WGBF

Remington Rand Inc.
BRANCHES EVERYWHERE
MADE IN U. S. A.

REMOVABLE LABEL GUIDE

Cat. No. 4550L

Patent No. 1330199

490 . 1 LICENSE RECORD

Date First Licensed 1-3-25

Call Letters WGBF

Station Location: Evansville, Ind

METRO RADIO C OMPANY, INC.(AL.3-26-75; EFF: 4-30-75)
X RADIO STATION WGBF, INC.(AL-4-5-65:EFF: 5-10-65)
x WGBF, INC.,(AL 1-27-60; EFF: 2-5-60)
x ON THE AIR, INC. (Mod. Lic. 4-3-47)
x Evansville On The Air, Incorporated (Lic. 5-1-28)

Name of Licensee: X Finke Furniture Company

Near Evansville, Indiana (CT 5-8-40) Lic.11-22-40

Transmitter Location: x10 Miles North of Evansville, Ind. On U. S. Highway #41.
X 307 S. Seventh Street, Evansville, Ind.

3809 Washington Ave., Evansville, Ind. (BS 5-15-66)
x1001 Diamond Avenue, Evansville, Indiana (Ltr. 2-2-51 eff 2-17-51)
519 Vine Street, Evansville, Ind. (Telegram 3-4-33)

Main Studio Location: x 618½ Main Street, Evansville, Ind.

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD From	To
4-S-B-490T	P.4-15-27	1270	500	-	not stated	
	6-1-27	1270	250	Unlimited	6-1	7-31-27
Effec.date	of previous lic.		deferred	by G.O.13	6-15	8-15-27
4-R-B-490	8-8-27	Letter of Extension			8-15	10-15-27
Extended by G. O. #18					10-15	11-1-27
4-R-B-490	10-24-27	Letter of Extension			11-1	1-1-28
Extended by G.O. 21					1-1	2-1-28
" " " " 22					2-1	3-1-28
" " " " 23					3-1	4-1-28
" " " " 25					4-1	5-1-28
-A-B	5-1-28	Chg. of Assignment of Lic.			5-1	6-1-28
Extended by G.O. 33					6-1	8-1-28
P-B-Z-13	7-24-28	To Chg. Loc. of Transmitter			C.D.	8-31-28
Extended by G.O. 35					8-1	9-1-28
" " " " 38					9-1	10-1-28
" " " " 44					10-1	11-11-28
L-B-7	10-6-28	1270	250	Covers C.P.	10-6	11-11-28
R-B-490	10-31-28	630	500	WOS & KFRU	11-11	1-31-29
location	11-11-28					
R-B-490	1-15-29	630	500	WOS & KFRU	1-31	4-30-29
R-B-490	4-1-29	630	500	WOS & KFRU	4-30	7-31-29
-R-B-490	License extended by G.O. #69				7-31	10-31-29
-R-B-490	10-5-29	630	500	WOS & KFRU	10-31	1-31-30
-F-B-24	10-9-29	To install Auto Freq. Control				
-R-B-490	1-11-30	630	500	WOS & KFRU	1-31	4-30-30
-R-B-490	4-5-30	630	500	WOS & KFRU	4-30	7-31-30
-R-B-490	7-7-30	630	500	WOS,KFRU	7-31	10-31-30
-R-B-490	10-6-30	630	500	WOS, KFRU	10-31	1-31-31
[illegible]	1-30-31	Extension of License			1-31	4-30-31
4-S-B-490	2-27-31	Simult. oper. WOS & KFRU Da			2-27	3-29-31
4-S-B-490	3-31-31	Simult. Oper. WOS & KFRU Da			3-29	4-30-31
4-S-B-490	4-27-31	Simult. Oper. WOS & KFRU Da			4-30	7-1-31
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
4-ML-B-825	5-26-31	Simult. Oper. WOS & KFRU Day			6-26	9-1-31
4-R-B-490	8-18-31	630	500	WOS KFRU *	9-1	3-1-32
4-R-B-490	2-9-32	630	500	WOS KFRU *	3-1	9-1-32
4-R-B-490	8-30-32	630	500	WOS, KFRU *	9-1	3-1-33
4-R-B-490	2-21-33	630	500	WOS, KFRU *	3-1	9-1-33
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Simultaneous	[illegible]	operation -	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date First
Licensed.....

Call Letters W G B F

Card No. 2.

Name of Licensee: ON THE AIR, INC.
EVANSVILLE ON THE AIR, INCORPORATED

Transmitter
Location:

Main Studio
Location:

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD From	To
4-S-B-490	1-16-34	Oper. 7:30 to 9:30 pm(250w)			1-17-34	
4-R-B-490	2-13-34	630	500w	WOS,KFRU *	3-1	9-1-34
FCC B4-R-490	8-7-34	630	500w	WOS, KFRU *	9-1	3-1-35
B4-S-490 C.A.	11-13-34 11-6-34	Oper. simul with KFRU with reduced power of 25w from 7 to 9 pm CST 11-6-34				
B4-S-490	2-26-35	Oper.sim.KFRU with reduced power of 250w 7pm to 8:30pm March 1 and 15.				
B4-R-490	2-12-35	630	500	S-WOS,KFRU	3-1	9-1-35
		Simul. daytime.				
B4-R-490	8-27-35	630	500	S-WOS, KFRU	9-1	3-1-36
		Simul. daytime				
B4-S-490	1-21-36	Oper. simul. KFRU with reduced power 250 w. 7 pm to 9 pm, Jan. 21, 1936				
B4-R-490	2-8-36	630	500	S-WOS, KFRU	3-1	9-1-36
		Simul. daytime.				
B4-R-490	CA 3-29-36	630	500	S-KFRU	9-1	3-1-37
		Simul. daytime				
B4-P-642	7-17-36 Eff.9-22-36	630	500w,1kw	LS Simult.D KFRU S-KFRU N.	11-22	5-22-37
C.P.to incr.day power & chg.equipment,R.132 & 139.						
B4-S-490	9-22-36	Oper. Simul. KFRU reduced power from 7 pm to 9:30 pm CST 9-23-36				
B4-S-490	10/13/36	Opr. simul. KFRU reduced power 250 w 8:45 pm to 9:30 pm CST 10/15 - Rep.rally				
B4-S-490	10/23/36 C.A.	Opr.simul.KFRU reduced power 250 w 7:30 pm to 8:30 pm CST 10/23; 9 pm to 9:30 pm CST 10/24 & 7:30 pm to 9 pm CST 10/31 - political speeches.				
B4-S-490	10/24/36 C.A.	Opr.simul. KFRU 8 pm to 9:30 pm CST 10/24 instead 9 pm to 9:30 pm CST as granted 10/23/ reduced power 250 w.				
B4-S-490	10/27/36	Opr.simul.KFRU power 250 w 5 pm CST 11/3 to 6 am CST 11/4-election				
B4-S-490	10/27/36	Opr.simul.KFRU 8:30 pm to 9:30 pm CST 10/28-Dem.rally				
B4-S-490	C.A. 10/26/36	Opr.simul.KFRU, 250 w 5 pm to 6:30 pm CST 10/26-political				

*Simultaneous daytime operation - Shares night(WCBF ½ time)

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date First
Licensed.....

Call
Letters WGBY

Card #3

Name of
Licensee: x ON THE AIR, INC.
x EVANSVILLE ON THE AIR, INC.

Transmitter
Location:

Main Studio
Location:

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD From	To
B4-S-490	C.A. 10/31/36	Opr.simul. KFRU 6:30 pm CST 11/2-political		power 250 w 6 pm to		
B4-S-490	2-16-37	Opr. power of 300w while installing rectifier as auth.under C.P. from 2-16-37 to 3 am EST 3-1-37				
B4-S-490	2-16-37	Opr.power of 300w while installing rectifier as auth. under C.P. from 3 am EST 3-1-37 to 3-17-37				
B4-S-490	2-16-37	630	500w Simul.	S-KFRU Daytime	N-1	1-1-37
B4-S-490	Mins. 3/9/37	Opr.simul.KFRU from LS (6:15 pm CST) to 12 mid. reduced power 250w -3/20 & 3/27-semi-final & final basketball ?				
B4-L-573	4-9-37	630	500w,1kw	-LS S-KFRU Simult.D.	N 4-9	9-1-37
Lic.to cover power and chg. equipment.		C.P.to incr.				
B4-S-490	6/15/37	Rebroadcast over WGBF conversation bet. exp.sts. W5XAR & W5XAS of Western Radio Teleg. period one hr. 6/15 or 6/16-flying weather permitting.				
B4-S-490	C.A. 8/5/37	Opr. simul. KFRU reduced power 250w, 7 pm to 8 pm CST 8/5-speech Gov.Townsend				
B4-R-490	8-18-37	630	500w,1kw	-LS S-KFRU Simult.D.	N 9-1	3-1-38
B4-R-490	CA 2-24-38	630	500w,1kw	-LS S-KFRU	N 3-1	9-1-38
B4-P-2127	5-28-38	Changes in equipment			7-28	1-28-39
B4-S-490	6/13/38	Opr. simul.KFRU with reduced power of 250w. from 7:30 pm to 10 pm, CST. Wed. 6/22/38 -permit WGBF broadcast Louis-Schmeling fight.				
B4-S-490	7-19-38	Opr. simul. KFRU with reduce power of 250w. from 7:30 pm to 9 pm, CST. Wed. 7-20-38, bricst. speech by Gov.Chandler of Kentucky.				
B4-S-490	7-28-38	Opr.simul.KFRU 250w 8 to 9 pm CST 7-29-38 to permit KFRU carry speech Ex-Gov.Park.				
B4-S-490	8-4-38	Opr.simul. KFRU 250w 7:30 to 9:30 pm CST 8-4-38 permit WGBF brcst speech Gov. Chandler of Kentucky				
B4-L-490	8-10-38	630	500w,1kw	-LS D S-KFRU-N	N-1	6-1-39

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

CARD #4

Date first licensed .....

Call letters W G B F

Name of licensee x ON THE AIR, INC.
x EVANSVILLE ON THE AIR, INC.

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

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B4-S-490	9-16-38	Opr. simul. KFRU with reduced power of 250w from 7 pm to 8:30 pm, CST., on 9-21-38, speech by Raymond Willis, Republican Candidate for U.S. Senate.				
B4-L-840	9-20-38	630	500w,1kw-LS S-KFRU N Simult.D		9-20	3-1-39
Lic. to cover C.P.for changes in equipment						
B4-S-490	10-21-38	Opr. simul. KFRU with reduced power of 250w frm 7 pm to 9:30 pm, CST. 11-2-38 Republican Rally & Address by Homer Capehart from Bedford, Indiana.				
B4-S-490	10-27-38	Opr. simul KFRU, with reduced power of 250 watts, frm 8:30 pm to 9 pm, CST. 10-31-38, to permit KFRU to brdcst. Democratic Rally.				
B4-S-490	12/22/38	Opr simul KFRU, reduced power of 100w, frm 8pm to 9:30pmCST Dec.22,1938(basketball)				
B4-S-490	2/4/39	opr simul KFRU power 250w frm 7pm to 8pm CST Feb4,1939(talk by Col Harrington,Chief WPA				
B4-R-490	2-2039	630	500w,1kw-LS S-KFRU-N Simul.D-KFRU		3-1	9-1-39
B4-S-490	3/7/39	opr simul KFRU,250 w,frm 7pm to 9:30pm CST Mar 7,1939(basketball sectional tourney)				
B4-S-490	4/5/39	Opr simul KFRU,250w,frm 7 to 9:30pm CST Apr 6,1939(radio broadcast toward Intercollegiat				
B4-S-490	5/10/39	opr crystal controlled low trans. in VA of Vandalia, 1370 kc,daylight frm 1 hr after [illegible] to 1 hr before [illegible] frm 5/10/39 to 6/9/39(site survey)				
B4-S-490	8-15-39	Oper.simul KFRU, 250w, 8 to 10 pm CST, Aug. 22, 1939, in order brdcst.Ambers-Armstrong Lightweight Championship Fight				
B4-S-490	8-8-39	630	500w,1kw-LS S-KFRU N Simul.D-KFRU		9-1	4-1-40
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]				
B4-[illegible]	10/28/39	opr simul [illegible],250w,[illegible] v 1,1939 permit [illegible] to b/c Soil Conservation debate				

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From	Period To
B4-S-490	12/22/39	opr simul. KFRU, 250w, 6 to 7pm and 7:15 to 12midnight Jan 1, 1940(Bell Cat. Co. Xmas Party) Extr. Bd. 6 to 7pm Jan 26 to 12:30 Jan 27 for Chrysler Show				
B4-S-490	1/23/40	opr simul KFRU, 250w, 7:30 to 9pm Jan 24, 1940(Farmers Business Men's Banquet)				
B4-S-490	2/27/40	opr simul KFRU, 250w, 7:30 to 11:30pm 2/28/40 and 7 to 8pm 3/1/40(St. Louis Auto Show)				
B4-R-490	3-22-40	630	500w, 1kw-LS	S-KFRU-N Simul.D-KFRU	4-1	8-1-40
B4-S-490 Mod.Lic. to add sunrise	4-13-40	630	500w 1kw-LS	Simul.D & S-KFRU-N	4-13	8-1-40
B4-S-490	4/4/40	opr simul. KFRU with reduced power to 250w frm 7pm to midnite 5/7/40(Primary Election returns)				
B4-S-490	4/15/40	opr simul. KFRU with 250w to permit KFRU to b/c spec. prog.				
B4-P-2321	5-3-40	1250	1kw*5kw-LS	U	7-8	1-8-41
		*Directional antenna night C.P. install new equip. and DA for night, change freq., increase power and hrs. of oper., and move trans.				
B4-S-490	5/24/40	opr simul. KFRU with 250w frm 12 to 2pm to cancel 24 hrs. in order to permit KFRU b/c				
B4-S-490	5/8/40	opr simul KFRU, 250w, frm LS to concl baseball games June 14, 21, 1940.				
Order	6/12/40	Extension of License			8/1	10/1/40
B4-S-490	6/10/40	opr simul KFRU, 250w, frm 9:30 to 10pm 6/27/40(permit KFRU b/c spec. baseball games				
B4-S-490	8/11/40	opr simul KFRU, 250w, frm 8 to 9:30pm 8/20/40(Louis-Codoy Fight)				
B4-S-490	7/17/40	opr simul KFRU, 250w, frm 7:45 to 8:15pm 7/18/40 to permit KFRU b/c spec.				
B4-S-490	7/18/40	opr simul KFRU, 250w, frm 7:30 to mid-nite 7/19/40 to permit KFRU b/c spec.				
B4-S-490	7/19/40	opr simul KFRU, 250w, frm 7:30 to mid-nite 7/20/40 to permit KFRU b/c spec.				
B4-P-1531	1-22-40	1250	1kw*5kw-LS	U	7-8	1-8-41
		*Directional antenna night Mod. C.P. 2321 for ch.s. in equipment and ch.s. in geographical location of transmitter				

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Name of licensee X See Card #1

Transmitter location

Main studio location

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From— To—
			KFRU		
*4-S-490	9/24/40	opr simul KFRU 250w 7:30 to 7:45 9/25/40 Dem. Nat. Committee Prog.			
B4-S-490	9/26/40	opr simul KFRU 250w 8:30 to 9pm 9/26/40 Willkie Speech			
B4-S-490	9/26/40	opr simul KFRU 250w 7:30 to 8pm 9/28/40 Repub. Nat. Committee Prog.			
B4-S-490	9/27/40	opr simul KFRU 250w 7:30 to 8pm 9/30/40 Nat. Fed. Repub. Clubs of America			
B4-S-490	9/30/40	opr simul KFRU 250w 8 to 9pm 10/2/40 Rep. Gubernatorial Candidate and Willkie Speeches			
B4-S-490	10/1/40	opr simul KFRU 250w 7:30 to 8pm 10/11/40 Dem. Nat. Committee Prog.			
B4-S-490	10/2/40	opr simul KFRU 250w 8 to 8:45pm 10/3/40 political programs			
B4-S-490	10/7/40	opr simul KFRU 250w 8 to 9pm 10/10/40 political progs			
Order	9-10-40	Extension of license		10-1	3-29-41
B4-S-490	10/11/40	opr simul KFRU,250w 7 to 7:30pm 10/11/40 Willkie speech			
B4- S-490	10/15/40	opr simul KFRU,250w, 8:30 to 10pm Oct 15 8:30 to 9pm Oct 22,29, 8 to 9pm Oct 18,21, Nov 1, 8:30 to 10pm Oct 19,26, Nov 2,1940(pol. progs)			
B4-S-490	10/16/40	opr simul KFRU,250w 7:30 to 8pm Oct 16, 8:30 to 9pm Oct 16,1940(pol. progs			
B4-S-490	10/23/40	opr simul KFRU,250w, 8 to 8:45 pm Oct 31,1940(pol. progs			
B4-S-490	10/23/40	opr simul KFRU,250w, 9 to 10pm Oct 23, 1940permit KFRU t/c pol. talk			
B4-S-490	10/23/40	opr simul KFRU,250w, 8 to 9pm Oct 23, 8 to 8:30 pm Oct 24,1940(pol. progs			
B4-S-490	10/22/40	opr simul KFRU,250w, 7:30 to 8pm Oct 26 1940("Willkie speech			
B4-S-490	10/22/40	opr simul KFRU,250w, 8:45 to 9:30 pm Oct 24, 7:30 to 8pm Oct 25, 8 to 8:30pm Oct 28, 9 to 10pm Oct 22,7:30 to 8pm Oct 24, 9 to 10 pm Oct 29,1940 permit KFRU b/c Repub. pol. progs			
B4-S-490	10/24/40	opr simul KFRU,250w, 8 to 9pm Oct 25, 1940 permit KFRU b/c pol. progs			

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters W G B F

Name of licensee x On the Air, Inc.
x Evansville on the Air, Inc.

Transmitter location

Main studio location

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From—	To—
B4-L-1268	11-22-40	1250	1kw*5kw-LS	U	11-22	3-29-41
B4-Z-552	Lic. to cover C.P. 2321 as modified for new T, *DA for night use, increase power, change freq., change hrs. of operation and move L. Also determine operating power by direct method.					
B4-R-490	3-28-41	1280	1kw*5kw-LS DA-N	U	3-29	6-1-42
B4-R-490	5-5-42	1280	1kw*5kw-LS DA-N	U	6-1	10-1-42
B4-R-490	9-1-42	1280	1kw*5kw-LS *DA-N	U	10-1	10-1-44
B4-S-490	11-6-42	1280	1kw*5kw-LS *DA-N	U	12-1	10-1-44
Mod. Lic. in accordance with Order 107						
B4-R-490	9-19-44	1280 Pending hearing	1kw*5kw-LS *DA-N	U (H)	10-1	11-1-45
B4-S-490	9-25-45	1280	1kw*5kw-LS *DA-N	U (H) Pending Hearing	10-1	11-1-45
Mod. Lic. Order 107A						
B4-S-490	10-24-45	1280 Pending hearing	1kw*5kw-LS *DA-N	U (H)	11-1	11-1-48
B4-S-490	3-20-46	Extension of license			3-20	9-20-46
Pending the sale of either WCBF or WEOA						
B4-S-490	9-13-46	Extension of license			9-20	12-20-46
B4-S-490	12-17-46	Extension of license			1-20	3-20-47
B4-S-490	3-1-47	Extension of license			3-20	5-20-47
BR-490	3-20-47	1280	1kw*5kw-LS *DA-N	U	3-20	11-1-48
BML-1244	4-3-47	Mod. Lic. change corporate name to ON THE AIR, INC.			4-3	11-1-48
BR-490	10-27-48	1280	1kw*5kw-LS *DA-N	U	11-1	11-1-51
BF-3844	1-23-51	1280	5kw-DA-N	U	3-23-	9-23-51
CP to increase nighttime power and make changes in DA. (COND'L. CLAUSE)						
BZ-3844	6-17-51	1280	1kw-5kw-LS	U	11-17	11-1-51
Mod. to determine power by direct meas. *DA-N						

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters ....WCBP.....

Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From	To
BP-5674	9-6-51 tion date	Mod. CP (2/15'L	3844 for extension of comple- 3-23			3-23-52
BR-490	10-10-51	1280	1kw*5kw *DA	-LS U	11-1	8-1-52
BMP-5825	4-15-52 completion date	Mod.CP(3844 as mod.) for extension of (COND'L CLAUSE) 3-23 3-23-53				
BR-490	7-2-52	1280kc	1kw-5kw	Unl.-LS	8-1-52	8-1-55
BP-8610	10-3-52	CP install new transmitter 12-3 6-3-53				
BL-5023 (1)	6-30-53 Lic. cover CP(8610) to install new transmitter	1280kc	1kw,5kw	-LS Un	6-30-53	8-1-55
BRC-645 (2)	1-28-55 Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 1001 Diamond Avenue, Evansville, Indiana, while using non-directional antenna.					
BR-490	7-20-55	1280kc	1kw*5kw *DA-N	-LS U	8-1	8-1-58
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
BS-490 (1)	5-5-58 Mod. of license specifying new monitoring point on the 330° radial. (MEMO)					
BR-490	7-23-58	1280kc	1kw-5kw DA-N	-LS U	8-1	8-1-61
Renewal of License (and Modification)						
BTC-2846 EFF: 8-13-58	7-25-58 Voluntary acquisition of positive control of licensee corporation by Henry B. Walker, et al, as a family group thru retirement of stock by Curtis Radiocasting Corporation.					
BTC-2846	7-25-58	Vol acq. of pos. control of Curtis Radiocasting Corporation(Parent corp) by Henry B. Walker, et al, family group thru transfer of stock from Davis & Simpson to Curtis & retirement thereof.				
Superseding authorization to correct transferor & transferee						
BAL-3772 EFF:	1-27-60 2-5-60	Voluntary assignment of license to WGBF, INC.				

Form BC 126
June 1954

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 1-3-25

Call letters WGBF

Station location

Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From	To
~~BR-490~~ BR-490	7-20-61	1280kc	1kw-5kw-LS DA-N	U	8-1	8-1-64
BTC-4471 EFF	1-31-64 1-31-64	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corp. from On The Air, Inc. to Curtis Radiocasting Corporation.				
~~BR-490~~	7-10-64	Renewal of License			8-1	8-1-67
BAL-5367 EFF:	4-5-65 5-10-65	Voluntary assignment of license to RADIO STATION WGBF, INC.				
BS-490	5-15-66	1280kcs	1kw-5kw-LS DA-N	U	5-15	8-1-67
	Mod. of Lic. to chg. studio loc. (Ltr. sent re c)					
BRC-2900 (1)	6-9-66	Mod. of license to change studio loc. and remote control point to 3809 Washington Avenue, Evansville, Ind., while using non-directional antenna.				
BR-490	7-31-67	1280kc	1kw-5kw-LS DA-N	U	8-1	8-1-70
		Renewal of NDEA				
TELEGRAM	10-17-67	PSA	500w			
TELEGRAM	12-21-67	PSA(Revised)	5000w			
BR-490(S)	7-30-70	RENEWAL & NDEA			8-1-73	
BS-490(1)	10-13-71	ML correct coordinates.				
EBSA	5-25-72					
BR-490(L)	7-31-73	RENEWAL OF LIC.			8-1-76	
BR-490(L)	7-31-73	SUPERSEDED TO COR. SUNRISE TIME FOR OCT. & OBSTRUCTION MARKING.				
BTC-7452	3-26-75	Vol. TC. EFF:				
BAL-5364	3-26-75	Vol. AL. EFF:				
Ltr	9-3-75	Trans now being installed GATES MW-5 (Main) Collins 21-B (Auxiliary)				
BR-490(L)	7-23-76	RENEWAL (MAIN & AUX.)			8-1-79	
BRC-3971 (1)	1-9-78	ML to operate trans by RC from the main studio location				

BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

CARD # 10

First licensed 1-3-25

Call Letters WGBF

Station Location EVANSVILLE, INDIANA

Name

Transmitter Location

Main studio location

Form BC-126
December 1978

Authorization Record

File No.	Granted	Facilities	Expires
BTC-790517HK	5-30-79	VOL. TC EFF:	6-21-79
BP-21,081	4-26-79	CP to specify MEOV's on night DA pattern	4-26-80
BR790330XZ (S)	10-24-79	RENEWAL (MAIN & AUX TRANS)	8-1-82
BL-791030AB(L)	3-20-80	Lic. to cover BP-21,081 for chgs.	8-1-82.
BL-791030AB(L)	3-20-80	Superseded to include condition	8-1-82
COMTEL	8-13-80	TEMPORARY AUTH. GR. OPERATE PARAMETERS AT VARIANCE WHILE MAINTAINING MONITOR POINTS WITHIN LICENSED LIMITS TO CONTINUE SE SERVICE AND TO FACILITATE REPAIRS LIGHTING DAMAGE. AUTH. EXP. 10-30-80.	

No. 1.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Finke Furniture Co.

CALL LETTERS: WGBF

ADDRESS: 307 S. Seventh St., Evansville, Ind.

Present Assignment: 1270 Kc. 500 watts

Requested: 1270 Kc. 500 watts

FILE NO: 4-S-B-490 DATED: 3-28-27

T.P. issued 4-15-27 for 1270 Kc. 500 watts.

ACTION: Lic. 6-1-27 for 1270 Kc. 250 w. Unlimited. Per. 6-1-27 to 7-31-27.

APPLICANT: Finke Furniture Co.

CALL LETTERS: WGBF

ADDRESS: 307 S. Seventh St., Evansgille, Ind.

Present Assignment: 1270 Kc. 250 watts

Requested: Renewal

FILE NO: 4-R-B-490 DATED: 8-1-27

8-8-27, letter of extension.

ACTION: Period 8-15-27 to 10-15-27.

APPLICANT: Finke Furniture Co.

CALL LETTERS: WGBF

ADDRESS: 307 S. Seventh St., Evansville, Ind.

Present Assignment: 1270 Kc. 250 watts

Requested: Renewal

FILE NO: 4-R-B-490 DATED: 10-6-27

10-24-27, letter of extension.

ACTION: Period 11-1-27 to 1-1-28.

No. 2.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Finke Furniture Co. CALL LETTERS: WGBF

ADDRESS: County R.R. #6, Vanderburgh, Indiana

FILE NO: 4-P-B- DATED: 1-7-28

Present Assignment: 1270 Kc. 250 watts, Unlimited

Requested: Chg. of Loc. of Transmitter & Inc Power to LKW

ACTION: Station sold. Superseded by C.P. filed 6-22-28.

APPLICANT: Finke Furniture Co. CALL LETTERS: WGBF

ADDRESS: 307 S. Seventh St., Evansville, Ind.

FILE NO: 4-R-B-490 DATED: 1-12-28

Present Assignment: 1270 Kc. 250 watts, Unlimited

Requested: Renewal

ACTION: Lic. 10-31-28 for 630 Kc. 500 watts, + WOS & KFRU. Period 11-11-28 to 1-31-29.

APPLICANT: Finke Furniture Co. CALL LETTERS: WGBF

ADDRESS: 307 S. Seventh St., Evansville, Ind.

FILE NO: 4-A-B DATED: 4-26-28

Present Assignment: 1270 Kc. 250 watts, Unlimited

Requested: Chg. of Assignment to - Evansville On The Air, Incorporated

ACTION: Chg. of Assignment. Lic. 5-1-28 for 1270 Kc. 250 watts, Unlimited. Per. 5-1- to 6-1-28

No. 3.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Evansville On The Air, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WGBF

ADDRESS: 5 Miles East of Evansville, Ind.
Amended to 10 Miles North of Evansville, Ind.
(Under Allocation 630 Kc. 500 w., ↑ WOS& KFRU)

Present Assignment: 1270 Kc. 250 watts, Unlimited

Requested: Chg. of Loc of Transmitter and Incr. Power to 1 KW.

FILE NO: 4-P-B-Z-13 DATED: 6-22-28

ACTION: C.P. issued 7-24-28 for 1270 Kc. 250 watts, unlimited, also to chg. loc. of transmitter. Completion date 8-31-28.

APPLICANT: Evansville On The Air, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WGBF

ADDRESS: 10 Miles north of Evansville, Ind.

Present Assignment: 1270 Kc. 250 watts, Unlimited

Requested: License to cover 4-P-B-z-13.

FILE NO: 4-L-B-7 DATED: 8-21-28

ACTION: Lic. 10-6-28, to cover C.P. issued 7-24-28 for chg. of Loc. of Tr. 1270 Kc. 250 watts, Per. 10-5-27 to 11-28 Min. 10-2-28.

APPLICANT: Evansville On the Air, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WGBF

ADDRESS: 10 Miles North of Evansville, Ind.

Present Assignment: 630 Kc. 500 watts, ↑ WOS & KFRU

Requested: Renewal

FILE NO: 4-R-B -490 DATED: 12-7-28

ACTION: Lic. 1-15-29 for 630 Kc. 500 w. ↑ WOS & KFRU. Period 1-31-29 to 4-30-29.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

No. 4.

APPLICANT: Evansville On The Air, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WGBF

ADDRESS: 10 Miles North of Evansville, Ind.

FILE NO: 4-R-B-490 DATED: 3-16-29

Present Assignment: 630 Kc. 500 watts, ↑ WOS & KFRU

Requested: Renewal

ACTION: Lic. 4-1-29 for 630 Kc. 500 watts, ↑ WOS & KFRU. Period 4-30-29 to 7-31-29.

APPLICANT: Evansville On The Air, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WGBF

ADDRESS: 10 Miles North of Evansville, Ind.

FILE NO: 4-R-B-490 DATED: 6-17-29

Present Assignment: 630 Kc. 500 watts, ↑ WOS& KFRU

Requested: Renewal

ACTION: G.O. #69, Period 7-31-29 to 10-31-29

APPLICANT: Evansville On The Air, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WGBF

ADDRESS: 10 Miles North of Evansville, Ind.

FILE NO: 4-F-B-24 DATED: 9-24-29

Present Assignment: 630 Kc. 500 watts, ↑ WOS & KFRU

Requested: Authority to install Auto. Freq. Control

ACTION: Approved 10-4-29 Min. Issued 10-9-29 as requested.

No. 5.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Evansville On The Air, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WGBF

ADDRESS: 10 Miles North of Evansville, Ind.

FILE NO: 4-R-B-490 DATED: 9-27-29

Present Assignment: 630 Kc. 500 watts, ↑ WOS & KFRU

Requested: Renewal

ACTION: Lic. 10-5-29 for 630 Kc. 500 watts, ↑ WOS & KFRU. Period 10-31-29 to 1-31-30.

APPLICANT: Evansville, On The Air, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WGBF

ADDRESS: 10 Miles North of Evansville, Ind.

FILE NO: 4-R-B-490 DATED: 12-24-29

Present Assignment: 630 Kc. 500 watts, ↑ WOS & KFRU

Requested: Renewal

ACTION: Lic. 1-11-30 for 630 Kc. 500 watts, ↑ WOS & KFRU. Period 1-31-30 to 4-30-30.

APPLICANT: Evansville On The Air, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WGBF

ADDRESS: 10 Miles North of Evansville, Ind.

FILE NO: 4-R-B-490 DATED: 3-28-30

Present Assignment: 630 Kc. 500 watts, ↑ WOS & KFRU

Requested: Renewal

ACTION: Lic. 4-5-30 for 630 Kc. 500 watts, ↑ WOS & KFRU. Period 4-30-30 to 7-31-30.

No. 6.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Evansville on the Air, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WGBF

ADDRESS: 10 miles north of Evansville, Ind.

FILE NO: 4-R-B-490 DATED: 6-24-30

Present Assignment: 630 Kc. 500 watts, ⅓ WOS & KFRU

Renewal License 7-7-30
ACTION: Per: 7-31 to 10-31-30

Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT:

CALL LETTERS:

ADDRESS:

FILE NO: DATED:

Present Assignment:

ACTION:

Requested:

APPLICANT:

CALL LETTERS:

ADDRESS:

FILE NO: DATED:

Present Assignment:

ACTION:

Requested:

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Call Letters WGBF

Name Evansville On The Air, Inc.

File No.	Date d ~~Received~~	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
4-R-B-490	9-15-30	Renewal	Granted	10-21-30
4-R-B-490	12-15-30	Renewal of license	G.O.103 Granted	1-2[illegible]-31 4-24-31
4-ML-B-825	3-26-31	Simultaneous daytime operation with WOS & KFRU sharing with WOS & KFRU night.	Granted	5-26-31
4-R-B-490	6-16-31	Renewal of license	Granted	8-18-31
4-R-B-490	12-26-31	Renewal of license	Granted	2-9-32
4-R-B-490 resubmitted	6-28-32 8-17-32	Renewal of license	~~Returned~~ ~~T-S Agreement~~ Granted	~~7-15-32~~ 8-30-32
4-R-B-490 Resubmitted	8-17- 2-4-33	Renewal of license (Not signed)	~~Returned~~ Granted	~~[illegible]~~ 2-21-33
4-R-B-490	6-26-33	Renewal of license	Granted	8-29-33
4-R-B-490	12-26-33	Renewal of license	Granted	2-13-34
4-R-B-490	6-7-34	Renewal of license	Granted	8-7-34

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Call Letters WGBF

Name Evansville On The Air, Inc.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B4-R-490	12-29-34	Renewal of license 13(b)	~~Ret'd~~	~~1-14-35~~
Resubmitted	"		Granted	2-12-35
B4-P-642	6-18-35.	C.P. make equip. changes, increase power from 500 w to 500w;1kw-LS. R.132 & 139.	Ex. Rept. 1-232-GRANTED Min. 7-17-36-Eff. 10-6-36 subj to 9-22-36. Min. 9-22-36 eff. date adv.	
B4-R-490	12-27-35	Renewal of License	Granted	2-8-36
B4-R-490	6-17-35	Renewal of license 13(b)	~~Ret'd.~~	~~7-11-35~~
Resubmitted	"	" " "	Granted	8-27-35
B4-P-1092	3-18-36	C.P. change hours of oper. from S-WOS-KFRU night & simul-D, to unlimited time using directional antenna. Amended: Re: equip. changes.	Returned 6-13-36 Request of applicant	
Amended	5-23-36.			

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Call letters WGBF

Name Evansville On The Air, Inc.

FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B4-R-490	6-23-36	Renewal of license	Granted	C.A. 8-29-36
B4-R-490	12-29-36	Renewal of license	Granted	2-16-37
B4-L-573	3-20-37	License to cover C.P.(B4-P-642) for changes in equipment, and increase in power.	Granted	4-9-37
B4-R-490	6-28-37	Renewal of license	Granted	8-18-37
B4-R-490 Resub.	12-27-37 1-13-38	Renewal of license (~~3b, 9d & 15c~~) " " "	~~Returned~~ Granted CA Min	~~1-11-38~~ 2-24-38 3-1-38
B4-P-2127	4-30-38	Construction permit to make changes in equipment.	Granted	5-28-38
B4-R-490	6-23-38	Renewal of license	Granted	8-10-38

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Name EVANSVILLE ON THE AIR, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B4-L-840	8-22-38	License to cover C.P. (B4-P-2127) for changes in equipment.	Granted	9-20-38
B4-R-490	12-27-38	Renewal of license	Granted	2-20-39
B4-P-2321	1-4-39	C.P. to install new transmitter and directional antenna for night use, change frequency from 630 to 1250 kc. increase power from 500w. 1kw-LS to 1kw.5kw-LS, and move transmitter from 10 mi. N.of Evansville.Ind. on U.S.Highway #41 to ~~Rural,-Evansville,-Ind.~~ and change hrs. of oper. from Simul.D-KFRU, S-KFRU-N to unlimited time. (Contingent on KXOK B4-P-2323 & KFRU B4-P-2322)	Docket No. 5512 Granted	5-8-40
Amended	2-1-40	Amended: to change trans. site to near Evansville, Ind.		
Amended	2-23-40	Amended: changes in directional antenna.		

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Call Letters W G B F

Name EVANSVILLE ON THE AIR, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B4-R-490 Resubmitted	6-28-39 7-13-39	Renewal of license (~~Sec. 8, 13b, 30~~)	~~Returned~~ Granted	~~7-11-39~~ 8-8-39
B4-R-490	1-30-40	Renewal of license	Granted	3-22-40
B4-R-490 Resub.	5-31-40	Renewal of license (Jurat)	~~Returned~~ GRANTED	~~9-9-40~~ 7-20-61
B4-MP-1031 Rec'd Resubmitted Rec'd	7-23-40 7-25-40 7-23-40 8-3-40	Mod. of C.P.(B4-P-2321) for new transmitter and directional antenna for night use, change frequency, increase power, move trans., and change hrs. of oper., requesting change in type of transmitter, and slight change in location of transmitter (same designation)	~~Returned~~ ~~Jurat~~ Granted	~~7-30-40~~ 8-22-40
B4-L-1268 Rec'd.	10-24-40 10-26-40	License to cover construction permit (B4-P-2321) as modified, for new transmitter and directional antenna for night use, increase in power, move of transmitter, change of frequency and change hours of operation.	Granted	11-23-40

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Call Letters WGBF

Name EVANSVILLE ON THE AIR, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B4-Z-552 Rec'd. Superseded Rec'd.	10-24-40 10-26-40 10-26-40 10-29-40	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	~~Returned 10-31-40 -- Superseded by new application~~ Granted	 11-22-40
B4-R-490	3-16-42	Renewal of license and Forms 335 335's ret'd 3-28-42 for completion	Granted	5-5-42
B4-R-490	5-20-42	Renewal of license and Forms 335	Granted	9-1-42
B4-R-490 Rec'd	7-13-44 7-24-44	Renewal of license (1) Amend. filed 6-5-45 (2) Amend. 15 filed 8-4-45	Designated for hearing Temp. license for period ending 11-1-45 #424	 9-19-44
		(3)	Temp. license for period ending 11-1-48 Granted 10-24-48	

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Call letters WGBF

Name ON THE AIR, INC.
x EVANSVILLE ON THE AIR, INCORPORATED

FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B4-P-3844 Rec'd Filed	12-20-44 1-6-45 1-16-45	Construction Permit to increase power from 1kw, 5kw-LS to 5kw day and night and to make changes in directional antenna for night use	Docket GRANTED after hearing. C.P. & ORDER ISSUED	8305 1-23-51
AMENDED Recd. Filed	2-24-47 2-25-47 2-25-47	AMENDED to modify DA	re blanketing clause; re properly designed phase monitor; re complete DA-non-DA proof be conducted; re field meas. equipment be available at all times. FORFEITED	11-3-52
AMENDED Recd. Filed AMENDED	10-27-47 10-31-47 11-13-47 (See card 13(a)	AMENDED to change name of applicant from Evansville on the Air, Incorporated, to On The Air, Inc.		
B4-AL-469 Rec'd Filed	1-15-45 1-18-45 1-18-45	Voluntary Assignment of License to CURTIS RADIOCASTING CORPORATION.	Dismissed Request of applicant.	6-26-45

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Name ON THE AIR, INC.

Call Letters WGBF

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B4-P-3844	(Continued)		See Card 13 for action.	
AMENDED Rec'd Filed	11-12-47 11-14-47 11-21-47	AMENDED to change DA pattern (DA-N).		
AMENDED Recd. Filed	12-29-47 12-31-47 1-5-48	AMENDED to change DA pattern (DA-N) (Amended conditionally - conditions ~~not~~ complied with) 1-9-48		
AMENDED Recd. Filed	9-7-49 9-12-49 9-16-49	AMENDED to make change in DA-N pattern		

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Call Letters W O B Z

Name X ON THE AIR, INC.
~~EVANSVILLE ON THE AIR, INCORPORATED~~

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B-[illegible]-490 Rec'd	2-14-47 2-17-47	Renewal of license Add'l information filed 3-4-47	Granted	3-20-47
BML-1244 Rec'd Filed	2-12-47 2-20-47 2-20-47	Modification of License to change corporate name from Evansville On The Air, Inc. to On The Air, Inc. (Samuel Miller, Atty.)	GRANTED	4-3-47
BR-490 Rec'd	8-23-48 8-30-48	Renewal of License	Granted	10-27-48
		Let. 1-5-51 Geo. O. Sutton atty.		

Letter 1-5-51 Geo. O. Sutton atty.

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WGBF

Name ON THE AIR, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BZ-3284 Rec'd Filed	2-3-51 2-7-51 2-7-51	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. Robert M. Silliman, Engr.	GRANTED	5-17-51
BR-490 Rec'd	7-28-51 7-30-51	Renewal of license	Granted	10-10-51
BMP-5674 Rec'd Filed	8-22-51 8-23-51 8-23-51	Modification of construction permit (BP-3844 which authorized increase power and changes in directional antenna for night use) for extension of completion date from 9-23-51 to 3-23-52.	GRANTED Cond'l re blanketing; installation phase monitor; DA-non-DA proof; availability field meas. equip.	9-6-51
BMP-5825 Rec'd Filed	2-23-52 2-26-52 2-26-52	Modification of construction permit (BP-3844, as mod., which auth. increase power and changes in the DA for night use) for extension of completion date from 3-23-52 to 3-23-53.	GRANTED Conditions same as CP FORFEITED	4-15-52 11-3-52

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APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

Call Letters WGBF

Name ON THE AIR, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-490 Rec'd Filed	4-25-52 4-29-52 4-29-52	Renewal of License Filed by Percy H. Russell, Jr., atty.	GRANTED	7-2-52
BP-8610 Rec'd Filed	9-10-52 9-12-52 9-12-52	Construction permit to install a new transmitter (Collins 21B). Percy H. Russell, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	10-3-52
BL-5023 Rec'd Filed	5-22-53 5-25-53 5-25-53	License to cover construction permit (BP-8610) which auth. installation of a new transmitter. Harvey Kees, Engr.	GRANTED	6-30-53
BRC-645 Rec'd Filed	1-21-55 1-24-55 1-24-55	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 1001 Diamond Avenue, Evansville, Indiana, while using non-directional antenna.	GRANTED	1-28-55

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FORM A-170
FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WGBF

Name ON THE AIR, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-490 Recd Filed	4-27-55 5-2-55 5-2-55	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-20-55
Rec'd	9-9-57 9-10-57	Construction permit to remove FM antenna from West Tower of directional Array.	Returned Unnecessary	9-13-57
BZ-3954 Rec'd Filed	12-2-57 12-3-57 12-3-57	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED	[illegible]
BR-490 Rec'd Filed	5-3-58 5-5-58 5-5-58	Renewal of license (and Modification)	GRANTED	7-23-58

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Call Letters WCBF

Name X ON THE AIR, INC.
Evansville, Indiana

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BTC-2846 Rec'd. Filed	7-15-58 7-17-58 7-17-58	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of Curtis Radiocasting Corporation (Parent corporation of licensee corporation) by Henry B. Walker, et al, as a family group, thru the surrender of stock by Walter F. Davis and Wilburn J. Simpson to Curtis Radiocasting Corporation and the retirement thereof.	GRANTED EFF:	7-25-58 8-13-58
BAL-3772 Rec'd Filed	1-15-60 1-18-60 1-18-60	Voluntary assignment of license to WGEF, Inc.	GRANTED EFF:	1-27-60 2-5-60
BR-490 Recd Filed	5-1-61 5-3-61 5-3-61	Renewal of License.	GRANTED	7-20-61
BTC-1471 R & F	12-31-63 1-3-64	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corp. from On The Air, Inc. to Curtis Radiocasting Corporation	GRANTED EFF	1-31-64 1-31-64

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955 #19

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters: W G B F

Name: RADIO STATION WGBF, INC.
xWGBF, INC.
Evansville, Indina

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action: Nature	Action: Date
BR-490 R. & F.	4-29-64 5-1-64	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	7-10-64
BAL-5367 R & F	2-19-65 2-23-65	Voluntary assignment of license to RADIO STATION W G B F, INC.	GRANTED EFF:	4-3-65 5-10-65
BRC-2900 Rec'd Filed	6-6-66 6-7-66 6-7-66	Modification of license to change studio location and remote control point to 3809 Washington Avenue, Evansville, Indiana, while using non-directional antenna.	GRANTED	6-9-66
BR-490 R & F	4-29-67 5-2-67	Renewal of License	GRANTED	7-31-67
BR-490 R & F $75 #597961 PN Recd. PRESS MAY 20 1970	4-28-70 5-1-70 " "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Robert W. Coll, Atty. (McKenna & Wilkinson) AMENDED 6-12-70 re: commercial matter	GRANTED	7-30-70

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September 1969

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Call Letters W C B F

Name METRO RADIO COMPANY, INC.
X RADIO STATION WGBF, INC.
EVANSVILLE, INDIANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-490 R & F PN Recd. PRESS 1973	4-20-73 4-23-73 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-31-73
BTC-7654 R & F FEE PD: $1000 # 276040 CODE 047 Pub.notice filed 1-13-75 JAN 17 1975	12-19-74 12-20-74	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Martin L. Leich, Martha L. Parkhurst, John F. Leich, et al(all stockholders) to Metro Radio Company, Inc. Atty - Dow, Lohnes & Albertson AMENDED 3-6-75 - reflect new stockholder(minor) AMENDED 3-19-75 - legal & financial data	GRANTED EFF: GR. FEE REQ. pd 048 4-4-75 408977	3-26-75 3-31-75
BAL-8356 R & F FEE PD: $50 # 397866 CODE 047397866 (FORM 316)	2-21-75 3-3-75	Voluntary assignment of license to METRO RADIO COMPANY, INC. (contingent on gr of BTC-7654) Atty - Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED EFF:	3-26-75 4-30-75

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September 1969

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APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

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Name METRO RADIO COMPANY, INC.
EVANSVILLE, INDIANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-490 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	3-16-76 3-18-76 " MAY 21 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Earl R. Stanley, Atty.	GRANTED	7-23-76
BRC-3836 R&F $100-577145 AC:001 PRESS:	5-25-76 6-4-76 6-4-76 JUN 15 1976	Mod. of license to operate trans. by remote control from : 3809 Washington Avenue, Evansville, Indiana {while using directional antenna} {main studio location} Atty: Earl Stanley	DISMISSED	10-18-76
BRC-3971 R & F PRESS:	12-6-77 12-9-77 JAN 5 1978	Modification of License to operate transmitter by Remote control from the main studio location at: 3809 Washington Ave., Evansville, Indiana Atty: Earl R. Stanley (Dow, Lohnes, etc.)	GRANTED	1-9-78

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Evansville, Indiana

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-21,081 R & F JAN 2 1978	12-6-77 12-9-77	Construction permit to specify MEOV's on the nighttime directional pattern. Atty: Earl R. Stanley Eng. Lohnes & Culver	GR	4-26-79
BTC790517HK Form 316 PRESS MAY 2 1979	5-8-79	Vol. TC of lic corp from Bloomington Broadcasting Corporation and WROK, Inc. to WROK, Inc. (pro forma) Atty - Daniel W. Toohey (Dow, Lohnes, etc.)	GRANTED EFF:	5-30-79 6-21-79

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EVANSVILLE, INDIANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR 790330 XZ PRESS JUN 13 1979		RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX. TRANS.) Earl R. Stanley, Atty.	GRANTED	10-24-79
BL-791030AB R & F PTA PRESS DEC 31 1979	10-30-79 11-5-79	Lic. to cover BP-21,081 for changes Atty: Earl R. Stanley)	GRANTED	3-20-80

RECORD OF APPLICATIONS REQUESTING FACILITIES OF BROADCASTING STATION W G B F

ON THE AIR, INC.
LicenseeX EVANSVILLE ON THE AIR, INC.

File No.	Date	Call Letters	Name and Location of Applicant	Remarks	Disposition
B4-P-2379	4-12-39	KSD	The Pulitzer Pub. Co. St.Louis, Mo.	C.P. chgs in DA,chg freq from 550 to 630 kc,time from S-KRUD to U. move trans. Cont. on WGBF, and KFRU. Req.Fac of KXOK(hrs of oper).	DISMISSED 5-8-40

FORM 108-M

Renewal Requested	Date Received	Designated for Hearing	Reason	Remarks

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Licensee

File No.	Date	Call Letters	Name and Location of Applicant	Remarks	Disposition

FORM 108-M

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FORM 105-M

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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 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. 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.