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Patent No. 1290199

CARD # 1

B S First operation: 8-6-53 (Started 11-15-53)

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

CH 14

Date first licensed 8-8-57 (Offical No. 358)

Call letters X W F I E (WFIE-TV 5-28-57)

(Sta. Loc. Evansville, Indiana)

Name of licensee COSMOS-ORION, INC. (AL gr. 8-14-81
X WFIE, INC. (BMPCT-4688 5-20-57)
X PREMIER TELEVISION, INC.

Transmitter location On Wolf Hill, approx. 2300' generally NE of intersection of Route #414 (Wathen Lane) & Cemetery Rd., nr. Henderson, Ky. (BP 6-11-76)
X 1115 Mt. Auburn Road, Evansville, Indiana (Order, Doc. 3-15-57
X Tenth Avenue at Buchanan Road, Evansville, Indiana (BMPCT-1269, 11-6-53)
X- Red Bank Road, Near Evansville, Indiana

Main studio location 1115 Mt. Auburn Road, Evansville, Indiana (Order, Doc. 3-15-57)
X Tenth Avenue at Buchanan Road, Evansville, Indiana (BMPCT-1269, 11-6-53)
X-1011-1013 North Main Street, Evansville, Indiana

FCC-65

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BPCT-1014	6-10-53	Ch 62 758-764 Mcs.	V-89.1kw A-49kw	U	8-10-53 2-10-54
WIRE	8-6-53	STA operate commercial basis Ch.#62 with Trans. site 10th Ave at Buchanan Road, Evansville, RCA TTU-1B Trans, Power Output 1 KW Vis, 0.6 KW Aur, RCA TFU-27BH Ant, overall height 515' above ground, obstruction marking specifications in accord FCC Form 715, para. 1, 3, 4, 13, 21 & 22 Period ending August 16, 1953. (To start 11-15-53)			
WIRE	8-12-53	Ext STA operate commercial basis Ch.#62 with Trans. Site 10th Ave. at Buchanan Road, Evansville, RCA TTU-1B, Trans. Power Output 1 KW Vis, 0.6 KW Aur, RCA TFU-27BH, Antenna overall Ht 515' above ground, obstruction marking specifications in accord with FCC Form 715 para. 1,3,4, 13,21,22. Period ending February 10, 1954.			
BMPCT-1269	11-6-53	same	V. 129 kw A. 69.2 kw	U	8-10-53 4-10-54
Mod. CP (BPCT-1014) to change T-L & S-L, increase ERP, change type transmitters, antenna, & make other equipment changes.					
2-10-54	EXT STA Opr. Comm basis CH 62 with transmitter site 10th Ave. at Buchanan RD, Evansville, using RCA TTU-1B transmitter, power output 1 kw Vis, 0.6 kw Aural with RCA TFU-27BH Ant, overall height above ground 515 feet Obstruction marking paragraphs 1,3,4,1 ,21 22. FCC form715 Period ending 4-10-54.				
BMPCT-1988	3-24-54	Same	Same	Same	8-10-53
Mod. of CP (BPCT-1014, as mod. to ext. comp. date.					10-10-54
3-23-54	Mod STA,Opr. Comm basis CH 62,with transmitter site 10 Ave at Buchanan Rd,Evansville,using RCA TTU-1B transmitter.Power output 1 kw Vis-0.6 kw Aur with RCA TFU-27DH Ant. with 1° electrical beam tilt,overall height above ground 515 feet,same obstruction markings as previously supplied. Period Ending 4-10-54				
4-7-54	EXT STA Opr. Comm basis CH 62 with transmitter site 10 Ave. at Buchanan Rd.Evansville,using RCA TTU-1B transmitter,power output 1 kw Vis,0.6 kw Aur with RCA TFU-27DH ant with 1 degree electrical beam tilt,overall height above ground 515 ft.same obstruction markings as previously suppl Period Ending 10-10-54				

B S CARD NO. 2 **BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD**

Date first licensed .....

Call letters WFIE-TV X W F I E

Name of licensee PREMIER TELEVISION INC.

Transmitter location SEE CARD # 1

Main studio location SEE CARD # 1

FCC-65

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BMPCT-2013	4-19-54	Same	Vis-69.2kw Aur-36.8kw	U	8-10-53 10-10-54
Mod CP (BPCT-1014,as mod) to change ERP,install new transmitters & make ant. chgs.					
BMPCT-2481	9-16-54	same	same	same	8-10-53 4-10-55
Mod. of CP(BPCT-1014,as mod.)to ext. comp. date.					
Wire	9-20-54	Mod. EXT STA Opr. Comm. basis in accord with CP BMPCT-2481 pending filing of Lic. Appl. Period Ending 4-10-55.			
BMPCT-2977	3-25-55	same	same	same	8-10-53
Mod.CP(BPCT-1014 as mod)to extend completion dt 10-1-55					
WIRE	5-3-55	STA Opr. Comm. basis accord. CP BMPCT-2977 pending filing of Lic. appl. Auth. expires 10-1-55			
BMPCT-3397	9-13-55	same	same	same	8-10-53
Mod.CP(BPCT-1014,as mod)to extend completion dt. 4-1-56					
WIRE	9-13-55	EXT STA Opr. Comm. basis accord CP BMPCT 3397 pending filing of Lic. appl. Auth. expires 4-1-56			
BMPCT-3791	3-2-56	same	same	same	8-10-53
Mod.CP(BPCT-1014,as mod)to extend completion dt 10-1-56					
WIRE	3-5-56	Pending filing of lic. appli., ext. auth. granted to operate temp. for period ending 10-1-56 Comm. basis accord. CP(BMPCT-3791).			
BTC-2267	7-18-56	Voluntary transfer of control of permittee corporation from Jessie D. Fine et al to WAVE,INC. EFF:			
BMPCT-4177	9-11-56	same	same	same	8-10-53
Mod.CP(BPCT-1014,as mod)to extend completion date 2-1-57					
WIRE	9-28-56	Pending filing of Lic. Appl.,ext. authority. to Opr. WFIE Temp.Per.End. 2-1-57 Comm. basis accord. CP BMPCT-4177.			
		Order(Doc. 11797)12-19-56, eff. 1-30-57 for issuance of Mod. of C.P. to change from Ch.62 to Ch. 14 (Station directed to file new Engr. data prior to issuance of Authorization			
WIRE	1-30-57	PENDING COMPLETION SWITCHOVER TO CH. 14 EXT.AUTH. OPERATE TEMP. ON CH. 62 COMM. BASIS. ACCORDL BMPCT-4464 to 7-1-57			

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June 1954
Card #3

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters WFIE-TV X W F I E

Station location .....

Name of licensee PREMIER TELEVISION, 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-4464	1/29/57	same	same	same	8-10-53
Mod.CP(BPCT-1014 as mod.) to extend compl. date					7-1-57
ORDER	3-15-57	Ch 14	V-178	U	8-10-53
DOCKET #		470-476mcs	A-93.3		7-1-57
11797 (AH 560)					
Eng. date pursuant to show cause Order to change from Channel #62 to Channel #14. (Condition)					
BMPCT-4688	5-20-57	CH.#14,	V-178 kw	Unlim.	8-10-53
Mod.CP(BPCT-1014,as mod)to		A-93.3mcs.	(AH-560)		7-1-57
change name to WAVE, Inc.					
BMPCT-4707	6-20-57	same	same	same	8-10-53
Mod.CP(BPCT-1014, as mod)to extend completion dt.					7-31-57
WIRE	6-21-57	Opr. Accom.BMPCT-4707 to 7-31-57			
WIRE	6-26-57	pending change over to Ch. # 14 Suspended			
operation temp. 11:00 PM 7-1 to 7:00 AM 7-3-57.					
WIRE	7-3-57	Operation on Channel # 14 began 7:00AM			
WIRE	7-26-57	PROGRAM TESTS AUTHORIZED MPCT-4707			
BLCT-684	8-8-57	CH #14	V-178 kw	U	8-8-57
AH 560!		470-476	A-93.3 kw		8-1-58
License to cover CP(BPCT-1014, as mod.)					
BRCT-358	7-16-58	same	same	same	8-1-58 8-1-61
RENEWAL OF LICENCE					
BRCT-358	7-20-61	same	same	same	8-1-61
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					8-1-64

BTC-4521 3-26-64 Involuntary transfer of control of WAVE, Inc. (Parent corporation of licansee corporation) from George W. Norton, Jr. to Citizens Fidelity Bank and Trust Company, Executor of the estate of George W. Norton,Jr. Deceased. EFF:

BRCT-358	7-23-64	same	same	same	8-1-64
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					8-1-67

BTC-4720 1-19-65 Voluntary transfer of control of W.A.V.E.,INCORPORATED(PARENT CORPORATION OF LICENSEE CORP.)From Citizens Fidelity Bank & Trust Company,Executor of the Estate of George W. Norton,Jr.,Deceased,to Jane Morton Norton,as Voting Trustee.EFF:

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters WFIE-TV

Station location EVANSVILLE, INDIANA

Name of licensee WFIE, INC.

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BTC-4971	12-6--65	Voluntary transfer of control of W.A.V.E., INC. (parent corporation of licensee corp.) from Jane Morton Norton, as Voting Trustee TO Jane Morton Norton. EFF: 1-3-66			
BMLCT-365	12-14-65	Same	Same A-35.5 kw	Same	12-14-65 8-1-67
Mod. of license to reduce Aural ERP					
BRCT-358 AH: 560'	7-18-67 MSL:--	CH.14 470-476	V-178 kw A-35.5 kw	U	8-1-67 8-1-70
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BRCT-358	7-30-70	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (s)			8-1-70 8-1-73
EBSA	5-15-72				
BRCT-358	9-20-73	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			8-1-76
BRCTV-306 (1)	4-23-76	Remote control authority			
BPCT-4913 AH:1020' CP to chg	6-11-76 MSL: 1449 ERP.TL.trans. ant & HAAT	Ch. 14 470-476	V. 603 kW DA A. 91.2 kW DA		8-11-76 12-11-77
BRCT-358	8-10-76	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (L)			8-1-79
WIRE	9-1-77	Re tendered lic. appl., auth. grtd. oper WFIE-TV main trans. and ant. on program test accord. Section 73.629 rules and CP BPCT-4913.			
BLCT-2578 AH: 1020 Lic. (BPCT-4913)Chg. ERP, TL, trans. ant. & HAAT.	11-15-77 MSL: 1449	CH-14	V.603 kW A.91.2 KW	U	11-15-77 8-1-79
BRCT-790330LC	7-18-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE {S}			8-1-82
BALCT-801230KH 8-14-81 VOL. AL					

CARD #1

FORM A-170

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM. TV B/C

Call Letters WFIE ~~NEW~~ (U)

Name PREMIER TELEVISION, INC.
(215 Sycamore Street, Evansville, Indiana)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-1014 Rec'd. Filed	7-15-52 7-16-52 7-16-52	Construction permit for a new Comm. TV B/C Station FREQ: Ch. #62, 758-764 Mcs. ERP: ~~Vis. 90.0 kw, Aur. 45.0 kw.~~ Hours of operation: Unlimited S-L: 1011-1013 North Main Street, Evansville, Indiana T-L: ~~Green River Road & Lincoln Ave., Near Evansville, Indiana.~~ (Vis. & Aur. RCA TTU-5A) ~~(475.5')~~ Filed by Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED Order issued - Docket # 10466	6-10-53
AMENDED Rec'd Filed	1-16-53 1-21-53 1-21-53	Amended to change ERP from Vis. 90.0 kw, Aur. 45.0 kw to ~~Vis. 90.2 kw, Aur. 54.00000~~; antenna height above average terrain from 475.5' to 550'; type antenna; trans. loc. from Green River Rd. & Lincoln Ave., near Evansville, Ind. to Red Bank Rd., near Evansville, Ind.; and other equip. changes.		
Amended Rec'd & Filed	2-6-53 2-9-53	Amended re Directors		

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

Engineer: Martin R. Williams
7401 E. 14th Street
Indianapolis, Indiana

CARD #2

FORM A-170

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM. TV

Call Letters WFIE

Name PREMIER TELEVISION, INC.
(P.O. 215 Sycamore Street, Evansville, Indiana)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-1014 AMENDED Rec'd Filed	5-8-53 5-11-53 5-12-53	Amended to change ERP from Vis. 90.2 kw, Aur. 54.08 kw to Vis. 90.2 kw, Aur. 48.64 kw	See card # 1 for action	
BMPCT-1269 Rec'd Filed	7-21-53 7-22-53 7-22-53	Mod. of construction permit (BPCT-1014, which authorized a new comm'l TV B/C station) to change T-L from Red Bank Road, Nr. Evansville, Indiana to Tenth Ave. at Buchanan Road, Evansville, Ind., S-L from 1011-1013 North Main St., Evansville, Ind. to Tenth Ave. at Buchannan Road, Evansville, Ind., increase ERP from Vis-89.1kw and Aur-49kw to Vis-180.31kw and Aur-97.35kw, change type transmitter, make antenna and other equipment changes. (550') (RCA TTU-10A, Vis and Aur) Filed by Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED	11-6-53

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Comm. TV broadcast

Call Letters WFIE

Name PREMIER TELEVISION, INC.
Evansville, Indiana

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-1269 Amended Recd & filed	cont'd from 10-20-53 10-27-53	Card # 2 Amended to change ERP from Vis. 180.31 kw, Aur. 97.35 kw to Vis. 128.15 kw, Aur. 69.183 kw change type of antennas and make further equipment changes. Filed by Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	SEE ACTION CARD #2	
BMPCT-1988 Recd. & Filed	3-13-54 3-19-54	Mod. of CP(BPCT-1014, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 4-10-54 to 9-10-54. Filed by Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED	3-24-54
BMPCT-2013 Recd. Filed	3-27-54 3-29-54 3-29-54	Mod. of CP(BPCT-1014, as mod., which authorized a new Commercial TV B/C Sta.) to change ERP from Vis. 129 kw, Aur. 69.2 kw to Vis. 59 kw, Aur. 36.3 kw and install new transmitters, and make antenna changes (550) Filed by Andrew G. Haley, Atty. (GE TT-25 A)	GRANTED	4-19-54

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

Card #4

FORM A-170

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Comm TV B/C

Call Letters WFIE

Name Premier Television, Inc.
Evansville, Indiana

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-2481 Recd & filed	9-10-54 9-13-54	Modification of construction permit (BPCT-1014 as modified, which authorized a new commercial TV b/c station) to extend completion date from 10-10-54 to 4-10-55 Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED	9-16-54
BMPCT-2977 Recd & filed	3-1-55 3-11-55	Modification of CP (BPCT-1014 as mod., which authorized a new commercial TV b/c station) to extend completion date from 4-10-55 to 10-1-55 Filed by Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED	3-25-55
BMPCT-[illegible] Recd. RESUBMITTED BMPCT-3397 Recd.&filed (Ext. #5)	8-31-55 8-29-55 9-3-55 9-8-55	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1014, as mod., which authorized a New Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 10-1-55 to 4-1-56. Filed by Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	~~Returned to Atty. letter dt 8-30-55, Application dated subsequent to receipt date.~~ GRANTED	9-13-55

Card #5

FORM A-170

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM. TV B/C

Call Letters WFIE

Name PREMIER TELEVISION, INC.
Evansville, Indiana

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-3791 Recd.&filed Ext.#6	2-22-56 2-29-56	Mod. of CP(BPCT-1014, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date from 4-1-56 to 10-1-56. Filed by Andrew G Haley, Atty.	GRANTED	3-2-56
BTC-2267 RECD & FILED	6-18-56 6-25-56	Voluntary transfer of control of permittee corporation from Jessie D. Fine et al, to WAVE, Inc. Filed by Andrew G. Haley, Atty. Transferor Filed by Seymour M. Chase, Atty. Transferee	GRANTED	7-18-56 EFF: 8-27-56
BMPCT-4177 Recd.&Filed Ext.#7	8-13-56 8-14-56	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1014, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date from 10-1-56 to 2-1-57	GRANTED	9-11-56
BMPCT-4454 Recd & Filed Ext.#8	12-28-56 12-31-56	Mod. of CP(BPCT-1014, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date from 2-1-57 to 7-1-57. Filed by Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED	1/29/57
	1-14-57	Engineering data filed by Andrew G. Haley, Atty., behalf WFIE, pursuant to Order Docket 11797, re channel assignment to Ch. 14. (To Mr. Levy 1-15-57) (Order dated 12-19-56) (Duplicate copy in ref. Room)	ISSUED CP	3-15-57

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

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AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Name X WFIE, INC. MPCT-5-20-57 ~~PREMIER TELEVISION, INC.~~

Call Letters X WFIE WFIE-TV 5-28-57

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
CORRECTED ENGINEERING FILED 2-8-57 by GEO. ADAIR RE CHANGE IN CHANNEL ASSIGNMENT TO CH. 14 ISSUED CP 3-15-57				
BMPCT-4688 Recd & filed	5-8-57 5-10-57	Modification of CP (BPCT-1014 as mod., which authorized a new comm TV b/c station) to change corporate name from Premier Television, Inc. to WFIE, Inc. (Filed by Charles C. Leonard, Treasurer)	GRANTED	5-20-57
BMPCT-4707 Recd. & filed Ext. # 9	5-1-57 5-13-57	Mod. of CP(BPCT-1014,as mod.,)to extend completion date from 7-1-57 to ~~1-1-58.~~ Filed direct.	GRANTED	6-20-57
BMPCT- Recd.	6-15-57 6-17-57	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1014,as mod.,)to extend completion date from 7-1-57 to 7-31-57. Filed by S M Chase,Atty.	Returned 6-20-57 as unnecessary.	

CARD #7
FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM. TV

Call Letters WFIE-TV

Name W F I E, INC.
Evansville, Indiana

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLCT-684 Recd & Filed	7-19-57 7-23-57	Lic. to cover CP (BPCT-1014, as mod.) which auth. a new Comm. TV b/c station. Filed by Quayle B. Smith, Atty.	GRANTED	8-8-57
BRCT-358 Recd & Filed	3-10-58 4-3-58	Renewal of license which exp. 8-1-58. Paul Segal, Atty.	GRANTED	7-16-58
BRCT-358 Recd.&Filed	3-10-61 4-12-61	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Robert A. Marmet, Atty.	GRANTED	7-20-61
BTC-4521 Recd.&Filed	3-9-64 3-10-64	Involuntary transfer of control of WAVE, Inc. (Parent corporation of licensee corporation) from George W. Norton Jr. to Citizens Fidelity Bank and Trust Company, Executor of the estate of George W. Norton, Jr., Deceased. Robert A. Marmet, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	3-26-64
BRCT-358 Recd.&Filed	4-23-64 5-4-64	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Robert A. Marmet see card 8	GRANTED	7-23-64

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

FORM BC-121
Aug. 1955 #8

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM. TV

Call Letters WFIE-TV

Name W F I E, INC.
CH.14 Evansville, Indiana

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
LETTER 8-3-64	COVINGTON	AND BURLING are now attorneys for WFIE-TV (Ernest W. Jennes)		
BTC-4720 Recd.&Filed	12-8-64 12-10-64	Voluntary transfer of control of W.A.V.E., Inc. (parent corporation of licensee corp.) from Citizens Fidelity Bank and Trust Company, Executor of the Estate of George W. Norton,Jr.,Deceased, to Jane Morton Norton, as Voting Trustee. Covington & Burling,Attys.	GRANTED EFF:	1-19-65
BTC-4971 Rec. & filed	11-8-65 11-12-65	Voluntary transfer of control of W. A. V. E., Inc.(parent corporation of licensee corp.)from Jane Morton Norton, as Voting Trustee TO Jane Morton Norton.	with AM WAVE GRANTED EFF: 1-3-66	12-6-65
BMLCT-365 R & F	11-10-65 11-18-65	Mod. of License to reduce Aural ERP from 93.3 kw to 35.68 kw. Jonathan D. Blake,Atty.(COVINGTON & BURLING)	GRANTED	12-14-65
BRCT-358 R & F	5-1-67 5-3-67	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Edgar F. Czarra,Jr.Atty.(Covington & Burling)	GRANTED	7-18-67

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COMM. TV

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WFIE-TV

Name WFIE, INC.
Ch. 14 Evansville, Indiana

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCT--358 R & F: $150 #59868 PRESS PN RECD: Engr.data filed 6-26-70	4-27-70 5-4-70 5-4-70 MAY 15 1970 5-4-70	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Jonathan D. Blake (Covington & Burling) Amended 7-9-70 re commercials.	GRANTED	7-30-70
BRCT-358 R & F PN recd Press:	4-24-73 5-3-73 5-3-73 MAY 25 1973	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Covington & Burling Atty: E.F. Czarra, Jr. Amended 7-2-73 re re programming Amended 8-22-73 re equal empl.	GRANTED	9-20-73

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TV

Call Letters WFIE-TV

Name WFIE, INC.
CH-14 EVANSVILLE, INDIANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-4913 R & F #522766 $1000 AC: 001 PRESS: PN REC'D: GRANT FEE: $9000 GRANT FEE PAID: 7-8-76 AC: 002	1-19-76 1-21-76 1-21-76 13 Feb 1976 2-11-76	CP to chg. ERP to Vis. 1918kW(Max) 963.8kW(H), Aur. 144.5kW; chg. TL to On Wolf Hill, approx. 2300 ft. generally NE of intersection of Route #414 (Wathen Lane) and Cemetery Rd., nr. Henderson, Ky. (37-53-14 87-31-07); chg. type trans. to RCA TTU-55B; type ant. to RCA TFU-36JDAS (DA); and HAAT 1022 ft. MAJOR ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION. Atty.: Joseph Volpe, III (Covington & Burling) Engr.: Marvin Blumberg (A. D. Ring & Associates) Amended 4-13-76 re legal and programming.	GRANTED	I 6-11-76 L82997

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September 1969 #11

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING COMMERCIAL TELEVISION

Call Letters WFIE-TV

Name WFIE, INC.
CH-14 Evansville, Indiana

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCTV-306 R & F #535223S100 AC: 001 PRESS:	2-16-76 2-25-76 2-25-76 23 MAR 1976	Request authority to operate transmitter by remote control from 1115 Mt. Auburn Road, Evansville, Indiana. Atty: Joseph Volpe, III (Covington & Burling)	GRANTED	4-23-76
BRCT-358 R & F PN recd Press	3-29-76 4-1-76 4-1-76 27 APR 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE. Covington & Burling: Atty: Joseph Volpe III Annual report filed Contour maps filed Amendment 5-13-76 re Ownership	GRANTED	8-10-76

PHASE 1 REFUND ACTION

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Form BC-121
May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WFIE-TV

Name WFIE, INC.
CH-14 Evansville, Indiana

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLCT-2578 R & F PRESS:	8-26-77 8-29-77 OCT 20 1977	License to cover (BPCT-4913) for changes. Atty: Joseph Volpe, III (Covington & Burling)	GRANTED	11-15-77
BRCT 790330LC R & F PN REC'D PRESS	3-30-79 3-30-79 3-30-79 '79 04 18	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty.: Michael D. Berg {Covington & Burling}	GRANTED	7-18-79
BALCT-801230KH (Form 316)		Vol. AL to COSMOS-ORION, INC. Atty.: Werner K. Hartenberger	GR.	8-14-81
BTCCT-801230KM (Form 315) See WMT(AM) PN REC'D	 1-21-81	Vol. TC from Jane Morton Norton to Cosmos-Orion, Inc.		

MOTION TO DESIGNATE EARLIER EFFECTIVE DATE FOR COMMISSION ACTIONS. 4-30-81 by EDGAR F. CZARRA

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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.