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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

File operation: 5-21-48

WNEV-TV (5-13-82)

Date first licensed 3-9-51 (Official #63)

Call letters XWNEV-TV

XRKO GENERAL, INC. (BMLCT-73 12-17-59) WNEV-TV, INC.

(Sta. Loc. Boston, Mass.)

RKO RADIO PICTURES, INC. (BMLCT-36 1-25-50) (5-13-82)

X RKO RADIO PICTURES, INC. (BALCT-29 gr. 12-13-55 Eff: 12-30-55)

X GENERAL TELE. RADIO, INC. (ML 7-24-52)

X THOMAS S. LEE ENTERPRISES, INC. (BAI-11 Gr. 5-2-51 Eff: 5-2-51)

Name of licensee X THE YANKEE NETWORK, INCORPORATED

Tower Road, Newton, Mass. (BPCT-3057 3-27-63)

Transmitter location X Murray Street, Medford, Mass.

Main studio location X 21 Brookline Ave., Boston, Mass. (Lt. EFF: 10-28-68)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BPCT-186	10-2-47	Ch. 7, 174-180 mcs.	Eff. rad. power: Vis. 32.7 kw, Aur. 32.7 kw	U	12-2-47 6-2-48
C.P. for a new commercial television broadcast station.					
BPCT-222	6-2-48	Same	Same	Same	12-2-47 12-2-48
Mod. of C.P. (BPCT-186) for extension of completion date.					
6-21-48 STA to operate on Comm. basis period beginning June 21, 1948 and ending no event later than September 20, 1948, in exact accordance with current C.P.					
9-17-48 Ext. STA to operate on Commercial basis, etc., period 9-21-48 to 12-2-48.					
BPCT-371	12-2-48	Same	Same	Same	12-2-47 3-1-49
Mod. of C.P. (BPCT-186 as mod.) for ext. of completion date.					
11-23-48 Ext. STA to operate on commercial basis etc., period 12-3-48 to 3-1-49.					
2-28-49 Ext. STA to operate on commercial basis etc., period 3-2-49 to 6-1-49.					
BPCT-447	2-24-49	Same	Same	Same	12-2-47 6-1-49
Mod. of C.P. (BPCT-186 as mod.) for ext. of completion date.					
BPCT-513	5-12-49	Same	Same	Same	12-2-47 9-1-49
Mod. of C.P. (BPCT-186 as mod.) for ext. of completion date.					
5-18-49 Mod. and Ext. of STA to operate on a commercial basis for the period 5-18-49 ending no event later than 9-1-49 with ERP of 26.6 kw for Vis. and 13.3 kw for Aur. operation; antenna, 437 feet above ground or 607 feet above mean sea level, power gain is 6.4; otherwise exact accordance with current construction permit.					
BPCT-516	6-10-49	Same	V-26.6 A-13.3.	Same	12-2-47 9-1-49
Mod. of CP (BPCT-186 as mod.) to change ERP and change type of antenna.					

Date first licensed

Call letters WYAC-TVName of licensee THE YANKEE NETWORK, INCORPORATEDTransmitter location See Card #1Main studio location See Card #1

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BMPCT-577	8-1-49	Same	Same	Same	12-2-47 12-1-49
Mod. of CP (BPCT-186 as mod.) for ext. of completion date.					
	8-19-49	Mod. and Ext. of STA operate on commercial basis, period 9-2-49 to 12-1-49, in exact accordance with current CP.			
BMPCT-641	11-10-49	Same	Same	Same	12-2-47 3-1-50
Mod. of CP (BPCT-186 as mod.) for ext. of completion date.					
	11-23-49	EXT STA operate on comm. basis etc. period 12-2-49 to 3-1-50.			
BMPCT-696	2-1-50	Same	Same	Same	12-2-47 9-1-50
Mod. of CP (BPCT-186 as mod.) for ext. of completion date.					
	2-1-50	EXT STA operate on comm. basis etc. period 3-2-50 to 9-1-50			
BMPCT-755	8-4-50	Same	Same	Same	12-2-47 3-1-51
Mod. of CP (BPCT-186 as mod.) for ext. of completion date.					
	8-18-50	EXT STA operate on comm. basis etc. period 9-2-50 to 3-1-51.			
BALCT-85	3-9-51	Ch. #7, V-26.6 kv U 174-180 A-13.3 kv Nos. BMPCT-755			3-9-51 2-1-52
License to cover CP (BPCT-186 as mod.)					
BALCT-11 EFF:	5-2-51 5-2-51	Voluntary assignment of license from The Yankee Network, Incorporated to Thomas S. Lee Enterprises, Inc.			
BRCT-63	1-30-52	Same	Same	Same	2-1-52 4-1-52 Renewal of license
BRCT-63	3-26-52	Same	Same	Same	4-1-52 4-1-53 Renewal of license
BALCT-10	7-24-52	Mod. of license to change corporate name to General Teleradio, Inc.			7-24-52 4-1-53
BPCT-840	11-5-52	Same	Same	Same	1-5-53 7-5-53
Construction permit to change antenna make antenna changes					

See Card No. 73

Date first licensed

Call letters WHAC-TVName of licensee GENERAL TELERADIO, INC.Transmitter location See Card #1Main studio location See Card #1

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
Wire	1-16-53	STA granted on an interim basis during change over in connection with CP (EPCT-840) to operate with single section superturnstile antenna side mounted on existing 350-foot tower. Trans. output power 5 kw Vis., 2.5 kw Aur. Period 1-16-53 to 2-16-53.			
Wire	2-13-53	STA operate on a commercial basis in exact accordance with CPEPCT-840 beginning 2-13-53 to 6-6-53.			
Wire	2-13-53	STA operate on an emergency basis during changeover in connection with CP (EPCT-840) to operate with single section superturnstile antenna side mounted on existing 350-foot tower. Trans. output power 5 kw Vis., 2.5 kw. pending receipt of verified request. Period 2-16-53 to 2-26-53.			
Wire	2-26-53	STA on an interim basis in connection with CP EPCT-840 to operate with six section GE antenna mounted on top of existing 350-foot tower. Trans. output power 5 kw Vis., 2.5 kw Aur. Period 2-26-53 to 4-26-53.			
Wire	2-25-53	EXT STA 2-25-53 to 3-7-53. STA granted on 1-16-53 was extended for 10 days.			
BMPCT-1015	3-13-53	same	V-220 A-110.	U	5-13-53 11-13-53
Mod. C.P. (EPCT-840)/ add power amplifiers to present transmitting equipment.					
Wire	3-24-53	STA operate emergency basis pending receipt of verified request. Single section superturnstile antenna side mounted on existing 350-foot tower during changeover in connection with BMPCT-1015. Transmitter output 5 kw visual, 2.5 kw aural. Period 3-25-53 to 4-9-53.			
BRCT-63	3-4-53	SAME	SAME	SAME	4-1-53 4-1-54 Renewal of License
Wire	4-22-53	STA operate commercial basis exact accordance BMPCT-1015. Period 4-22-53 to 10-22-53.			
WIRE	10-15-53	Ext. STA operate comm. basis exact accord. CP BMPCT-1015. Period ending November 13, 1953.			
WIRE	10-29-53	STA operate comm. basis exact accord. CP BMPCT-1019, trans. power output 30.2 kw vis, 15.1 kw aural. Period ending March 14, 1954.			

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CARD #4

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD COMMERCIAL TV

Date first licensed

Call letters WNA C - TV

Name of licensee GENERAL TELERADIO, INC.

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-1449	10-27-53	same	V. 316 kw A. 158 kw	U	5-13-53 3-13-54
Mod. CP (BPCT-840 as mod) to change ERP & make minor changes in equipment.					
Wire	3-31-54	Comm. granted deferred action on appli. for renewal of license pending further consideration of appli. under the administrative procedure act, continued operation authorized until final determination on appli.			
BICT-168 BRCT-63	10-27-54	CH 7	V-316kw A-158kw	U	10-27-54 4-1-57
Lic. to cover CP (BPCT-840) as modified and RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BALCT-29	12-12-55	Vol. assignment of License from General Eff: 12-30-55 Teleradio, Inc. to RKO Radio Pictures, Inc.			
BMLCT-36	1-25-56	Mod. of Lic. to chg. corporate name to RKO Teleradio Pictures, Inc.			
BRCT-63	3-13-57	same	same	same	4-1-57 4-1-60
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BMLCT-73	12-17-59	same	same	same	4-1-57 4-1-60
Mod. of Lic. to change name from RKO Teleradio Pictures, Inc. TO RKO GENERAL, INC.					
BRCT-63	4-8-60	CH #7	V-316 kw A-158 kw	U	4-8-60 4-1-63
AH: 480' RENEWAL OF LICENSE. LF to show new name					
BRCT-63	4-8-60	CH#7	V-316 kw A-158 kw	U	4-8-60 4-1-63
SUPERSEDED ltr. 1-25-63 To correct Aural Type & FM call lts.					
BPCT-3057	3-27-63	CH.7	V-316 kw A-158 kw	U	5-27-63 11-27-63
AH: 1000' CP to chg. TL, type of trans., type of ant. AH. antenna system.					
ACTION ON RENEWAL DEFERRED 3-27-63					
BMPCT-5913	2-18-64	same	same	same	5-27-63
Mod. of CP (BPCT-3057) to extend completion date 2-27-64					
WIRE	2-14-64	RE TENDERED LIC. APPL. AUTH. GR. OPERATE			
ONAC-TV ON PROGRAM TEST ACCORD. SECTION 73.629 RULES & CP BMPCT-5913 & SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS CONTAINED THEREIN.					
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COMMERCIAL TV

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

CARD #5

Date first licensed

Call letters WNAC-TV

Station location

Name of licensee RKO GENERAL, INC.

Transmitter location SEE CARD #1

Main studio location SEE CARD #1

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

WNAC-TV

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BRCT-63	8-5-64	same	same	same	8-5-64 4-1-66
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BLCT-1345	10-13-64	CH. #7	V-316kw	U	10-13-64
AH:1000' MSL:1184'		174-180	A-158kw		4-1-66
License to cover CP (BPCT-3057 as mod.) which authorized changes in existing station					
BMLCT-343	11-2-65	same	same A. 63.1kw	U	11-2-65 4-1-66
BRCT-63	3-24-66	same	same	same	4-1-66 4-1-69
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
EBSA	5-15-72				
BTC-7097	3-27-73	Vol. TC			
Ltr.	3-28-74	Correcting obstruction markings.			

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WHAC-TV
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Name THE YANKEE NETWORK, INCORPORATED
(P.O. 21 Brookline Avenue, Boston, Mass.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BFCT-186 Rec'd Filed	5-29-47	Construction permit for a new commercial television broadcast station. Frequency: Ch. #7, 174-180 mcs. Power: Vis. 5kw; Aur. 2.5 kw Hours of Operation: Unlimited T-Location: to be determined, Boston, Mass. S-Location: 21 Brookline Ave., Boston, Mass. (Vis. G.E. Type TT-7-B Max. 5 kw.) (Aur. G.E. Type TT-8-B Max. 2.5 kw) Filed by Thomas H. Dowd, att'y	GRANTED	10-2-47
	6-5-47			
	6-5-47			
Amended Rec'd Filed	8-21-47	Amended to specify T-Location from to be determined, Boston, Mass. to Murray Street, Medford, Mass.		
	9-6-47			
	9-6-47			

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters W N A C-TVName THE YANKEE NETWORK, INCORPORATED

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMFCT-141 Rec'd Filed	12-15-47 12-16-47 12-16-47	Mod. of C.P. (BFCT-186) to change frequency to Ch. #13, 210-216 mc., move transmitter site to Off U.S Route #1, Sharon, Mass. change type of equipment and make antenna changes, increase ERP: to Vis. 129.0 kw, Aur. 64.5 kw. (Vis. & Aur. G.E. Type TT-6-B (Mod.) Filed by Thomas N. Dowd, Att'y	Dismissed without prejudice at request of applicant 3-12-48 (Order) Docket #8741	
BMFCT-222 Rec'd Filed Amended Rec'd Filed	4-22-48 4-27-48 4-27-48 5-12-48 5-14-48 5-14-48	Mod. of C.P. (BFCT-186, which authorized new commercial tel. b/c station) for extension of completion date from 6-2-48 to 7-1-48 Filed by Thomas N. Dowd, Att'y to change completion date to 12-2-48 in lieu of 7-1-48 Filed by Thomas N. Dowd, Att'y	GRANTED	6-2-48

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters WNAC-TVName The Yankee Network, Incorporated.Boston, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
EMPOT-371 Recd. Filed	11-15-48 11-17-48 11-17-48	Mod. of CP. (BPCT-186 which authorized new Comm. TV. b/c station) for extension of completion date from 12-2-48 <u>to</u> 3-1-49 Filed by Thomas N. Dowd, Att'y.	GRANTED	12-2-48
EMPOT-447 Recd Filed	2-9-49 2-11-49 2-11-49	Mod. of CP (BPCT-186 as mod. which authorized new Comm. TV. b/c station) for extension of completion date from 3-1-49 <u>to</u> 6-1-49 Filed by Thomas N. Dowd, Att'y.	GRANTED	2-24-49
EMPOT-503 Recd & Filed	4-22-49 4-28-49	Mod. of CP (BPCT-186 as mod. which authorized new comm. TV b/c station) for extension of completion date from 6-1-49 <u>to</u> 9-1-49/ Filed by Robert E. Hodson, Atty.	GRANTED	5-12-49
EMPOT-536 Recd & Filed	5-18-49 5-24-49	Mod. of CP (BPCT-186 as mod, which authorized new Comm. TV b/c station) to change KRP from Vis. 32.7KW, Aur. 32.7 KW <u>to</u> 26.6 KW Vis. Aur. 13.3KW. Change type antenna and make antenna changes. Filed by Robert E. Hodson, atty.	GRANTED	6-10-49

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Name The Yankee Network, Incorporated.Call
Letters W N A C-TVBoston, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
EMPCT-577 Recd & filed	7-22-49 7-25-49	Mod. of CP (EPCT-186 as mod. which authorized new Comm. TV B/c station) for extension of completion date from 9-1-49 to 12-1-49. Filed by Ralph L. Walker, Atty.	GRANTED	8-1-49
EMPCT-641 Recd & filed	10-24-49 10-28-49	Mod. of CP (EPCT-186 as mod. which authorized new Comm. TV B/c station) for extension of completion date from 12-1-49 to 3-1-50. Filed by Robert E. Hodson, Atty.	GRANTED	11-10-49
EMPCT-696 Recd & filed	1-23-50 1-26-50	Mod. of CP (EPCT-186 as mod. which authorized new Comm. TV B/c station) for extension of completion date from 3-1-50 to 6-1-50. Filed by Robert E. Hodson, Atty.	GRANTED	2-1-50

Call
Letters W.N.A.G. - TVName THE YANKEE NETWORK, INCORPORATED

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
HPCT-718 Rec'd & Filed	3-15-50 3-24-50	Mod. of CP (HPCT-186, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/c Station) to request change of frequency from Ch. #7 (174-180 mcs) to Ch. #2 (54-60 mcs), KHP, from Vis. 26.6 kw, Aur. 13.3 kw to Vis. 15.1 kw, Ant. 7.6 kw, change type transmitter and antenna and to request other equipment changes. (Vis. and Aur. G.E., TT-6C) 5014 Filed by Thomas M. Dowd, Atty.	DISMISSED (Request of Atty.)	Letter 2-5-52.
HPCT-755 Rec'd & Filed	7-21-50 7-25-50	Mod. of CP (HPCT-186 as mod. which authorized new commercial tv b/c station) for extension of completion date from 9-1-50 to 12-1-50. Filed by Robert E. Hodson, Atty.	GRANTED	8-4-50

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Letters WNAO-TV

THOMAS S. LEE ENTERPRISES, INC.

Name The Yankee Network, Incorporated.(Boston, Mass.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BICT-85 Recd	11-14-50 11-21-50	License to cover CP (BICT-186 as mod.) which authorized new Co m. TV B/c Station Filed by Thomas N. Dowd, Atty.	Returned to attorney (conflicting dates) letter 11-27-50 GRANTED	11-27-50 3-9-51
RESUBMITTED Recd Filed	12-1-50 12-4-50 12-4-50			
BALOT-11 Recd & Filed	4-6-51 4-9-51	Voluntary assignment of license from The Yankee Network, Incorporated to Thomas S. Lee Enterprises, Inc. Filed by Ralph L. Walker, Atty.	GRANTED	5-2-51
BICT-63 Recd & Filed	10-22-51 10-30-51	Renewal of license Filed by Robert E. Hodson, Atty.	GRANTED	1-30-52
BICT-801 Recd & Filed	11-23-51 11-29-51	Construction permit to make equipment changes for existing station. Filed by Thomas N. Dowd, Atty.	Dismissed at request of atty.	(letter 1-26-52)

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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WNAC-TV

Letters

GENERAL TELERADIO, INC.

Name THOMAS S. LEE ENTERPRISES, INC.Boston, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BFACT-840 Rec'd & Filed	1-30-52 2-4-52	Construction permit to increase ERP from Vis. 26.6 kW, Aur. 13.3 kW to Vis. 200 kW, Aur. 100 kW. Add power amplifiers to present equipment. Change make of antenna & make other equipment changes. (4631) (Present Vis. G.E. TT-7B, Aur. G.E. TT-8B) (Vis. & Aur. G.E. TT-20AH. Power amplifiers to be added to present equipment.) Filed by Thomas N. Dowd, Atty., (Company Engr.)	GRANTED	11-5-52
AMENDED Rec'd. Filed	(9-11-52) 9-15-52 9-15-52	AMENDED to change Name to General Teleradio, Inc. ERP from Vis. 200 kw., Aur. 100 kw., to Vis. 26.6 kw., Aur. 13.3 kw., delete request for power amplifiers and make antenna changes.	(Vis. GE TT7B) (Aur. GE TT8B)	
BFACT-63 Rec'd & Filed	2-8-52 2-11-52	Affidavit requesting renewal of license Filed by Robert E. Hodson, Atty.	GRANTED	3-26-52
BFACT-10 Rec'd & Filed	6-24-52 6-26-52	Mod. of license to change corporate name to General Teleradio, Inc. Filed by Robert E. Hodson, Atty.	GRANTED	7-24-52

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Call
Letters WNAC-TVName GENERAL TELE-RADIO, INC.Boston, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCT-63 Recd & filed	12-29-52 12-31-52	Renewal of license Filed by George W. Steffy	GRANTED	3-4-53
BMPCT-1015 Recd Filed	2-25-53 2-27-53 2-27-53	Mod. of CP (BRCT-840 which authorized changes in facilities of existing station) to change ERP from Vis. 26.6 KW, Aur. 13.3 KW to Vis. 220.9 KW, Aur. 110.4 KW, add power amplifiers to present transmitting equipment. (470') Filed direct (George W. Steffy). (Adding Vis. & Aur. RCA TT20AH Power Amplifiers to Vis. GE TT7B & Aur. GE TT8B (present equipment)).	GRANTED	3-13-53
BMPCT-1449 Recd. Filed	10-1-53 10-5-53 10-5-53	Mod. of CP (BRCT-840, as mod., which authorized changes in facilities of existing Comm. TV B/C Station) to change E.R.P. from Vis. 220 kw, Aur. 110 kw to Vis. 316 kw, Aur. 158.89 kw and make minor changes in other equipment. Filed direct (480') (Vis. 316 kw, Aur. 158.89 kw, add power amplifiers to present transmitting equipment. Filed direct (480')) 23-11-53-20-AM-10-1-53 20-11-53-20-AM-10-1-53	GRANTED	10-27-53

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Name RKO Radio Pictures, Inc.
GENERAL TELERADIO, INC.
 Boston, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLCT-168 Recd. Filed	12-9-53 12-10-53 12-10-53	License to cover CP(EPCT-840, as mod., which authorized changes in facilities of existing Comm. TV B/C Station) Filed direct.	GRANTED	10-27-54
BECT-63 Recd & filed	12-23-53 12-29-53	Renewal of license Filed by Robert E. Hodson, Atty.	GRANTED	10-27-54
BALCT-29 Recd. & Filed	11-21-55 11-21-55	Voluntary assignment of license from General Teleradio, Inc. to RKO Radio Pictures, Inc. Filed by Ralph Walker, Atty.	GRANTED	12-12-55 Eff: 12-30-55
BMLCT-36 Recd & filed	1-13-56 1-18-56	Mod. of Lic. to change corporate name from RKO Radio Pictures, Inc. to RKO Teleradio Pictures, Inc. Filed by Ralph L. Walker, Atty.	GRANTED	1-25-56

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RKO GENERAL, INC.

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Letters WHAC-TV

Name RKO TELERADIO PICTURES, INC.
Boston, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCT-63 Recd & filed	12-15-56 12-28-56	Renewal of license Filed by Ralph L. Walker, Atty.	GRANTED	3-13-57
BPCT-2420 Recd & Filed	10-24-57 10-30-57	CP to make changes in existing station - change F-L from Murray Street, Medford, Mass. to West Street, Needham, Mass.; change type of trans- mitter from GE TT7B & RCA TT20AH Amp. to RCA TT50AH; make other equip. changes; change type of antenna and ant. ht. abv. aver. terrain to 1000 ft. Robert E. Hodson, Atty.	DISMISSED	SEP 28 1959 At the request of applicant, thru atty.
BMLCT-73 Rec. & filed	11-20-59 11-23-59	Modification of license to change name from RKO Teleradio Pictures, Inc. TO RKO General, Inc. Ralph Walker-atty	GRANTED	12-17-59

Name RKO General, Inc.
Boston, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCT-63 R & F	1-12-60 1-18-60	Renewal of license	GRANTED	4-8-60
BALCT-123 Rec'd Filed	6-1-60 6-3-60 6-3-60	Voluntary assignment of license to National Broadcasting Company, Inc. Ralph L. Walker, Atty. for Assignor Howard Monderer, Atty. for Assignee Amended re National Broadcasting Company, Inc.	DISMISSED DECISION IN DOCKET # 14061. SSS Docket #13085 et al (WRCV AM & TV AND WHAC AM & TV)	7-29-64
AMENDED Rec. & filed	9-26-60 9-27-60	Request Waiver of Section 309 (b) of Communications Act	Court of Appeals Case #18, 979 filed 11-2-64	
AMENDED Rec'd & Filed	9-2-60 9-29-60	RKO General, Inc. request waiver of Section 309(b) of the Communications Act.		

THIS CASE was returned to Docket Section 12-9-64
 THIS CASE stripped for TV OR AM license files
 IN COURT OF APPEALS CASE NO. 18, 979 filed 11-2-64

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AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM. TV

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Name RKO GENERAL, INC.

Boston, Mass. (P.O. 1290 Avenue of the Americas, N.Y. 19, N.Y.) Lt. 6-26-63

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPCT-3057 Recd. & Filed	6-6-62 6-8-62	Construction Permit to change Transmitter location from Murray St., Medford, Mass. TO Tower Road, Newton, Mass.; Change type of transmitter to RCA TT-50 DH; type of antenna to RCA TW9A7-P; make changes in the antenna system, and equipment and change antenna height above average terrain to 1000 feet. Robert E. Hodson, Atty.	GRANTED Conditions: Subject compliance with Sec. 3.640 of Rules. Granted without prejudice to such action as the Comm. may deem appropri. either as a result of the pending hearing in	3-27-63.
Docket #13085, et seq., BRCT-63 Recd. & Filed	12-27-62 1-2-63	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Robert E. Hodson Atty-	GRANTED	8-5-64
BMPCT-5913 Recd. & Filed	10-18-63 10-21-63	Mod. or cr (BPCT-3057, which authorized change in existing station) to extend completion date from 11-27-63 to 1-27-64	GRANTED	2-18-64
Amended R & F	12-20-63 12-24-63	Robert E. Hodson, Atty. Amended to change date to 2-27-64 <i>NOT on page</i> Harrison T. Slaughter-atty		

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM. TV

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Name RKO GENERAL, INC.
BOSTON, MASS.

CH. 7

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLCT-1345 Recd. & Filed	2-7-64 2-12-64	License to cover CP (BPCT-3057, as mod.) which authorized changes in existing station Harrison T. Slaughter, Atty.	GRANTED	10-13-64
BLCT-343 Recd. & Filed	9-28-65 10-1-65	Modification of License to reduce Aural ERP from 158 kw to 63.2 kw. Harrison, T. Slaughter, Atty. (PIERSON, BALL, DOWD)	GRANTED	11-2-65
BRCT-63 Recd. & Filed	12-27-65 12-30-65	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Pierson, Ball & Dowd, Atty.	GRANTED	3-24-66
BRCT-63 R & F \$150 #480905 PRESS PM Recd.	12-23-68 12-31-68 " JAN 16 1969	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Wm. S. Green, Atty. (Pierson, Ball, Dowd) AMENDED 4-22-69 re programming. Amended (Order) 2-14-72 to show filing of private civil antitrust action against 43 corp. including The Genral Tire & Rubber Co. Amended (Order) 6-6-72 to show filing of private civil anti-trust suit. AMENDED (Order) 7-13-72 re suit against Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. AMENDED (Order) 7-24-72 re suit against Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. AMENDED (Order) 8-24-72 re 2 suits against Goodyear Tire & Rubber		

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Chg. made
x 4-13-72*

REQUEST BY THE DUDLEY STATION CORPORATION FOR TWO MONTH SAFE-PERIOD WITHIN WHICH TO FILE APPLICATIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION PERMITS FOR CHANNEL 7, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS filed 3-28-69 by Arent, Fox, on behalf of Dudley. DENIED 5-1-69 Memo. Opinion & Order/ - In *General Order*

BRCT-63

PETITION TO DENY filed 3-1-72 by Martin Trigona. - DISMISSED 3-23-72 by Memo. Op. & Order
RESPONSE TO PETITION TO DENY RENEWAL OF AND REVOKE BROADCAST LICENSE filed 3-16-72 Harold Cohen for RKO General, Inc.

Informal petition filed 3-23-72 by Executive, Task Force on Women in Church and Society, United Church of Christ.

DENIED 5-24-72 - By Direction of the Commission ltr.

BRCT-63

PETITION EDR RECONSIDERATION filed 6-22-72 by Office of Communication, United Church of Christ et al. Petition filed against all Mass. stations.
RESPONSE TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 7-6-72 by Harold Cohen for WHAC-TV

REF: 10-28-68
Mailing address is:

RKO General Building
Government Center
Boston, Massachusetts 02114

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TV

Call
Letters WNAC-TV

Name RKO GENERAL, INC.
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS
CH-7

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
ERCT-63 CONTINUED		AMENDED (Order) 9-19-73 re dismissal of suit against Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.		
		AMENDED (Order) 3-9-73 re chgs. in media interests.		
		AMENDED (Memo Opinion and Order) 5-23-73 re chgs. in media interests & management personnel.		
		AMENDED (Order) 7-12-73 re chgs. in media interests.		
		AMENDED (Redesignation Order) 2-24-72 re other business interests and programming.		
		AMENDED 1-15-74 re legal		
		AMENDED (MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER) 11-28-73 OTHER BUSINESS INTERESTS MEDIA INTERESTS.		
		AMENDED (MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER) 4-11-74 RE LITIGATION, OTHER BUSINESS INTERESTS		
	AMENDED (ORDER) 5-31-74 re chgs. in theatre interests of Video Independent Theatres, Inc., & antitrust actions.			

SRKO GENERAL, INC.

Name

CH-7 BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCT-63 continued		AMENDED (Order) 1-8-73 re direct and indirect media interests		
		AMENDED (Order) 12-12-74 re other business int.		
		AMENDED (Order) 2-24-75 re legal		
		AMENDED (Order) 3-17-75 re legal		
		AMENDED (order) 4-30-75 re legal		
		AMENDED (Order) 5-12-75 re legal		
		AMENDED (Order) 5-27-75 re other business int.		
		AMENDED (ORDER) 6-24-75 re legal		
		AMENDED (ORDER) 7-11-75 re legal		
		AMENDED (ORDER) 8-25-75 re legal		
		AMENDED (ORDER) 9-5-75 re legal		
		AMENDED (ORDER) 11-25-74 re media interests		
		AMENDED (ORDER) 11-20-75 re legal		
		AMENDED (ORDER) 11-20-75 re legal		
		AMENDED (ORDER) 4-6-76 re legal		
		AMENDED (ORDER) 4-26-76 re legal		
	AMENDED (ORDER) 5-10-76 re legal			
	AMENDED (ORDER) 5-27-76 re legal			
	OVER			

INITIAL DECISION OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE FOREST L. McCLENNING issued 6-13-74, released 6-21-74 FCC 74D-36 23039: Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED, That unless an appeal from this Initial Decision is taken by a party to the proceeding, or the Commission reviews the Initial Decision on its own motion in accordance with the provisions of Section 1.276 of the Rules, the applications herein of Community Broadcasting of Boston, Inc. and of The Dudley Station Corporation are denied and the application of RKO General, Inc. for renewal of license of Station WNAC-TV is granted.

BRCT-63 AMENDMENTS CONTINUED:

AMENDED (ORDER) 5-10-76 re media interests

AMENDED (ORDER) 5-27-76 re media interests

AMENDED (ORDER) 7-13-76 re media interests

AMENDED (ORDER) 8-11-76 re media interests & litigation

AMENDED (ORDER) 9-28-76 re media interests & litigation

AMENDED (ORDER) 12-30-76 re media interests

AMENDED (ORDER) 4-26-76 re media interest & litigation

AMENDED (ORDER) 3-16-77 re legal

AMENDED (ORDER) 10-29-76 re legal

AMENDED (ORDER) 3-16-77 re legal

AMENDED (ORDER) 9-7-77 re officers & legal .

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TV

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Letters WNAC-TVName RKO GENERAL, INC.CH-7 BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-TV-46 R & F #042914 \$50 AC: 069 PRESS:	2-8-72	Request auth. to oper. trans. by remote control from RKO General Building, Government Center, Boston, Massachusetts.	GRANTED	6-12-72 auth. not issued pending outcome of decision.
	2-17-72			
	2-17-72			
	FEB 28 1972			
BTC-7097 R & F #159158 \$250 AC-055 PRESS: Form 316	2-21-73	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from The General Tire and Rubber Company to The General Tire Company. Atty: Pfannen, Ball and Dowd.	GRANTED	3-27-73 Eff: This grant is subj. to what ever action the Comm. may deem appropriate following resolution of matters in Doc. 16679 & 18759. Not to be consummated (Ltr. 8-8-73)
	3-5-73			
	3-5-73			
	MAR 19 1973			
		301-A filed 5-21-73 for minor chgs. in equip; filed; \$50 fee refunded 8-30-73.		

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TV

Call WNEV-TV
Letters x WNAC-TV

WNEV-TV, INC

CH-7 Name x RKO GENERAL, INC.
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-8150 R & F #615797 \$100 AC: 047 PRESS: (Form 316)	9-20-76 9-21-76 9-21-76 OCT 13 1976	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from The General Tire & Rubber Company to the individual stockholders. Atty.: H. David Cohen (Pierson, Ball & Dowd)		
BALCT-780830 1A R&F PN RECD PRESS (Form 314)	8-30-78 9-21-78 SEP 6 1978	Voluntary assignment of license to NETV, INC. Attys.: Joseph Hennessey & William Green AMENDED 5-21-80 re legal.	DISMISSED	1-23-81 (Request of Applicant)

BTC-815

DUDLEY PETITION TO DISMISS, DENY, OR FOR ALTERNATIVE RELIEF filed 10-1-76 by Joseph F. Hennessey behalf of The Dudley Station Corporation.

OPPOSITION TO DUDLEY PETITION filed 10-12-76 by H. David Cohen on behalf of WNAC-TV.

OPPOSITION TO COMMUNITY'S INFORMAL OBJECTIONS filed 11-3-76 by William Fitz on behalf of RKO General, Inc. and The General Tire & Rubber Company.

PETITION PURSUANT TO 1.580(1) filed 10-6-78 by Charles Verrill for Multi-State Communications, Inc.

PETITION TO DENY ASSIGNMENT APPLICATION AND COMMENTS ON "JOINT PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF AGREEMENT" filed 10-6-78 by Eugene Mullin for Fidelity Television, Inc.

JOINT MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME filed 10-13-78 by H. David Cohen for RKO General, Inc.; Terry Lensner for Community Broadcasting of Boston, Inc.; and Joseph Hennessey for The Dudley Station Corporation and New England Television Corporation.

YANKEE NETWORK, INCORPORATED (WNAC-TV)

INFORMAL DENIALS

Letter

5-18-50 denied Request for STA to operate on Channel
No. 2 with a 5kw transmitter and EHP(Vis.) 15.1 kw.

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 RECORD OF APPLICATIONS REQUESTING FACILITIES OF BROADCASTING STATION WMAC-TV

Licensee **RKO GENERAL, INC.**

File No.	Date	Call Letters	Name and Location of Applicant	Remarks	Disposition
SPCT-4198	2-28-69	(New)	Community B/cings of Boston, Inc. Boston	Accepted for filing 3-13-69	Pending.
SPCT-4277		(New)	Dudley Station Corporation	Not yet accepted Accepted for filing	Pending

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.

