3-28-67
AMENDMENT R & F	3-1-67 3-3-67	Attys - Daly and Joyce AMENDED to delete request for 26 & 41 kcs.		

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Letters W.K.H. I-FM

Name KENNETH E. RENNEKAMP AND CARY H. SIMPSON dba THE ELK-CAMERON BROADCASTING COMPANY
Ridgway, Pennsylvania 15853

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-3472 R & F	10/26/66 10/28/66	Lic. to cover CP (BPH-4322) which auth. a new FM broadcast station, specify type horiz. ant-Andrew 1302-1. Atty: H. J. Daly	GRANTED	2-23-67
BRH-1968 R & F #511453 \$75 BRSCA-756 R & F #511664 \$30 Press JUN 9 1969	4-30-69 5-2-69 4-30-69 5-5-69	Renewal of license Renewal of SCA AMENDED 3-15-72 to change name of applicant to "Olivia T. Rennekamp, Executrix of the Estate of Kenneth E. Rennekamp, Deceased, and Cary H. Simpson DBA The Elk-Cameron Broadcasting Company"	GRANTED	3-17-72
BMLH-409 R & F #035928 \$50 Code 061 Press FEB 22 1972	12-27-71 1-26-72 1-26-72	ML to chg. studio location to the Main the Trans. Site: Boot Jack Summit, Route 219, near inter. of Route 948 near city, Ridgway, Pennsylvania. Atty: Geroge R. Borsari, Jr. F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.	GRANTED ISSUED WITH RENEWAL APPLICATION.	3-15-72

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

94.3mc

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Letters **WKB I-FM**

~~Kenneth E. Rennekamp and Cary H. Simpson~~
Name dba **TUE ELK-CAMERON BROADCASTING COMPANY**
Ridgeway, Penna.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAH-1639 BASCA-487 R & d Filed(dtd) REC PD: \$250 #035925 CODE 054 (Form 316) ALSO SEE AM	2-11-72 1-26-72 2-15-72	Involuntary assignment of license and SCA to OLIVIA T. RENNEKAMP, EXECUTRIX OF THE ESTATE OF KENNETH E. RENNEKAMP, DECEASED, & CARY H. SIMPSON, dba/ELK-CAMERON BROADCASTING COMPANY Atty - Daly, Joyce & Borsari	granted EFF:	2-29-72 2-29-72
BRH-1968 R & F P.N. PRESS MAY 18 1972 BRSCA-756 R & F	5-2-72 5-3-72 5-3-72 5-2-72 5-3-72	Renewal of License AMENDED 5-22-72 re: engineering statement AMENDED 6-19-72 re: employment policy AMENDED 7-11-72 re: programming Renewal of SCA	GRANTED	7-31-72

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OLIVIA T. RENNEKAMP, EXECUTRIX OF THE ESTATE OF KENNETH E. RENNEKAMP, DECEASED AND
 Name GARY H. SIMPSON, d/b/a THE ELK CAMERON BROADCASTING COMPANY
 Ridgway, Pennsylvania

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
Ltr. dated PRESS:	8-18-72 SEP 7 - 1972	filed by George R. Borsari, Jr., Esq. REQUEST FOR DUAL CITY IDENTIFICATION FROM: RIDGWAY-JOHNSONBURG, PENNSYLVANIA.	GRANTED	11-9-72
BPH-8517 R & F #214514 \$100 REFUNDED \$50.00 Code 057 Press	7-10-73 7-16-73 7-17-73 AUG 8 - 1973	CP to install a new Aux. Trans. (Composite) and Aux. Ant. (Composite) at Main Trans.- Studio Loc., and operate by RC from 1st RC point: Main & Broad St., Ridgway, Penn. and 2nd RC point: 10 Railroad Street, St. Marys, Penn., to be operated on 94.3mhz #232; TPO: 253.6 watts; ERP: 200 Watts and HAAT: 534' (H&V), for Auxiliary Purposes Only.	GRANTED	8-16-73
BMPH-14,193 R & F #332281 \$50 Code 057 PRESS	7-31-74 8-2-74 8-7-74 AUG 23 1974	MP(BPH-8517) ext. time to 12-15-74. (Changes) (Aux.)	GRANTED TO	9-11-74 12-15-74

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94.3mhz.

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Name Cary H. Simpson, d/b/a The Elk Cameron Broadcasting Company
Ridgeway, Pennsylvania

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-14,348 R&F #368564 \$50 Code 057 PRESS	11-22-74 11-27-74 11-27-74 DEC 17 1974	MP(BPH-8517, as mod) to ext. time to 5-15-75. (Changes) (Aux. Trans.)	GRANTED TO	1-9-75 5-15-75
BRH-1968 BRSCA-756 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	3-31-75 " 4-1-75 " APR 9 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA AMENDED 6-30-75 re: commercial matter AMENDED 7-7-75 re: commercial matter	GRANTED	10-16-75
BMPH-14,485 R & F #426978\$50 Code 057 PRESS	5-6-75 5-8-75 5-16-75 JUN 2 - 1975	MP(BPH-8517, as mod.) ext. time to 8-31-75. (Changes) (Aux. Trans.)	GRANTED TO COND'L	6-6-75 10-1-75

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94.3mhz.

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Ridgway, Pennsylvania

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-14,515 R & F #425955\$50 Code 057 PRESS	5-6-75 5-13-75 5-14-75 JUN 2 1975	MP(BPH-8517, as mod.) to chg. ant. (JAMPRO-JA2B, 2 sects.(H); make chgs. in transmission equipent; chg. HAAT: 550 ft.(H&V) (Aux. Trans) Atty: Daly, Joyce, etc.	GRANTED	7-3-75
BPH-9465 R & F #424178\$100 Code 057 PRESS	5-6-75 5-8-75 5-12-75 JUN 2 1975	CP to install new ant. (SHIVELY 6811-2, 2 sects. (H&V); make chgs. in transmitting equipment; chg. TPO. (Main Trans.) Atty: Daly, Joyce, etc.	GRANTED	7-3-75
BLH-6870 Rec'd W 481685-\$50 Amended & P PTA PRESS	9-29-75 9-30-75 10-1-75-001 10-17-75 11-21-75 DEC 8 1975	Lic.(BPH-8517, as mod.) - New Auxiliary Trans. & ant. enr. data	GRANTED	2-26-76

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 Name CARY H. SIMPSON DBA THE ELK-CAMERON BROADCASTING COMPANY
 Ridgway, Pennsylvania

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-6871 R & F W 495222-\$100 PTA PRESS	11-5-75 11-7-75 11-10-75-001 11-13-75 DEC 8 1975	Lic.(BPH-9465)-Changes, Main.	GRANTED	2-26-76
BRCH-1343 R & F PRESS:	10-14-77 10-17-77 DEC 14 1977	Modification of License to DELETE SECOND REMOTE CONTROL POINT & establish a new Second Remote Control point from: S. 1/4 of Section A, Highland Park Developement, 0.9 mi. SSW from center of St. Marys, Pennsylvania (PROPOSED WKBI(AM) NEW STUDIO SITE) Atty:-----	GRANTED	12-15-77

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CARY H. SIMPSON DBA THE ELK-CAMERON BROADCASTING COMPANY
RIDGEWAY, PENNSYLVANIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-1968	3-31-78	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN, AUX. & ANTENNAS)	GRAIITED	7-12-78
BRSCA-756	3-31-78			
R & F PRESS	4-3-78			
	APR 19 1978			
BRH810319UE		Renewal of License		
BRSCA810319UE		Renewal of SCA		
PRESS MAY 14 1981				

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.

