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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Official Number 3244

Date first licensed 3-2-27

Call letters WWO

Station location .. Avalon .. New Jaraey.

Name of licensee Avalon Broadcasting Co.

Transmitter location .. Shore Rd., Route 9, 4.2 ml. NW. of Avalon, N.J. (PH. 4-14-75)

Main studio location SAME AS TRANSMITTER

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

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Appl.	Date			Time	Period
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BLH-7036(L)	3-7-77	Lic. (B	H-8472,	as mod)	6-1-78
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call WWOC Letters X NEW-FM

Name

Avalon, New Jersey (PO c/o 28 Golden Oak Lane, Beesley's Point, New Jersey 08223)

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature Date
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AMENDED AMENDED AMENDED AMENDED AMENDED AMENDED	7-23-73 10-4-73 10-31-73 11-8-73 1-16-74 3-18-74	Atty - Forbes W. Blair Sections II and III. Financial Data. Business Data (Re/Sect. II.) Sect. II, (Table 1) Table II & para. 21(c). Financial Data. Sect. II, Table II(Business & Financial Data.) Financial Data.	Pd 014 6-17-75 W439387
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.	

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94.3ahz.

Call Letters

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Name AVALON BROADCASTING CO.

Avalon, New Jersey

Signature Sign	File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
R & F PRESS MAR 7 1978 Atty. Lee W. Shubert (Bilger & Blair) BRH810121YA PRESS: MAR 16 1981 GRANTED 5-11-78 CRANTED 5-11-78	Rec'd W540620-\$100. Amended LTD PTA Amended & F PTA Ext.	3-12-76 3-15-76-001 3-24-76 3-26-76 4-12-76 4-20-76	Antenna: PHELPS-DODGE, CFM-LP-3. clarif. frequency meas. Supple audio proof of performance Atty: Bilger & Blair(Lee W. Shubert)	GRANTED	3-7-77
F.C.C WASHINGTON, D.C.	R & F PRESS BRH810121YA PRESS:	1-31-78 MAR 7 1978 MAR 16 198	Atty. Lee W. Shubert (Bilger & Blair) RENEWAL OF LICENSE atty: Donald Bilger	tt	

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.

