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Form BC 126
June 1954 4285

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

SEE CARD #2

K H L B (EFF:9-20-71

Date first licensed 9-26-63

Call letters X K T S L

x WILLIAM E. HOBBS AND BILL M. EDGAR dba HIGHLAND LAKES BROADCASTERS (AL 6-13-78 EFF: 7-1-78

Station location Burnet, Texas

x WILLIAM E. HOBBS (AL-7-19-77 EFF: 8/1/77

X HIGHLAND LAKES BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.(AL 7-9-71 EFF: 8-28-71)

x HILL COUNTRY BROADCASTING CORP. (BAL-6389 9-26-68 EFF: 10-1-68)

Name of licensee X ROBERT DALTON JOHNSON, tr/as LAND OF LAKES RADIO

1108 Sherrod Street, Burnet, Texas (Re-descpt. BL-12,897)

Transmitter location x U. S. Hwy. 281 North, Burnet, Texas (BP 5-24-61)

205 South West Street, Burnet, Texas (Ltr. 2-9-79)

X 207 West Washington, Burnet, Texas (CP 11-18-76)

x same as transmitter (BL-12,897)

78611 X 105 West Jackson Street,, Burnet, Texas (BRC 5-31-68)

Main studio location X U. S. Hwy. 281 North, Burnet, Texas

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From	Period To
BP-13573	5-24-61	1340kc	250w	U	7-24	1-24-62
	CP for a new standard broadcast station (Cond'l)					
BP-13573 (1)	7-25-61	Call letters K T S L assigned.				
BP-15,537	7-25-62	1340kc	250w	Unl.	9-25	3-25-63
	Cp to replace exp. CP(BP-13,573).					
BP-15898	5-2-63	1340kc	250w	U	7-2	1-2-64
	CP to replace expired permit BP-15557 which auth a new standard broadcast station.					
BL-10,245	9-26-63	1340kc	250w	U	9-26	8-1-65
	Lic. to cover CP (BP-15,898 as reins.) which auth a new standard b/c station; spec. type trans. as RCA-250-D.					
Wire	4-24-64	Auth. oper. 7pm sign-off thru 7-24-64.				
BR-4285	11-22-65	Renewal of License			11-22	8-1-68
BRC-3246 (1)	5-31-68	Operate by RC.				
BR-4285 (L)	9-26-68	Renewal of license (cond'l)				8-1-71
BAL-6389	9-26-68	VOL. AL				
EFF:	10-1-68					
BP-18,712	10-7-70	1340kc	250w 1kw-D	U		10-7-71
	CP to increase daytime power to 1kw, install new transmitter, RCA, BTA-1R3.					
BS-4285(1)	1-19-71	ML chg.	SL & RC to trans. site.			
BP-18712(1)	1-19-71	MP chg.	SL & RC to trans. site.			
BL-12,897(L)	3-31-71	Lic. (BP-18,712) changes				8-1-71
BAL-7316	7-9-71	VOL. AL	EFF: 8-28-71			
TEL.	7-15-71	Auth. oper. 7:00pm sign-off thru 9-30-71				
BR-4285(S)	8-9-71	Renewal (cond'l)				8-1-74
BS-4285(L)	9-20-71	Mod. of lic. to change call letters.				
WIRE	5-3-72	Auth. 7.00pm sign off thru 6-28-72 Retroactive to March 28, 1972.				
EBSA	5-25-72					
WIRE	7-6-72	Auth. 7.00pm sign off ext. thru 8-15-72.				

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Date first licensed #2 .....

Call letters K H L B .....

Station location Burnet Texas .....

Name of licensee HAWKINS BROADCASTING, INC. (AL 7-16-81, EFF: .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To
BML-2423(L)	9-29-72	ML to chg. to		SH. (6:00am to 7:00pm daily)/	
BR-4285(L)	7-31-74	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1-77
BP-20657	11-18-76	CP chg. ant.sys. & trans.,chg. SL & RC 1340khz	250w,1kw-LS	S.H.	RC 11-18-77
BAPL-495	7-19-77	VOL. AL	EFF: 8/1/77		
BR-4285(L) BL-14,382	11-28-77	Renewal and Modification			8-1-80
BAL-9370	6-13-78	VOL. AL	EFF: 7-1-78		
LTR. RECD. 2-9-79		CHG. SL			
BR 800401	VX 7-31-80	(L)	RENEWAL		8-1-83
BAL810430EV	7-16-81		VOL AL.	EFF:	

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Name ROBERT DALTON JOHNSON tr/as
LAND OF LAKES RADIO
(P.O. 402 Cactus Drive, Levelland, Texas)

Call Letters NEW K T S L

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-13,573 Rec'd Filed	9-23-59 10-2-59 10-2-59	Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 1340kc Power - 250w Hours of operation - Unlimited Trans. location - U. S. Highway 281 North S Burnet, Texas Studio location - Same as transmitter STATION LOCATION - BURNET, TEXAS Atty.- Ross K. Prescott, Dallas, Texas Engr.- Guy C. Hutcheson, Arlington, Texas	GRANTED Cond'l re: Permittee shall accept such interf as may be imposed by other existing 250 watt Class IV stations.	5-24-61
BMP- Rec'd	11-?-61 11-30-61	Mod of CP (BP-13573 which auth a new standard broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 1-24-62 to 3-15-62.	RETURNED Not dated	12-14-61

F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters K T S L

Name ROBERT DALTON JOHNSON tr/as LAND OF LAKES RADIO
BURNET, TEXAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-15537 Rec'd Filed	5-31-62 6-5-62 7-25-62	Construction permit to replace expired CP (BP-13,573) which auth. a new standard broadcast station. (Petition for waiver of 1.323(b) of Rules) Atty-Ross K. Prescott, Dallas, Texas	GRANTED	7-25-62
BP-15,898 R. & F.	4-4-63 4-8-63	CP to replace expired permit BP-15,537 which auth. a new standard broadcast station.	GRANTED	5-2-63
BL-10,245 R. & F.	7-26-63 8-5-63	Lic to cover CP(BP-15,898 as reinstated) which auth a new standard broadcast station; specify type transmitter as RCA-250-D.	GRANTED	9-26-63 re: accept interference re Cl IV inc.power.
BR-4285 R & F	7-31-65 8-3-65	Renewal of license	GRANTED	11-22-65

F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

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AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1340kc

Call Letters K T S L

Name ROBERT DALTON JOHNSON, tr/as LAND OF LAKES RADIO
Burnet, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRC-3246 Rec'd Filed #431160 $30	5-20-68 5-21-68 5-23-68 5-23-68	Modification of license to change studio location to 105 West Jackson Street, Burnet, Texas and operate transmitter by remote control from studio location.	GRANTED	5-31-68
BR-4285 R.&F. #426524 $75	4-30-68 5-6-68 5-6-68	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED (Cond'l re Consummate BAL-6389 within 45 days & notify Comm. 1 day thereafter	9-26-68
BAL-6389 R & F #433453 $75 Pub. Notice AMENDED R & F	5-29-68 6-3-68 6-3-68 F 6-24-68 6-18-68 6-21-68	Vol. AL to ~~David Inpredge, Joe H. Dohm and Wilford A. Nolen d/b as Highland Lakes Broadcasting Company.~~ Atty: Pierson, Ball & Dowd AMENDED to change assignee to HILL COUNTRY BROADCASTING CORP. (SEE OVER FOR AMENDMENTS)	GRANTED EFF:	9-26-68 10-1-68

F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

RE: BAL-6389 - Financial data filed 7-23-68(assignee)

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters K T S L

Name Hill Country Broadcasting Corp.
Burnet, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP- Rec'd	12-20-68 12-26-68	CP to make changes in antenna system (increase height).	Returned No engr signature page; engr. incomplete; no fee.	1-8-69
BP-18,712 Rec'd Filed $75-573697 PN filed	1-21-70 1-29-70 1-29-70 1-29-70 2-24-70	CP to increase daytime power from 250w to 1kw; install new transmitter, RCA, BTA-1R3 and increase antenna height. Atty. Pierson, Ball & Dowd MAR 9 1970	GRANTED	10-7-70
Amended 6-23-70 re decrease antenna heights.				
BL- 12,897 Rec'd #667655 $50. AC-067 Resubmitted Filed PTA PRESS MAR 25 1971	2-26-71 2-26-71 3-8-71 3-12-71 3-17-71	Lic.(BP-18712) for changes	~~RETURNED 3-2-71 - Sect. I signed by Gen. Mgr.~~ GRANTED	3-31-71

F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1340kc

Call Letters K H L B / x K T S L

Name HIGHLAND LAKES BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
xHILL COUNTRY BROADCASTING CORP.
Burnet, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BAL-7316 R & F FEE PD: $1000 #005529 CODE 047 Pub. notice	4-30-71 5-7-71 filed 5-25-71	Voluntary assignment of license to HIGHLAND LAKES BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. REQUEST WAIVER SEC. 1.597 (SEE OVER) Atty - Cohn & Marks	GRANTED Req. grant fee$1,630.00 EFF: Grant Fee Paid. 048. 9-3-71. W-028640	7-9-71 8-28-71
BR-4285 R & F PN Press 5-26-71	4-15-71 5-4-71 5-4-71	Renewal of License Atty- Cohn and Marks AMENDED 7-19-71 re: statement on programming AMENDED 7-29-71 re: programming	GRANTED cond'l consummation within 45 days)	8-9-71 re: BAL-7316
BML-2423 R & F $50-098645 AC-060 PRESS: SEP 15 1972	7-31-72 8-8-72 8-8-72	Modification of license to change to Specified hours operation from 6:00 am to 7:00 pm daily. Atty. Cohn and Marks (Perkins, Jr.)	GRANTED	9-29-72

F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

RE: BAL-7316 - AMENDED 6-25-71 legal & fin. data

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1340 kc

Call Letters K H L B

Name HIGHLAND LAKES BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
BURNET, TEXAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
PR-4285 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	5-15-74 5-3-74 " MAY 24 1974	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-31-74
BP-20,657 Rec'd Filed $50-576787 AC:001 PRESS: SEP 30 1976	5-17-76 6-7-76 6-7-76	Construction permit to incr. height of ant. to 175' and change studio loc. as 207 W Washington Burnet, Texas oper. trans. by remote control at main studio loc. and chg. type trans. GATES MW-1.	GRANTED	11-18-76
$50-400332 filed with 302	3-12-76			
BR-4285 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	3-8-77 3-31-77 " APR 7 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 8-11-77 to change name of applicant to "William E. Hobbs" J.G.Johnson, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	11-28-77 AUG 29 1977

F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

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May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters K H L B

WILLIAM E. HOBBS AND BILL M. EDGAR dba HIGHLAND LAKES BROADCASTERS

Name XHIGHLAND LAKES BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
Burnet, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BAPL-495 R & F FORM 314 JUN 15 1977 PN filed 6-22-77	5-15-77 5-18-77	Voluntary assignment of license & CP(BP-20657 ant chges; new trans etc) to WILLIAM E. HOBBS Atty - John P. Bankson, Jr.	GRANTED EFF:	7-19-77 8/1/77
BL-14,382 R & F PTA PRESS SEP 26 1977	8-15-77 8-17-77 8-30-77	Lic. to cover BP-20,675 for changes Atty: John P. Bankson, Jr.(Hamel, Park, etc)	GRANTED issued with BR-4285	11-28-77
BAL-9370 R&F FORM 316(B) MAY 30 1978	5-15-78 5-18-78	Voluntary assignment of license to WILLIAM E HOBBS AND BILL M. EDGAR D/B/A HIGHLAND LAKES BROADCASTERS Atty: John P. Bankson,Jr.(Hamel,Park,McCabe& Saunders)	GRANTED EFF:	6-13-78 7-1-78

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F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

RE: BAL-9370 - Assignor is applicant for new FM sta (BPH-10768) which is still pending(CP will be amended to reflect new name)

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APPLICATION RECORD BROADCASTING

1340khz

Call Letters: K H L B

Name: WILLIAM E. HOBBS AND BILL M. EDGAR dba HIGHLAND LAKES BROADCASTERS

Station Location: Burnet, Texas

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BZ-9816 R & F PRESS MAR 4 1980	3-12-75	DIRECT MEASUREMENT DISMISSED AS MOOT 9-4-80	

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1340 KHz

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: K H L B

HAWKINS BROADCASTING, INC.

Name: xWILLIAM E. HOBBS AND BILL M. EDGAR dba HIGHLAND LAKES BROADCASTERS

Station Location: Burnet, TX

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BR800401VX PRESS	APR 29 1980	Renewal of License Atty.: John P. Bankson, JR	GRANTED 7-31-80
BAL810430EV Form 314 PRESS Also see KLHB-FM	JUN 9 1981	Vol AL to Hawkins Broadcasting, Inc.	GRANTED 7-16-81 EFF:

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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 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. 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 – 3″ by 5″ filing cards – 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). The History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only one set is known to exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.