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REMOVABLE LABEL GUIDE

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STREET AUTH. 11-7-51 / BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORDED
First operations 10-8-48 (Baseball Games) Regular STA. eff. 10-24-48
(Acad Series)
Date first licensed 6-26-50 (OFF. # 43)

Call letters **XWTV**

(Sta. Loc. Detroit, Michigan)

STORER BROADCASTING COMPANY (ML 6-30-52)

Name of licensee **THE FORT INDUSTRY COMPANY**

16550 West Nine Mile Road (EMPCT-1987 3-30-54 (no move))
Southfield Township, Michigan

Mich. (BPCT-662 Gr. 3-10-52)

☒ On Nine Mile Rd., 3/8 mi. east of Southfield Road, Southfield Township,
☒ 8009 Lyndon Street, Detroit, Michigan. (6-26-50) (not a move)
☒ Lyndon St and Cloverdale Ave., Detroit, Mich. (6-9-48)

Transmitter location ☒ N.W. Corner of Woodward & Kirby Sts. Intersection, Detroit (Wayne), Mich.

* ~~NOTICE OF CANCELLATION (BMLCT-683 4-7-69)~~

16550 West Nine Mile Road, Southfield Township, Michigan (BMLCT-683 4-7-69)

7441 Second Avenue, Detroit, Michigan (8-1-56)

Masonic Temple Bldg.
☒ 500 Temple St., Detroit, Mich. (6-9-48)

Main studio location ☒ same

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Eff. Rad. Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BPCT-182	3-20-47	Ch.#2: 54-60mc	14.26 kw U 7.51 kw		5-20-47 11-20-47
CP for new commercial television b/c station.					
BPCT-131	11-24-47	Same	Same	Same	5-20-47 5-20-48
Mod. of C.P.(BPCT-182, as mod., which authorized new commercial television b/c station) for extension of completion date only.					
BPCT-213	5-13-48	Same	Same	Same	5-20-47 11-20-48
Mod. of C.P.(BPCT-182, as mod. which authorized new commercial television b/c station) for extension of completion date.					
BMPCT-212	6-9-48	Ch.#2 54-60 mc.	ERP: Vis. 16.5 kw Aur. 8.3 kw	U	5-20-47 11-20-48
Mod. of CP. (BPCT-182) to change S&T-location, change ERP, equip. and antenna system.					
10-7-48 STA to operate on a commercial basis beginning 10-8-48 and to continue during the duration of the World Series baseball games only; eff. rad. power, visual 8.2 kw and aural 4.2 kw, otherwise, exact accordance with construction permit (BMPCT-212).					
10-21-48 STA operate on commercial basis period 10-24-48 to 11-20-48; effective radiated power, vis. 8.2 kw., and aur. 4.2 kw., otherwise, exact accordance with current construction permit.					
BMPCT-348	10-28-48	Same	Same	Same	5-20-47 5-20-49
Mod. of C.P.(BPCT-182 as mod.) for ext. of completion date					
11-17-48 EXT. STA to operate on commercial basis period 11-21-48 to 2-20-49.					
2-15-49 Ext. STA to operate on commercial basis etc. period 2-21-49 to 5-20-49					
3-1-49 Mod. of Ext. of STA to operate on commercial basis exact accordance with current construction permit in period 3-1-49 to 5-20-49.					
BPCT-402	4-19-49	Same	Same	Same	5-20-47 11-20-49
Mod. of CP (BPCT-182 as mod.) for ext. of completion date.					

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CARD #2

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

COMMERCIAL TV

Date first licensed

Call letters WJBE-TV

Name of licensee THE FORT INDUSTRY COMPANY

Transmitter location See Card No. 1

Main studio location See Card #1

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
	5-16-49	Ext. of STA to operate on a commercial basis exact accordance with current construction permit period 5-21-49 to 11-20-49.			
BMPOT-631	10-24-49	Same	Same	Same	5-20-47 5-20-50
	Mod. of CP (BPOT-182 as mod.) for ext. of completion date.				
	11-15-49	EXT STA operate on comm. basis etc. period 11-21-49 to 5-20-50.			
BLCT-53	6-26-50	Ch. # 2	Vis. 16.5 Kw 54-60Mc. Aur. 8.3 Kw.		6-26-50/2-1-51
	License to cover CP (BPCT-182 as mod.) & to redesignate transmitter location. (Not a move)				
BPCT-664 (AUX)	11-1-50	Ch. #2, V-1.48 kw 54-60 McA-0.83 kw	For aux. purposes only		1-1-51 7-1-51 site.
	Construction permit to install Aux. trans. at main trans./				
BRCT-43 (Main)	1-29-51	Same	Same	Same	2-1-51 2-1-52
BLCT-69 (Aux.)	2-1-51	Same	Same	For Aux. purposes only.	2-1-51 2-1-52
	License to cover CP (BPCT-664) which authorized auxiliary transmitter for existing station.				
BRCT-43 (MAIN & AUX.)	1-30-52	Extension License			2-1-52 5-1-52
BRCT-43 (MAIN & AUX.)	2-25-52	Same	Same	Same	2-25-52 10-1-52
	Renewal of License				
BPCT-662 (Main)	3-10-52	Ch. #2, V-3.0 kw U 54-60 McA-1.5 kw			5-10-52 11-10-52
	Construction permit to change ERP, T-L, type of antenna and make other antenna & equipment changes.				
BPPLCT-1 (Main & Aux)	6-30-52	Mod. of C.P. and License to change corporate name from The Fort Industry Company to Storer Broadcasting Company. (C. P.-5-10-52 11-10-52 (Lic. -6-30-52 10-1-52)			
BRCT-43 (MAIN)	9-18-52	Same	V-16.5 kw A-8.3 kw	Same	10-1-52 10-1-53
	Renewal of License				

B S CARD # 3

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

COMMERCIAL TELEVISION

Date first licensed See Card # 1

Call letters WTKZ-TV

Name of licensee STOKER BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location See Card # 1

Main studio location See Card # 1

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BRCT-43 (AUXILIARY)	9-18-52	Same	V-1.5 kw A-0.85 kw	Same	10-1-52 10-1-53
Renewal of License					
BMPCT-911 (Main)	10-23-52	Same	Same	Same	5-10-52 5-10-53
Mod. of CP(BPCT-662 as mod., etc.) for ext. of completion date.					
BMPCT-880 (MAIN)	1-2-53	Ch. 2	Vis. 100kw 54-60 Mds. Aur. 50 kw.		By 3-2-53 ✓ To 9-2-53
Mod. of C. P. (BPCT-662) change ERP, add power amplifiers.					
BMPCT-1293 (Main)	8-14-53	same	same	same	3-2-53 3-2-54
Mod. (BMPCT-880) extend completion date.					
BRCT-43 Main & Aux.	9-16-53	SAME	SAME	SAME	10-1-53 10-1-54
(See superseding authorization, Card #4)					
BPCT-1779 AUX. TRANS. #2	11-10-53	same	V. 22.4 kw A. 11.2 kw		1-10-54 3-2-54
C. P. to install add. aux. transmitters at main site, to be used conn. outstanding CP(BPCT-662 as mod) to oper. Ch.#2 54-60 md, ERP.					
WIRE BMPCT-1293 GE TT-7A	11-19-53	STA oper.	comm. basis exact accord CP		
except using RCA TT-5A trans as driver in lieu of GE TT-7A. Period ending March 2, 1954.					
BMPCT-1878 MAIN	2-23-54	same	same	same	3-2-53 9-2-54
Mod CP(BPCT-662, as mod) to extend completion dt					
conversion of obstruction marking specifications					
BMPCT-1879	2-23-54	same	same	same	1-10-54 9-2-54
(Aux. Trans) Mod CP(BPCT-1779) to extend compl. dt					
conversion of obstruction marking specification					
2-25-54	Mod. EXT STA Opr.	Comm	basis exact accordance CP		
BMPCT-1878 pending completion of performance measurements for license application. PE 9-3-54. Auth. use RCA TT-5A transmitter as alternate driver during periods when repair or maintenance necessary on GE TT-7A driver. PE 9-3-54					
BMPCT-1987	3-30-54	Same	Same	Same	3-2-53 9-2-54
(Main) Mod CP(BPCT-662, as mod) to specify alternate driver connection present transmitters & to chg. description of transmitter site(not a move)					

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CARD #4

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

SEE CARD # 1

Date first licensed

Call letters WJEK-TV

Name of licensee STORER BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location See Card # 1

Main studio location See Card # 1

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BMPCT-2378	8-17-54	same	same	same	3-2-53
Main Trans. Mod. CP(BPCT-662, as mod)					to extend compl. 3-2-55
BMPCT-2379	8-20-54	same	same	same	1-10-54
Aux. Transm. Mod. CP(BPCT-1779, as mod)					to extend compl. 3-2-55
8-23-54 EXT STA Opr. Comm. basis accord CP BMPCT-2378					
pending filing of Lic. Appl. Period Exp. 3-2-55					
8-26-54 STA Opr. RCA TT-5A transmitter as aux. accord CP					
BMPCT-2379 pending filing of appl. for Lic. transmitter to					
be operated for emergency, maintenance & test purposes only					
Period ending 3-2-55					
8-30-54 Wire STA granted Opr. RCA TT-5A transmitter as					
aux. driver, to be operated for emergency, maintenance & test					
purposes only. Auth. expires 3-2-55					
BRCT-43	9-22-54	same	same	same	10-1-54 10-1-55
Conversion of obstruction marking specifications					
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BMPCT-2889	3-2-55	same	same	same	AUX. TRAF 1-10-54
Mod. CP(BPCT-1779, as mod) to extend completion dt.					9-2-55
BMPCT-2890	3-2-55	same	same	same	3-2-53
MAIN Mod. CP(BPCT-662, as mod) to extend complet. dt.					9-2-55
WIRE	3-2-55	EXT STA Opr. Comm. basis accord CP BMPCT-			
2890 pending filing of Lic. Appl. Auth. expires 9-2-55					
Also granted EXT STA Opr. Aux. Transm. Accord CP BMPCT-					
2889 for Emerg. Maint. & Test purposes, as Aux. Driver.					
Auth. expires 9-2-55					
BMPCT-3245	8-5-55	same	same	same (1000')	3-2-53
Main Trans. Mod. CP(BPCT-662, as mod) to chg. type of Ant.					2-4-56
BMPCT-3321	8-12-55	same	same	same AUX. TRANS	1-10-54
Mod. CP(BPCT-1779, as mod) to extend completion dt.					2-2-56
BPCT-1779 (See Card #3)					
* Superseded to eliminate antenna data & effective rad-					
iated power & transmitter power output data)					
(Letter 8-29-55)					
WIRE	8-25-55	EXT. STA Opr. Comm. basis accord. CP BMPCT			
3245 except with Ant. as specified BMPCT-2890. Auth. expire					
2-4-56. Also granted EXT. STA. opr. Aux. Transm. accord. CP					
BMPCT-3321 for Emerg. Maint. & test purposes & as Aux. driver					
Auth. expires 2-2-56					
BPCT-1779		same	same	same	
Superseding authorization #2 to correct					
Channel No. (Letter 9-15-55)					

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Date first licensed

Call letters **WJBK-TV**

Name of licensee **STORER BROADCASTING COMPANY**

Transmitter location **SEE CARD # 1**

Main studio location **SEE CARD #1**

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Dl.	Period From To
BRCT-43	9-28-55	same	same	same	10-1-55 10-1-58
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
WIRE	11-4-55	Mod. STA	Opr. Comm.	basis accord.	CP BMPCT-3245 except using single section GE Type TY-50A Ant. mounted at approx. 850 foot level of WJBK-TV Tower. Auth. expires 11-30-55. Action RE Special Temp. Auth. to authorized use of RCA TR-6AL Ant. with-held pending action upon appl. to modify CP File # BMPCT-3512.
BMPCT-3512	11-14-55	same	same	same	(1000') 3-2-53
Mod. CP (BMPCT-662, as mod.) to install new Ant. Sys. (Main Trans. & Ant.)					
WIRE	11-14-55	Mod. STA	Opr. Comm.	basis accord.	CP BMPCT-3512 pending filing of Lic. Appl. Auth. expires 5-14-56.
WIRE	11-21-55	STA Opr.	Comm.	basis accord.	CP BMPCT-3245 except using single section GE Type TY-50A antenna mounted at approx. 850 foot level of WJBK-TV tower. Auth. expires 12-31-55.
WIRE	12-27-55	STA Opr.	Comm.	basis accord.	CP BMPCT-3512 except using single section GE Type TY-50A antenna mounted at approximately 850 foot level of WJBK-TV tower. Auth. expires 2-29-56.
BMPCT-3636	1-4-56	same	same	same	3-10-54
Mod. of CP (BMPCT-1779, as mod.) to extend compl. dt. 5-14-56					
WIRE	1-18-56	pending filing of Lic.	Appl. auth.	gr. opr.	WJBK-TV Aux. Transm. temp. Per. End. 5-14-56 for Emerg. Maint test purposes and Aux. driver accord. CP BMPCT-3636.
WIRE	4-3-56	Pending completion of constr.,	mod. of	auth. granted to oper. temp. for per. ending 5-14-56	Comm. Basis accord. CP (BMPCT-3512), except using facilities specified BMPCT-3245.
WIRE	4-10-56	Pending Completion of construction,	auth.	gr. to Opr. WJBK-TV, Detroit, temp. Per. End. 4-30-56	Comm. basis accord. CP BMPCT-3512, except using single section GE type TY-50A antenna mounted at 850 foot level of Main Antenna tower.
BMPCT-3864	4-17-56	same	same	same	3-2-53
Mod. CP (BMPCT-662, as mod.) to extend completion dt. 11-14-56					
BMPCT-3865	4-17-56	(same TRANS)	same	same	1-10-54
Mod. CP (BMPCT-1779, as mod.) to extend completion date 11-14-56					
(Long form) AND TO CORRECT TRANSMITTER LOCATION					

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CARD #6

COMM. TV

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters **WJBK-TV**

Name of licensee **STORER BROADCASTING COMPANY**

Transmitter location **SEE CARD #1**

Main studio location **SEE CARD #1**

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

WJBK-TV

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
WIRE	4-25-56	Pending filing of Lic. Appl, ext. auth. gr. to			
Opr. WJBK-TV	Aux. Transm. temp. Per. End. 11-14-56	Comm. basis			
accord. CP BMPCT-3865.					
WIRE	4-25-56	Pending filing of Lic. Appl, Mod. auth. gr. to			
Opr. WJBK-TV	Temp. Per. End. 11-14-56	Comm. basis accord. CP			
BMPCT-3864,	also, auth. use single section GE TY-50A antenna				
mounted at 850-foot level of Main Ant. tower	temp. Per. End.				
6-1-56	when necessary to maintain service during installa-				
tion & adjustment Main Ant.	This auth. replaces and cancels				
all other outstanding temp. telegraphic authorizations	RE				
WJBK-TV Main Transm. & Antenna.					
BPCT-2133	6-19-56	CH 2	4-	Emerg. Maint.	8-19-56
AUX. ANTENNA		54-60		& test only	12-18-56
CP to maintain antenna facilities	auth. in STA of 4-25-56 as				
an Aux. Antenna.					
WIRE	8-9-56	Pending filing of lic. appl., auth.			
granted to operate Aux. Ant. temp. for period ending					
12-18-56	Comm. Basis accord. CP(BPCT-2133).				
BPCT-4340	10-25-56	same	same	same	3-2-58
MAIN TRANS. & ANT.	Mod. of CP(BPCT-662, as mod)	5-14-57			
L.F. to show new SL&extend completion date.					
BPCT-4341	10-25-56	same	same	same	AUX. TRANS. 1-10-54
Mod. CP(BPCT-1779, as mod) to extend completion date	5-14-57				
WIRE	10-26-56	Pending filing of Lic. Appl. ext. authority			
gr. to Opr. WJBK-TV	Main Transmitter temp. Per. End. 5-14-57				
Comm. basis accord. CP BMPCT-4340.					
wire	10-26-56	Pending filing of Lic. Appl., ext. authority			
gr. to Opr. WJBK-TV	Aux. Transmitter temp. Per. End. 5-14-57				
Comm. basis accord. CP BMPCT-4341.					
BPCT-4377	11-26-56	same	same	same	8-19-56
Mod. CP(BPCT-2133) AUX. ANT. to ext. compl. date	5-14-57				
BPCT-4377	11-26-56	same	same	same	8-19-56
Mod. CP(BPCT-2133) AUX. ANT. to ext. compl. date	5-14-57				
Supersedes above issued on incorrect form					
WIRE	11-29-56	PENDING FILING LIC. APPL. EXT. AUTH.			
OPR. AUXILIARY ANT. ACCORD. MPCT-4377 to 5-14-57.					
WIRE	1-31-57	PENDING FILING LIC. APPL. EXT. AUTH.			
& MOD. OPR. MAIN TR. & ANT. ACCORD. MPCT-4380 to	5-14-57				

B.S. CARD #7

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

PROC. TEST AUTH. 11-7-57 RE BLOT-745)

OPERATION 10-8-48

Date first licensed 6-26-50 (OFFICIAL NO. 43)

Call letters W J 3 K-TV

STATION LOCATION: DETROIT, MICHIGAN

Name of licensee STORER BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location 16550 West Nine Mile Road

Main studio location 7441 Second Avenue, Detroit, Michigan

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	CH#	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BPCT-4380	1-22-57	54-60	V-100 kw A-50 kw	U	3-2-53 5-14-57
MAIN TRANS. & ANT. Mod of CP (BPCT-662) to change type of driver unit & make other equip changes.					
BPCT-4649	4-22-57	same	same	same	5-14-57
Mod. CP (BPCT-622, as mod) to extend completion dt. 11-14-57 Main Trans & antenna					
BPCT-4650	4-22-57	same	same	same	5-14-57
Mod. CP (BPCT-1779) as mod) to extend completion dt 11-14-57 Auxiliary transmitter					
WIRE	4-29-57	PENDING FILING LIC. APPLICATIONS AUTH. EXT. OPR. MAIN & AUXILIARY TR. ACCORD. MPCT-4649 & MPCT-4650 to 11-14-57			
LETTER attorney.	8-19-57	Cancelling BRCT-43 at the request of gr. 9-8-55/ Revert to CP Status.			
WIRE	11-7-57	RE BLCT-745 PROGRAM TEST AUTH., MAIN TRANS AND ANTENNA, THIS AUTH. NOT APPLICABLE TO ALTERNATE DRIVER			
WIRE	11-14-57	RE BLCT-752 PROGRAM TEST AUTHORIZED RE PERMIT MPCT-4650 (AUXILIARY TRANS.)			
WIRE	5-15-58	RE BLCT-758 AUTH. GR. TO OPR. WJBK-TV AUX. ANT. ON PROGRAM TEST ACCORD. SEC. 3.629 RULES & CP			
BPCT-2427	5-15-58	CH#2	V-100 kw	U	5-15-58 10-1-58
License to cover CP (BPCT-662, as mod).					
BLCT-745	5-15-58	CH#2	A-50 kw	U	5-15-58 10-1-58
License to cover CP (BPCT-662, as mod).					
BLCT-752	5-15-58	CH#2	Emerg. Maint. test	U	5-15-58 10-1-58
AUX. TRANS.					
License to cover CP (BPCT-1779, as mod)					
BPCT-2427	5-15-58	CH#2	Emerg. Maint. test	U	7-15-58
AUX. ANT.					
CP to replace expired CP (BPCT-2133, as mod).					
BLCT-758	5-16-58	CH#2	Emerg. Maint. Test	U	5-16-58 10-1-58
AUX. ANT.					
License to cover CP (BPCT-2133, as mod.)					

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CARD # 8

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed _____

Call letters WJBR-TV

Station location _____

Name of licensee STORER BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location SEE CARD # 1

Main studio location SEE CARD # 1

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BRCT-43 MAIN TRANS. & ANTENNA.	9-24-58	SAME	SAME	SAME	10-1-58 10-1-61
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BRCT-43 AUXILIARY TRANSMITTER	9-24-58	SAME		Emerg. Test, Maint.	10-1-58 10-1-61
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BRCT-43 AUX. ANTENNA	9-24-58	SAME		Emerg. Test, Maint.	10-1-58 10-1-61
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
WIRE END. 2-6-59 AMPLIFIER OF MAIN TRANS.	1-28-59	AUTH. GR. OPR. WJBK-TV TEMP. FOR PER. USING TT-5A AUX. TRANS. AS DRIVER FOR FINAL			
BTC-3655	3-15-61	VOLUNTARY RELINQUISHMENT OF POSITIVE CONTROL OF LICENSE CORPORATION BY GEORGE B. STORER THRU SALE OF 263,000 SHARES OF COMMON STOCK TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC. EFF:			
BRCT-43 Main Trans. & Ant.	9-28-61	same	same	same	10-1-61 10-1-64
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BRCT-43 AUX. TRANS.	9-28-61	same	same	same	10-1-61 10-1-64
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BRCT-43 AUX. ANTENNA	9-28-61	same	same	same	10-1-61 10-1-64
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
WIRE GR. OPER. WJBK-TV POWER.	10-2-64	REURLET 30. PEND. FILING 301, EXT. AUTH TEMP. PER. ENDING 1-9-65 WITH RED. AURAL			
BRCT-43 AH:1000'	10-2-64	CH. #2 54-60	V-100kw A-50kw	U	10-2-64 10-1-67
RENEWAL OF LICENSE (CONDITION)					
BRCT-43 MAIN TRANS. & ANT	10-2-64	CH. #2 54-60	EMERG. TEST & MAINT. PURPOSES ONLY.		10-2-64 10-1-67
RENEWAL OF LICENSE (CONDITION)					
BRCT-43 AUX. TRANSMITTER	10-2-64	CH. #2 54-60mc.	EMERG. TEST & MAINT USE ONLY		10-1-64 10-1-67
RENEWAL OF LICENSE (CONDITION)					
BRCT-206 AH:1000'	12-9-64	CH. #2 54-60Mc	V-100kw A-10kw	U	12-9-64 10-1-67
RENEWAL OF LICENSE (CONDITION)					
BRCT-206 MAIN TRANS. & ANT.		Mod. of license to reduce Aural ERP and chg type of aural trans. (Condition)			

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Call letters **WJBK-TV**Station location **Detroit, Michigan**Name of licensee **STORER BROADCASTING COMPANY**Transmitter location **SEE CARD #1**Main studio location **SEE CARD #1**

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BRCT-43 MAIN TRANS. & ANT. AH: 1000	12-8-67	CH.2 54-60 RENEWAL	V-100kw A-10kw OF LICENSE	U	12-8-67 10-1-70
BRCT-43 AUX. TRANS. & ANT.	12-8-67	CH.2 54--60 RENEWAL	FOR EMER., TEST & MAINT. PURP. ONLY OF LICENSE		12-8-67 10-1-70
BMLCT-683 BRCT-43 AUX. TRANS. & ANT.	4-7-69 ML Superseded	to chg. Studio Location 6-19-70 to correct transmitters			
BRCT-43 MAIN TRANS. & ANT.	1-20-71	RENEWAL OF LICENSE & AUX. TRANS. & ANT. (L)			10-1-73
EBSA	5-15-72				
BPCT-4587	5-15-73	CP to install new Alt. Main trans.			7-15-73 11-15-74
Wire	6-21-73	Pending comp. construc. accord. BPCT 4587 & filing lic. applic. auth. gtd oper. temp. per. ending 9-21-73 accord steps one thru three of your request.			
Wire	11-9-73	Pending completion construction accord BPCT-4587 and filing lic. applic. extend auth. gtd. oper. temp. per. ending 12-20-73 acco steps 1 thru 3 of your request.			
WIRE	12-14-73	Pending completion construction accordance BPCT-4587 and filing license application, ex- tension authority granted operate WJBK-TV temporarily period ending March 20, 1974 accordance steps one thru three of your request. Advise when operation commences under each step of this authorization.			
WIRE	3-13-74	ABOVE AUTH. EXTENDED TO 6-20-74.			
WIRE	6-26-74	Above auth. extended to 9-20-74.			

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Call letters WJBK-TV

Station location

Name of licensee STORER BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location SEE CARD #1

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
WIRE	8-1-74	Re tendered lic. appl., auth. grtd. oper. WJBR-TV alt. main trans. and ant. on program test accord. Sect. 73.629 rules and CP BPCT-4587.			
BRCTV-179	10-21-74	Remote control authority.			
<u>Wire sent; not issued; to be issued with Renewal.</u>					
BTC-7931	1-21-76	INVOL. TC.			

BTC-8018	5-25-76	VOL A/L			
BRCT-43	8-31-76	Renewal of license (S)			10-1-76
MAIN TRANS. & ANT.		AUX. TRANS. & ANT			

BLCT-2323					
BRCT-43					
BRCTV-179	9-15-76	Ch. 2	V. 100 kW	U	10-1-79
AH: 1000'	MSL: ---	54-60	A. 10 kW		
Renewal and modification new alt. main trans.			Lic(BPCT-4587) to install		

BRCT-45	9-15-76	Ch. 2	FOR EMER, TEST AND MAIN PURPOSES ONLY		
Renewal of license		54-60	AUXI. TRANS. AND ANT.		

BRCT-790530KE	9-28-79	Renewal of license (S)			10-1-82

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			Nature	Date
B2-PCT-182 Rec'd Filed	12-20-46 12-30-46 12-30-46	Construction permit for new commercial television broadcast station. Frequencies: Channel No. 2 - 54-60 mcs. T & S: N.W. Corner of Woodward & Kirby Sts. Intersection, Detroit (Wayne), Michigan Hours of Operation: Unlimited. (Aural: RCA, TT-5A, max. power 2500 watts) (Visual: RCA, TT-5A, Max. rated (peak) power output - 5000w. Filed by John P. Carr, Atty.	GRANTED	3-20-47
BMPCT-80 Rec'd Filed	5-29-47 6-2-47 6-2-47	Mod. of C.P. (B2-PCT-182, which authorized a new commercial television broadcast station) to change frequencies from Ch. #2, 54-60 mcs. to Ch. #5, 76-82 mcs. Filed by Paul A. O'Bryan, Att'y. (no commencement & completion dates mentioned nor ext. of B2-PCT-182)	Dismissed without prejudice at request of applicant 3-12-48 (Order Docket #3554)	

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BMPCT-131 Rec'd Filed	10-24-47 10-28-47 10-28-47	Mod. of C.P. (BPCT-182, as mod., which authorized new commercial television b/c station) for extension of completion date from 11-20-47 to 5-20-48. Filed by John P. Carr, Att'y	GRANTED	11-24-47
BMPCT-212 Rec'd Fil d	4-17-48 4-21-48 4-21-48	Mod. of C.P. (BPCT-182, as mod. which authorized new commercial tel. b/c station) to change S & T-Location from N.W. Corner of Woodward & Kirby Sts. Intersection, Detroit, Mich. to 500 Temple St., Detroit, Mich. and At intersection of Lyndon St. & Cloverdale Ave. Detroit, Mich., respectively, change ERP from Vis. 14.26 kw, Aur. 7.51 kw, to Vis. 16.53 kw, Aur. 8.28 kw, change equipment and antenna system Filed by Thomas W. Wilson, Att'y (Vis. G.E. Type TT-7A, Aur. G.E. Type TT-8A)	GRANTED	6-9-48

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BMFCT-213 Rec'd Filed	4-17-48 4-21-48 4-21-48	Mod. of C.P. (BFCT-182, as mod. which authorized new commercial tel. b/c station) for extension of completion date from 5-20-48 to 120 days from grant of BMFCT-212. Filed by Thomas W. Wilson, Att'y	GRANTED	5-13-48
BMFCT-348 Rec'd Filed	10-15-48 10-20-48 10-20-48	Mod. of C.P. (BFCT-182, as mod., which authorized new commercial tel. b/c station) for extension of completion date from 11-20-48 to 5-20-49. Filed by P.A.O'Bryan, Atty	GRANTED	10-25-48
BMFCT-492 Rec'd & Filed	4-5-49 4-11-49	Mod. of CP (BFCT-182 as mod. which authorized new Comm. TV b/c station) for extension of completion date from 5-20-49 to 11-20-49. Filed by Blair L. Stout, Att'y.	GRANTED	4-19-49
BMFCT-631 Rec'd & Filed	10-12-49 10-17-49	Mod. of CP (BFCT-182 as mod. which authorized new Comm. TV B/c station) for extension of completion date from 11-20-49 to 5-20-50. Filed by P.A. O'Bryan, Atty.	GRANTED	10-24-49

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLCT-53 Recd & Filed	1-26-50 2-2-50	License to cover CP (BPCT-182 as mod. which authorized new Comm. TV B/c Station) & to indicate designation of transmitter location as 8009 Lyndon St., Detroit, Mich. in lieu of Lyndon St. and Cloverdale Ave., Detroit, Mich. (Not a move) Filed by P. A. O'Bryan, Atty.	GRANTED	6-26-50
BPCT-662 Recd & Filed	10-13-50 10-16-50	Construction permit to increase ERP from Vis. 16.5 kw, Aur. 8.3 kw, to Vis. 100 kw, Aur. 50 kw. to install new transmitters & antenna system, make other equipment changes and change from Metropolitan to Rural Classification. Vis. & Aur. G.E. TF-3-A	GRANTED	3-10-52
AMENDED Recd & Filed	8-15-51 8-17-51	AMENDED to change ERP from Vis. 100 KW, Aur. 50 KW to Vis. 3 KW, Aur. 1.5 KW, T-L from 8009 Lyndon St., Detroit, Mich. to On Line Mile Road 3/8 mile East of Southfield Road Near Southfield Township, Michigan, type of antenna. Make other antenna & equipment changes. To call request for change of transmitters. (Vis. G.E. TT-7A Aur. G.E. TT-8A)		1000

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BPCT-664 Recd & Filed	10-17-50 10-19-50	Construction permit to install Auxiliary transmitter at main transmitter site of station WJBK-TV, ERP Vis. 1.48 kw, Aur. 0.83 KW. (Vis. & Aur. RCA TT-5 A)	GRANTED	11-1-50
BPCT-43 Recd & Filed	11-22-50 11-24-50	Renewal of license (direct)	GRANTED	1-29-51
BPCT-89 Recd & Filed	12-26-50 12-29-50	License to cover CP (BPCT-664) which authorized Auxiliary transmitter for existing station. (Direct).	GRANTED	2-1-51
BPCT-43 Recd & Filed (MAIN & AUX)	10-30-51 11-1-51	Renewal of License (MAIN & AUXILIARY) (Filed direct) (BPCT-662)	GRANTED	2-25-52
BPCT-1 Recd & Filed	5-19-52 5-29-52	Construction permit & Mod. of License to change corporate name from The Fort Industry Company to Storer Broadcasting Company. (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Filed by Paul A. O'Bryan, Atty.	GRANTED	6-30-52

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
EMPCT-880 Rec'd Filed	7-8-52 7-16-52 7-16-52	Mod. of CP (BPCT-662 which authorized changes for existing station) to change ERP from Vis. 3 KW, Aur. 1.5 KW to Vis. 100 KW, Aur. 50.1 KW, add power amplifiers to transmitters. (Vis. G.E. TT-7A, Aur. G. E. TT-8A, Present transmitters. Add Power Amplifiers Vis. & Aur. G.E. TF-3A to transmitters). Filed by Wm. P. Sims, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED ERP: 100kw Vis. 50kw Aur.	1-2-53
BRCT-43 Main & Aux. Rec'd & Filed	6-24-52 6-30-52	Renewal of License Filed by William P. Sims, Jr., Attorney	GRANTED	9-18-52
BMPCT-911 R c'd. Filed	10-8-52 10-10-52 10-10-52	Mod. of C. P. (BPCT-662 as mod., which authorized changes in existing Comm. TV B/C station) for extension of completion date from 11-10-52 to 5-10-53. Filed by P. A. O'Bryan, Atty.	GRANTED	10-23-52

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			Nature	Date
BRCT-43 Rec'd & Filed Main & Aux.	6-18-53 6-29-53	Renewal of License. Filed by William P. Sims, Jr., Attorney	GRANTED	9-16-53
BPCT-1293 Rec'd Filed	8-3-53 8-5-53 8-5-53	Mod. of construction permit (BPCT-662, as mod. which authorized changes in existing station) for extension of completion date from September 2, 1953 to March 2, 1954. Filed by Thomas H. Wall, Atty.	GRANTED	8-14-53
BPCT-1779 Recd. Filed	10-1-53 10-12-53 10-12-53	CP to install additional auxiliary transmitters, at main trans. site, to be used in connection with outstanding CP (BPCT-662, as mod.) to operate on Ch. # 2, 54-60 Mcs., ERP Vis. 25.2 kw, Aur. 12.8 kw. (Vis. and Aur. RCA-TT-5A) Filed by William P. Sims, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED <i>jr</i>	11-10-53

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BNPCT-1878 Recd. Filed (MAIN) TRANS. & ANT.)	2-12-54 2-17-54 2-17-54	Mod. of CP(HPCT-662, as mod., which authorized changes in facilities of existing Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 3-2-54 to 9-2-54. Filed by Wm. P. Sims, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	2-23-54
BNPCT-1879 Recd. Filed (AUX. TRANS)	2-12-54 2-17-54 2-17-54	Mod. of CP(HPCT-1779, which authorized auxiliary transmission changes in facilities of existing Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 3-2-54 to 9-2-54. Filed by William P. Sims, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	2-23-54

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BPCT-1987 Recd. Filed (MAIN)	3-15-54	Mod. of CP(BPCT-662, as mod., which author- ized changes in facilities of existing Comm. TV B/C Station) to install an alternate driver to transmitter. Filed by Wm. P. Sims, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	3-30-54
	3-18-54			
	3-18-54			
BPCT-2378 Recd. Filed MAIN	8-2-54	Mod. of CP(BPCT-662, as mod., which author- ized changes in facilities of existing Comm. TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date from 9-2-54 to 3-2-55. Filed by Wm. P. Sims, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	8-17-54
	8-4-54			
	8-4-54			
BPCT-2379 Recd. Filed AUX. TRANS.	8-2-54	Mod. of CP(BPCT-1779, as mod., which author- ized an Auxiliary Transmitter at main Trans. site) to extend completion date from 9-2-54 to 3-2-55. Filed by Wm. P. Sims, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	8-20-54
	8-4-54			
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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BPCOT-43	6-28-54	Renewal of license	GRANTED	9-22-54
Recd	7-2-54	Filed by Alfred C. Cordon, Jr. Atty.		
Filed	7-30-54			
BPCOT-2889	1-31-55	Modification of CP (BPCOT-1779, as mod., which	GRANTED	3-2-55
Recd & filed	2-4-55	auth. Auxiliary Transmitters at main		
AUX. TRANS		transmitter site) to extend completion date		
		from 3-2-55 to 5-1-55		
		Filed by Wm. P. Sims, Jr. Atty.		
BPCOT-2890	1-31-55	Mod. of CP (BPCOT-662, as mod., which auth.	GRANTED	3-2-55
Recd & filed	2-4-55	changes in facilities of existing comm. TV		
MAIN TRANS & ANT		B/C station) to extend completion date from		
		3-2-55 to 5-1-55		
		Filed by Wm. P. Sims, Jr. Atty.		
BPCOT-3245	6-28-55	Modification of CP (BPCOT-662 as mod., which	GRANTED	8-5-55
Recd & filed	7-7-55	auth. changes in facilities of existing comm.		
Main trans. & antenna		TV b/c station) to chg. type of antenna and		
		make other equipment change. (1000)		
		Filed by Thomas J. Dougherty, Atty.		

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCT-43	6-3-55	Renewal of license	GRANTED	9-28-55
Recd & filed	6-6-55	Filed by Thomas H. Wall, Atty.		
Main trans. & ant.				
BPCT-3221	8-2-55	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1779, as mod., which authorized		
Ext. # 14	8-3-55	Auxiliary Transmitters at main transmitter site		
AUX TRANS.		to extend completion date from 9-2-55 to	GRANTED	8-12-55
		2-2-56		
		Filed direct.		
BPCT-	8-2-55	Mod. of CP (BPCT-662, as mod., which author-		
Recd.	8-3-55	ized changes in facilities of existing Comm.		
MAIN TRANS. & ANTENNA		TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from		
		9-2-55 to 2-2-56.		
		Filed Direct.		
BPCT-	8-19-55	Mod. of C.P. (PCT-1799, as mod., which auth-		
Recd.	8-22-55	orized Auxiliary transmitters at Main		
		transmitter site) to change antenna data. to		
		accord with Main antenna data.		
		Filed direct		
		F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.		
			Retd. to applicant	
			Letter 8-26-55, inas-	
			much as BPCT-1779 was	
			superseded to eliminate	
			all reference to anten-	
			na, rendering instant	
			application unnecessary	

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BNPCT-3512 Recd. & Filed MAIN TRANS. & ANTENNA	11-2-55 11-3-55	Mod. of CP (NPCT-662, as mod., which authorized changes in facilities of existing Comm. TV B/C Station) to install new antenna system and make other equipment changes. Filed direct. (1000')	GRANTED	11-14-55
BNPCT-3636 Recd. & Filed Ext. # 5 AUX. TRANS.	12-14-55 12-15-55	Mod. Of CP (NPCT-1779, as mod., which authorized auxiliary transmitters at main transmitter site) to extend completion date from 2-2-56 to 5-14-56. Filed direct.	GRANTED	1-4-56
BNPCT-3864 Recd & Filed Ext. # MAIN TRANS. & ANTENNA	4-4-56 4-5-56	Mod. of CP (NPCT-662, as mod., which authorized changes in facilities of existing Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 5-14-56 to 11-14-56. Filed Direct	GRANTED	4-17-56
BNPCT-3868 Recd & Filed Ext. #6 AUX. TRANS.	4-4-56 4-5-56	Mod. of CP (NPCT-1779, as mod., which authorized auxiliary transmitters at main transmitter site) to extend completion date from 5-14-56 to 11-14-56. Filed Direct	GRANTED	4-17-56

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPCT-2133	5-14-56	CP to maintain antenna facilities authorized in STA dated 4-25-56 as an auxiliary antenna (854')	GRANTED	6-19-56
Recd & Filed	5-18-56	Filed direct		
(Aux. Antenna)				
BPCT-4340	10-15-56	Mod. of CP(BPCT-662, as mod., which authorized changes in facilities of existing Comm. TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date from 11-14-56 to 5-14-57. Filed direct.	GRANTED	10-25-56
Recd. & filed	10-16-56			
Ext. #9				
MAIN TRANS. & ANT.				
BPCT-4341	10-15-56	Mod. of CP(BPCT-1779, as mod., which authorized auxiliary transmitters at main transmitter site) to extend completion date from 11-14-56 to 5-14-57. Filed direct.	GRANTED	10-25-56
Recd. & filed	10-16-56			
Ext. #7				
AUX. TRANS.				
BPCT-4377	11-7-56	Mod. of CP(BPCT-2133, which authorized CP to maintain antenna facilities authorized in STA dated 4-25-56 as an Auxiliary Antenna. Filed direct.	GRANTED	11-26-56
Recd. & filed	11-8-56	to extend completion date from 12-18-56 to 5-14-57.		
Ext. #1				
AUX. ANTENNA				

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BMPCT-4380 RECD & FILED MAIN TRANS. & ANTENNA	11-13-56 11-14-56	Mod. of CP (BPCT-662 as mod. which auth. changes in facilities of existing Comm. TV B/c Station) to change type of driver unit & make other equipment changes. (VIS. & AUR. G.E. TF-3A plus RCA TT-6AL DRIVER) Filed direct.	GRANTED	1-22-57
BMPCT-4649 Recd. & filed Ext. #11 MAIN TRANS. & ANTENNA	4-8-57 4-11-57	Mod. of CP (BPCT-662, as mod., which authorized changes in facilities of existing Comm. TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date from 5-14-57 to 11-14-57. Filed direct.	GRANTED	4-22-57
BMPCT-4650 Recd. & filed Ext. # 8 AUX. TRANS.	4-8-57 4-11-57	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1779, as mod., which authorized Aux. Trans. at Main Trans. site) to extend completion date from 5-14-57 to 11-14-57. Filed direct.	GRANTED	4-22-57
BLCT-745 Recd & filed MAIN TRANS. & ANT.	10-29-57 11-1-57	License to cover CP (BPCT-662, as mod.) which authorized changes in facilities of existing Comm. TV B/C station. Filed by Robert F. Jones, atty.	GRANTED	5-15-58 ✓

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BLCT-752 Recd. & filed Aux. Trans.	11-8-57 11-12-57	License to cover Construction Permit (BPCT-1779, as modified) which authorized installation of auxiliary transmitter at main transmitter site. Filed by Robert F. Jones, Atty.	GRANTED	5-15-58
BPCT-2427 Recd & Filed AUX. ANT.	11-13-57 11-15-57	CP to replace expired construction permit (BPCT-2133, as mod.) which maintains antenna facilities authorized in STA dated 4-25-56 as an auxiliary antenna. (GE TY-50A) Robert F. Jones, Atty. (Lic. to cover filed simultaneously - see Card 16)	GRANTED	5-15-58

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLCT-758 Recd & Filed AUX. ANT.	11-13-57 11-15-57	Lic. to cover CP (BPCT-2133, as mod., as replaced by BPCT-2427) which maintains antenna facilities auth. in STA dated 4-25-56 as an aux. ant. (GE TY-50A) Robert F. Jones, Atty. (Contingent on grant of BPCT-2427 - filed simultaneously herewith) -- see Card #15	GRANTED	5-16-58
BRCT-43 Recd. & Filed MAIN TRANS. & ANT.	6-17-58 6-20-58	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Filed by R F Jones, Atty.	GRANTED	9-24-58
BRCT-43 Recd. & Filed AUX. TRANS.	6-17-58 6-20-58	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Filed by R F Jones, Atty.	GRANTED	9-24-58
BRCT-43 Recd. & Filed AUX. ANT.	6-17-58 6-20-58	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Filed by R F Jones, Atty.	GRANTED	9-24-58

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRG-3655 R & F Main trans & antenna AUXILIARY TRANSMITTER AUX ANTENNA	1-9-61 1-11-61	Voluntary relinquishment of positive control of licensee corporation by George B. Storer thru sale of 253,000 shares of common stock to the General Public Robert F. Jones, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	3-15-61
BRCT-43 R & F Main Trans & Ant.	6-7-61 6-22-61	Renewal of license Filed by Robert F. Jones, Atty.	GRANTED	9-28-61
BRCT-43 R & F Aux. Trans.	6-7-61 6-22-61	Renewal of license Filed by Robert F. Jones, Atty.	GRANTED	9-28-61
BRCT-43 R & F Aux. Antenna	6-7-61 6-22-61	Renewal of License Filed by Robert F. Jones, Atty.	GRANTED	9-28-61

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File No.	Dated	Application for	
BRLCT-43 Recd.&Filed Main Trans. & Antenna	6-18-64 7-1-64	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	* GRANTED 9-18-64 but RECONSIDERED AND * RE-GRANTED 10-2-64 with CONDITION re proceeding in Docket #15415
BRLCT-43 Recd.&Filed AUX. TRANS.	6-18-64 7-1-64	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	* GRANTED 10-2-64 SAME COND.
BRLCT-43 Recd.&Filed AUX. ANTENNA	6-18-64 7-1-64	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	* GRANTED 10-2-64 SAME COND.
BMLCT-206 Recd.&Filed MAIN TRANS. & ANTENNA	10-26-64 10-29-64	Mod. of License to reduce Aural ERP from 50 kw to 10 kw and change type of aural transmitter to RCA TT6AL.	GRANTED 12-9-64

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BRCT-43 R & F MAIN TRANS. & ANTENNA	6-22-67 6-28-67	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	12-8-67
BRCT-43 R & F AUX. TRANS.	6-22-67 6-28-67	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	12-8-67
BRCT-43 R & F AUX. ANTENNA	6-22-67 6-28-67	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	12-8-67
JUL 17 1967				
BMLCT-683 R & F \$30 #499929 PRESS	3-18-69 " " MAR 21 1969	ML to change studio location to 16550 West Nine Mile Road, Southfield, Michigan	GRANTED Condition. Will become effective upon notification by the licensee to the Comm. that operation has commenced from the new studio location.	4-7-69

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BRCT-43	6-22-70	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	1-20-71
R & F	6-30-70	Warren C. Zwicky, Atty.		
#612627 \$180	6-30-70	(Main Trans. & Ant., and Auxiliary Trans.		
PRESS	6-30-70	& Ant.)		
P N recd	JUL 20 1970 6-30-70	Amended 7-17-70 re programming.		
ENGR. DATA FILED 7-7-70		Amended 9-22-70 re commercial practices.		
SEE OTHER SIDE FOR PETITIONS				
BPCT-4587	2-16-73	CP to install new Alternate Main Transmitters	GRANTED	5-15-73
R & F	2-20-73	(RCA TT-30FL).		
155197 \$50	2-20-73			
AC-062				
✓ PRESS:	MAR 8 1973			

BRCT-43

PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION ORDER DISMISSING INFORMAL COMPLAINT filed 2-22-71 by
Inter-Faith Centers for Racial Justice, Inc.

Ltr. from Citizens Communications Center filed 2-25-71 submitting new originals of affidavits
to replace those filed 2-22-71

OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 4-20-71 by Warren Zwicky for WJBK-TV

MOTION FOR WAIVER OF RULE LIMITING LENGTH OF REPLY filed 5-20--71 by Inter-Faith Centers

MOTION TO STRIKE AND REMOVE filed 5-20-71 by Inter-Faith Centers

OPPOSITION TO MOTION TO STRIKE AND REMOVE filed 5-24-71 by Warren Zwicky.

RESPONSE TO REPLY filed 6-21-71 by Warren Zwicky pfor Storer B/C

MOTION TO STRIKE, OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE, TO ACCEPT SUPPLEMENTAL PLEADING, filed 6-21-71
by Warren Zwicky.

RESPONSE to Motion to Strike filed 7-26-71 by Alan W. Kamens for Inter-Faith Centers.

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE STATEMENT filed 10-26-71 by Warren Zwicky for Storer B/C Co.

STATEMENT CONCERNING REPRESENTATION BY COUNSEL AND PARTICIPATION OF COMMISSIONER filed
10-26-71 by Zwicky for Storer.

RESPONSE TO "STATEMENT CONCERNING REPRESENTATION BY COUNSEL AND PARTIFIPATION OF COMMISSIONER"
filed 11-22-71 by Inter-Faith Centers

OPPOSITION TO "MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE STATEMENT" AND MOTION TO STRIKE AND REMOVE" filed
11-22-71 by Inter-Faith Centers.

REPLY TO RESPONSE filed 12-2-71 by Warren Zwicky for Storer B/C Co.

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BRCT-43 CONTINUED		SEE OTHER SIDE.		
BRCT-43	6-20-73	RENEWAL OF LICENSE		
R & F	7-3-73	MAIN TRANS. & ANT. - AUX. TRANS. & ANT.	GRANTED	8-31-76
PN recd.	7-3-73	Amended 7-20-73 re other business interests	COMMISSION ACTION	
Press: JUL 26 1973		Amended 8-27-73 re other business interest	(See other side of 20B)	
		Amended ' ' re programming		
		AMENDED 9-20-73 re equal employment		
		AMENDED 11-16-73 re stockholders & stockholdings		
Ltr. 12-3-73 from Arthur		B. Goodkind on behalf of WJBK-TV submitting copies of letters from		
Ltr. 12-3-73 from Arthur		viewers opposing agreements with NOW		
Ltr. 11-19-74 from Goodkind		submitting ltr. re opposition to ERA - to Dave Weston		11-20-74
		Ltr. 3-18-76 from Warren C. Zwicky on behalf		(orig. only)
		of WJBK re equal employment.		

MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER Adopted June 27, 1973, Released July 6, 1973, FCC 73-710 97668:
IT IS ORDER, That the Inter-Faith Centers for Racial Justice, Inc.'s Motion to Strike and Remove, filed May 20, 1971, IS DENIED; IT IS FURTHER ORDER, That Storer Broadcasting Co.'s Motion to Strike or, In the Alternative, to Accept Supplemental Pleading and Supplemental Pleading entitled Response to Reply, concurrently filed July 26, 1971, IS DENIED, in part, and GRANTED, in part; IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That Storer's Motion for Leave to File Statement Concerning Representation by Counsel and Participation of Commissioner, filed November 23, 1971, IS DENIED; IT IS FURTHER ORDER, That the Inter-Faith Centers for Racial Justice, Inc.'s petition for reconsideration, filed February 22, 1971, as amended February 25, 1971, IS DENIED.

Memo 7-31-73 from Joseph A. Marino giving notification that on 7-27-73 Inter-Faith Centers for Racial Justice, Inc. filed 402(b) appeal in U. S. Court of Appeals for D. C. Circuit.

PETITION TO DENY RENEWAL filed 9-4-73 by Earle K. Moore and Andrew Jay Schwartzman on behalf of Detroit Media Coalition.

PETITION TO DENY RENEWAL OF BROADCAST LICENSE filed 8-31-73 by William T. Downs on behalf of Inter faith centers for Racial Justice, Inc. -----

Ltr. 8-27-73 from Warren C. Zwicky submitting statements re WJBK-TV's employment policies and practices to Shiber 9-13-73 -----

Supplement to Petition to Deny filed 9-10-73 by Detroit Media Coalition

Supplement to Petition to Deny filed 9-17-73 by Andrew J. Schwartzman Counsel

Supplement to Peitition to deny filed 9-17-73 by Andrew J. Schwartzman on behalf of Detroit Media Coalition against WJBK-TV.

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MOTION FOR FURTHER EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO PETITIONS TO DENY <u>Arthur Goodkind on behalf of Storer Broadcasting Company</u> ----- LTR 10-4-73 by The Detroit Media Coalition, group filed a petition to deny WJBK-TV renewal application.			filed 10-4-73 by	
MOTION FOR ONE DAY EXTENSION FOR FILING OF REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY, TIMELY SERVED ON THE LICENSEE BUT WITH DUPLICATION COMPLETED SHORTLY AFTER THE COMMISSION'S CLOSE OF BUSINESS filed 1-8-74 by Franky Lloyd on behalf of Inter-Faith Centers for Racial Justice. In REPLY TO RESPONSE OF STORER BROADCASTING COMPANY TO NEW ALLEGATIONS IN REPLY PLEADINGS filed 2-19-74 by Earle Moore on behalf of Detroit Media Coalition				
MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER adopted 2-18-76, released 3-4-76 FCC 76-147 39385: Therefore, IT IS ORDERED, That the Petition to Deny filed by the Detroit Media Coalition IS DENIED. 402(b) appeal filed by Detroit Media Coalition 3-31-76.				

OPPOSITION OF STORER BROADCASTING COMPANY TO PETITIONS TO DENY filed 10-25-73 by Arthur B. Goodkind on behalf of Storer Broadcasting Company

Ltr. 11-6-73 from Inter-Faith Centers for Racial Justice supporting Detroit Media Coalition's request for extension of time to file reply pleadings.

Additional information relating to October 25, 1973 opposition of Storer filed 11-7-73 by Goodkind on behalf of Storer Broadcasting Company.

REPLY TO OPPOSITION OF STORER BROADCASTING COMPANY TO PETITIONS TO DENY filed 1-8-74 by Earle Moore on behalf of Detroit Media Coalition

REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY filed 1-8-74 by Frank Lloyd on behalf of Inter-Faith Centers for Racial Justice, Inc.

AFFIDAVIT REFERRING TO DETROIT MEDIA COALITION PETITION TO DENY from Ms. Lavon Bliesener.

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE ADDITIONAL PLEADING filed 2-4-74 by Arthur B. Goodkind on behalf of Storer Broadcasting Company.

RESPONSE OF STORER BROADCASTING COMPANY TO NEW ALLEGATIONS IN REPLY PLEADINGS filed 2-4-74 by Arthur B. Goodkind on behalf of Storer Broadcasting Company

MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER adopted 8-31-76, released 9-14-76 FCC 76-823 42140: Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED, That the petition to deny filed by Inter-Faith Centers for Racial Justice, Inc., IS DENIED. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the above-captioned application for renewal of license IS GRANTED, subject to whatever action, if any, the Commission may deem appropriate upon final determination of the employment discrimination complaint filed by Jymmie Turner now pending before the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (Charge No. TDT51892); provided, That the licensee shall immediately notify the Commission of the final disposition of each case.

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BRCTV-179 R & F #268840 \$50 AC: 058 PRESS:	1-7-74 1-15-74 1-15-74	Request authority to operate trans. by remote control from 16550 West Nine Mile Road, Southfield, Michigan. Atty.: Warren C. Zwicky AMENDED 7-15-74 re Engineering.	GRANTED Wire sent; not issued; to be issued with Renewal.	10-21-74
ELCT-2323 R & F #327654 \$50 AC: 058 PRESS:	7-18-74 7-19-74 7-19-74	License to cover (EPCT-4587) to install new Alt. Main transmitters. Atty: Judith A. Mitnick	GRANTED Issued with Renewal & BRCTV-179.	9-15-76
ETC-7931 R & F PRESS: Form 316 For Fee see MTH am	1-12-76 1-13-76 JAN 1976	Involuntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from George B. Storer to Peter Storer and Stuart W. Patton, Executors of the Estate of George B. Storer, Deceased. Atty: Warren C. Zwicky	GRANTED EFF:	1-21-76

Ltr. 1-27-76 from Arthur Goodking on behalf of WJBK submitting material re
final disposition of employment charges against station - to James Hobson
1-28-76.

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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HTC-8018 R & F #562224 \$100 AC: 047 PRESS: (Form 316)	4-26-76	Voluntary relinquishment of de facto control of licensee corporation by Peter Storer and Stuart W. Patton, Executors of the Estate of George B. Storer, Deceased, thru transfer of stock by the Executors to the licensee corporation; The Miami Heart Institute, Inc. and The Detroit Bank and Trust Company. Atty.: Richard M. Riehl (Haley, Bader & Potts)	GRANTED	5-25-76
	4-30-76		EFF	7-21-76
	4-30-76			
	11 MAY 1976			
BRCT-43 R&F PN RECD PRESS	5-24-76	SUPPLEMENTAL RENEWAL OF LICENSE (Main Trans. & Ant.)(Aux. Trans. & Ant.) Atty.: Warren C. Zwicky Amended 8-3-76 re additional information	GRANTED	9-15-76
	6-1-76		Issued with HCT-2323 & BRCTV-179	
	6-1-76			
	14 JUL 1976			

PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION OF THE RENEWAL OF LICENSE OF STORER BROADCASTING COMPANY TO OPERATE TELEVISION STATION WJBK filed 10-15-76 by The Metropolitan Detroit Chapter of the National Organisation for Women. (Sent license folder & Petition to Arnold Spevack 712 10-18-76)

AFFIDAVIT filed by Susan Zakrzewski on behalf of ~~above~~. - to Arnold Spevack 712 on 10-27-76

MOTION TO DISMISS PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 10-29-76 by Arthur Goodkind on behalf of Storer Broadcasting Company (WJBK-TV)

MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER adopted 1-12-77, released 1-28-77 FCC 77-45 43807: Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED, That the "Petition for Reconsideration of the Renewal of License of Storer Broadcasting Company to operate Station WJBK-TV" on October 15, 1976, IS DENIED. IT IS ALSO ORDERED, That the "Motion to Dismiss Petition for Reconsideration" filed by NOW on October 29, 1976, IS DENIED.

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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 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 television station history.

