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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD COMM. TV B/C
First C.C. 12-31-52 (Approx. 1-4-53)

Date first licensed 8-1-56 (Official No. 197)

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Call letters KTSMATV (Station Loc: El Paso, Texas)

Name of licensee X TRI-STATE BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

I mile N. W. of El Paso at Ranger eak on Franklin Mountain, Near El Paso, Texas (April 256/258)

X 3rd Street and S. Santa Fe Street, El Paso, Texas (BMPCT-902 10-31-52)

Transmitter location X Mills Building, Mills and N. Oregon, El Paso, Texas

Main studio location 801 North Oregon Atrent, El Paso, Texas

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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TRI-STATE BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

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Main studio location ..... FCC-65

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Name of licensee TRI-STATE BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

Transmitter location SEE CARD # 1

Main studio location

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Name TRI-STATE BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

(P.O. 801 N. Oregon Street, El Paso, Texas)

Fi	le No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	tion   Date
Recd Fil	make the second	6-5-52 6-13-52	CP for a new Commercial TV broadcast station FREQ: Ch. # 9 - 186-192 Mcs.  ERP: Vis. 63.13 kw., Aur. 31.64 kw.  Hours of operation: Unlimited S-L: 801 N. Oregon St., El Paso, Texas T-L: Mills Bldg, Mills & N. Oregon Streets, El Paso, Texas (VIS & AUR - RCA, TT-10AH) (-8' or 155' see Engineering report) Filed by Joseph F. Zias, Atty.	GRANTED ERP: Vis	8-13-52 64 kw. 32 kw.
F	ec'd. Filed	9-27-52 9-29-52	Mod. of C. P. (BPCT-999 which authorized a new comm. TV B/C station) to change ERP from Vis. 64 kw., Aur. 32 kw., to Vis. 58.7 kw., Aur. 29.35 kw., transmitter location from Mills Bldg., Mills and N. Oregon, El Paso, Texas to 3rd St., & S. Santa Fe St., El Paso, Texas and make antenna changes. (1111) Filed by Joseph F. Zias, Atty.	RP: Vis.	10-31-52 58 Kw. 29 Kw.

George P. Adair, Engr.

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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P.O. 801 N. Oregon Street, El Paso, Taxas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Natur	ction e Date
BMPCT-929 Recd Filed	11-12-52	Modification of construction permit (BPCI-293) as modified which authorized a new Connercial TV Broadcast station) to change the type of antenna, slight change in transmitter location (same description but slight change in co-ordinates) (97') Filed by Joseph F. Zias, Atty.	GRANTE	0 12-24-52
BMPCT-1305 Recd & file	8-6-53	Modification of construction permit (BPCT-999 as modified which authorized a new commercial TV broadcast station) for extension of completion date from Aug. 24, 1953 to Nov. 24, 1953.  Filed by Joseph F. Zias, Atty.	GRANTED	8-19-53
BMPCT-1572 Recd. Filed	11-17-53 11-20-53 11-20-53	Mod. of CP(BPCT-999, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 11-24-53 to 12-17-53.  Filed by Joseph F. Zias, Atty.	RANTED	11-23-53

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BMPCT-1726 Recd. Filed	1-9-54 1-12-54 1-12-54	Mod. of CP(EPCT-999, as mod., which author- ized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 1-17-54 to 3-17-54. Filed by Joseph F. Zias, atty.	GRANTED	1-14-54
Recd. Filed	6-22-54 6-22-54 6-22-54	Mod. of CP (EPCT-999, as mod., which anthor- ized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 7-17-54 to 1-17-55. Verme R. Young, Atty.	GRANTED	6-25-54
Recd.&Filed	The second secon	Mod. of CP(EFCT-999, as mod., which suthor- ized a now Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 1-17-55 to 7-17-55. Filed by Joseph F. Ziaz, Atty.	GRANTED	12-23-54
Recd&filed (Ext.#8)	5-23-55 5-27-55	Mod. of CP(BPCT-999, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 7-17-55 to 10-17-55.  Filed by Joseph F. Zias Atty.	GRAFTED	6-32-65
		F.C.C WARMINGTON, B. C.		

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Name TRI-STATE BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date		
BLCT-361 Re cd & file	8-9-55 8-16-55	License to cover CP (BPCT-999 as modified) which authorized a new comm. TV b/c station Filed by Joseph F. Zias, Atty.	GRANTED	8-1-56		
BPCT-2564 Recd & fill	8-22-58 d 10-2-58	Construction permit to change ERP from Vis. 55 kw Aur. 27.5 kw to Vis. 71.9 kw Aur. 35.95 kw, change studio location from 3rd Street and South Santa Fc Street, El Paso, Texas to 1 mile NW of El Paso at Ranger Peak on Franklin Mountain, near El Paco, Texas, change type of antenna and equipment and ent. hgt. noove average ter- rain to 1,910 Filed by Joseph F. Zias, Atty.	GRANTED	10-28-58		
		F.C.C WASHINSTON, D. G.				

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Ac	tion   Date
BMPCT-5252 Recd & file	12-19-58	Modification of construction permit (BPCT-2564, which auth. chgs. in existing comm TV b/c station) to change ERP from Vis. 70.8 kw, Aur. 35.5 kw to Vis. 85.9 kw Aur. 42.7 kw; change type of antenna (to RCA-TW-9AQ) and other equipment and change antenna height above average terrain to 1915 'Filed by Joseph F. Zias, Atty.	GRANTED	2-9-59
BRCT-197 Recd.&Filed	5-1-59 5-6-59	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Filed direct.	GRANTED	7-22-59
BEPCT-5346 Recd.&Filed		Mod. of CP (BPCT-2564, as mod., which authorized changes in existing Comm. TV B/C Station) TO extend completion date from 8-6-59 to 2-1-60 Philip G. Loucks, Atty.	GRANTED	7-14-59

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1	BMPCT-5430	1-15-60	Modification of construction permit (BPCT-	GRANTI	ED   1-28-60	
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			ing station) to extend completion date			
			from 2-1-60 to 3-1-60			
			Filed by Joseph F. Zias, Atty			
- 60	CT-1016	2-23-60	LICENSE to cover CP (BPCT-2564, as mod.) which	h GRANTE	D 9-3-64	
-	ecd.&Filed	2-24-60	authorized changes in existing station.			
			Joseph F. Zias, Atty.			
	BRCT-197	4-27-62	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	2-10-64	
8	Recd.&Filed	5-2-62	Philip G. Loucks, Atty.	1		
	BRCT-197	4-29-65	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-2-65	
	Recd&Filed_	5-3-65	Wilner & Bergson, Atty.	+		麣
	BMLCT-530	2-10-66	Mod. of License to reduce Aural ERP from			
	REF	2-14-66	43.6 kw to 17.3 kw.	GRANTED	2-25-66	
	BRCT-197	4-30-68	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	#425612	\$150. 5-1-68	
	Rec'd & File	MAY 8 1968				
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Ch. 9 El Paso, Texas

BRCT-197 4-30-71 RENEWAL OF LICENSE GRA	Action ture Date NTED 7-29-71
BRCT-197 4-30-71 RENEWAL OF LICENSE GRA	NTED 7-29-71
Rec. & filed 5-3-71 John R. Wilner (Wilner, Scheiner) PRESS MAY 24 1971	
BPCT-4538  R & F  #084864 \$50 AC: 062 PRESS:    GRAN	TED 9-8-72
BLCT-2215 R & F Press: #177516 \$50 AC: 069  Lic. to cover (BPCT-4538) for changes. Wilner & Scheiner Atty: J.R. Wilner Wilner & Scheiner Atty: J.R. Wilner  F.C.C. WASHINGTON, D. C.	\$\overline{1}{16-8-73}

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Name TRI-STATE BROADCASTING COMPANY
CH-9 El Paso, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature Date
BRCT-197 R & F PN Rec'd: PRESS:	4-30-74 5-3-74 5-3-74 JUN 8	RENEWAL of LICENSE Annual Report Filed Amended 7-5-74 re equal employemnt. Amended 1-30-76 re mutual agreement.	GRANTED 6-16-76 COMMISSION ACTION (See other side)
BRCT-197 REF PN RECD PRESS	3- 17- 77 3- 30- 77 3- 30- 77 APR 1 5 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE  No Contours filed: Amended 6-23-77 re Exh.#7&8 Amended 7-5-77 re EEO Amended 7-11-77 re EEO	GRANTED 7-21-77
BRCT- 800326KI R & F PN REC'D	3-15-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE ATTY: JOHN R. WILNER {WILNER AND SCHEINER}	GRANTED 7-18-80
		P.C.C. WASHINGTON D.C.	

REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE NEW EL PASO COMMITTEE CONCERNING EL PASO TV LOCAL NEWS PROGRAMMING filed 7-9-74 (orig. to Shiben 7-10-74; copy to RR).

COMPLAINT; REQUEST FOR DECLARATORY RULING, PROCEDURAL SAFEGUARDS, AWARD OF COMPENSATORY DAMAGES AND BACK PAY, AND CEASE AND DESIST ORDER; AND PETITION TO DENY LICENSE RENEWAL filed 7-1-74 by Richard N. B. Wheatley.

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE RESPONSIVE PLEADING filed 7-11-74 by John R. Wilner on

behalf of Tri-State Broadcasting Company (KTSM-TV).

MOTION TO SUPPLEMENT COMPLAINT AND PETITION TO DENY LICENSE RENEWAL filed 7-15-74 by N. B.

Wheatley.

OPPOSITION OF TRI-STATE BROADCASTING CO., INC. dated 9-10-74 by John R. Wilner on behalf of Tri-State Broadcasting Co., Inc.

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO SUPPLEMENT OPPOSITION filed 10-15-74 by John R. Wilner on behalf of

ri State Broadcasting Co., Inc.

REPLY OF PETITIONER RICHARD N.B. WHEATLEY, filed 11-6-74 by Richard N.B. Wheatley

OPPOSITION TO MOTION TO STRIKE AND MOTION TO SUPPLEMENT REPLY filed 12-4-74 by Richard N.B. Wheatley.

COMMENTS OF TRI-STATE BROADCASTING CO., INC. filed 12-27-74 by John R. Wilner on behalf of

Tri State Broadcasting Co., Inc.

MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER adopted 6-16-76, released 6-30-76, FCC 76-565 40927: Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED, That licensee's motion to strike the reply, filed November 14, 1974, IS DENIED; IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the petition, filed July 2, 1974, by Richard N. B. Wheatley, IS DENIED; IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the above-captioned application for renewal of license for Station KTSM-TV, El Paso, Texas, IS HEREBY GRANTED.

#### **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 radio 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.

TV History Cards were initiated in the early 1940s, with the authorization of the earliest TV stations. 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 television station history.

