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637 # 1 BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date First Licensed 4-5-22

Call Letters WIL

WIL MUSIC, INC. (ML 9-13-68)

~~WIL NEWS, INC.~~ (AL 8-2-67 Eff. 8-9-67)

xRADIO STATION WIL, A JOINT VENTURE (AL 3-9-67 EFF: 3-16-67) LOCATION: ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

xRADIO STATION WIL, A JOINT VENTURE (AL-12-30-59: EFF:12-31-59)

xx RADIO STATION WIL, A JOINT VENTURE(AL 5-26-59 Eff: 5-31-59)

X RADIO STATION WIL, A JOINT VENTURE (AL 7-18-57; EFF: 8-23-57

xMissouri Broadcasting Corporation (7-16-28)

Name of Licensee: X Benson Radio Broadcasting Company

One & one-half mile Northeast of Dupo, Illinois. (CP 6-23-48)

Transmitter Location: x Grand & Lindell Blvds., St. Louis, Mo. (7-16-28)

X 1010 Locust Street, St. Louis, Mo.

300 North 12th Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri. (BRC 12-21-65)

X Route #1, Dupo, Illinois (BRC 9-1-65)(Temporary Location)

3715 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis 8, Missouri(Ltr. 10=5-60)

x Sheraton Hotel, 3701 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri (Ltr. 6-24-54)

x 9th floor, Chase Hotel, Kings Highway & Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, Mo.

63101 x 15th Floor, Melbourne Hotel, St. Louis, Mo.

Main Studio Location:

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD From	To
4-B-B-637	T.P.4-23-27	1160	250	-	not stated	
"	6-1-27	1160	250	unlimited	6-1	7-31-27
Exten.date	of previ	ous lic	deferred	by G.O.13	6-15	8-15-27
4-R-B-637	8-8-27	Letter	of extens	ion	8-15	10-15-27
4-S-B-637	10-15-27	1160	250	WSBF	10-15	11-1-27
4-R-B-637	10-24-27	Letter	of extens	ion	11-1	1-1-28
Extended	by G.0.21				1-1	2-1-28
"	" " " 22				2-1	3-1-28
"	" " " 23				3-1	4-1-28
"	" " " 25				4-1	5-1-28
"	" " " 27				5-1	6-1-28
"	" " " 33				6-1	8-1-28
4-P-B-Z-18	7-16-28	1160	250	WSBF C.	Date	8-1-28
Chg. Assignment - Chg. Location of Transmitter						
Extended	by G.0.35				8-1	9-1-28
"	" " " 38				9-1	10-1-28
4-P-B-241	9-12-28	1350	1KW	KWK C.	Date	10-31-28
Extended	by G.0.44				10-1	11-11-28
4-L-B-637	10-6-28	Covers	4-P-B-Z-18		10-6	11-11-28
4-L-B-40	11-2-28	1350	1KW	KWK	11-11	1-31-29
	Covers 4-P-B-241		- Issued 9-12-28			
Allocation	11-11-28					
4-S-B-637	11-21-28	1420	100	unlimited	11-22	1-31-29
4-R-B-637	1-23-29	1420	100-N.250-LS	"	1-31	4-30-29
4-R-B-637	5-4-29	1200	100-N.250-LS	WMAY & KFWF	4-30	7-31-29
4-R-B-637	License	extended	by G. O. #69		7-31	10-31-29
4-R-B-637	10-5-29	1200	100-N.250-LS	WMAY & KFWF	10-31	1-31-30
4-R-B-637	1-9-30	1200	100-N.250-LS	ditto	1-31	4-30-30
4-R-B-637	4-5-30	1200	100-N.250-LS	"	4-30	7-31-30
4-R-B-637	7-7-30	1200	100-N.250-LS	"	7-31	10-31-30
4-R-B-637	10-25-30	1200	100N. 250 LS	"	10-31	1-31-31
G.O.103	1-20-31	Extension	of License		1-31	4-30-31
4-P-B-2078	4-21-31	Change	in equipment		5-18	8-18-31
4-R-B-637	4-24-31	1200	100 250LS	WMAY KFWF	4-30	12-1-31
4-L-B-654	7-14-31	1200	100 250LS	KFWF	7-14	12-1-31
4-R-B-637	11-24-31	1200	100 250LS	KFWF (B)	12-1	8-1-32
4-R-B-637	5-20-32	1200	100 250LS	KFWF (B)	8-1	12-1-32
After Min.	8-9-32	Postpone	install	app. monitor	to	9-1-32

4-S-B-637 #2

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date First Licensed .....

Call Letters WIL

Name of Licensee: x Missouri Broadcasting Corporation

Transmitter Location: ~~Grand and Lindell Blvds., St. Louis, Mo.~~ See Card #1.

Main Studio Location: ~~15th Floor, Melbourne Hotel, St. Louis, Mo.~~ See Card #1.

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Letter Min. 8-30-32 Forming of Rule 145 Ext. ONLY TO 9-30-32					
4-R-B-637	11-22-32	1200	100,250LS	NFWF (H)	12-1 6-1-33
4-RB-637	4-14-33	1200	100,250LS	U	5-8 6-1-33
Letter	5-12-33	4-R-B-637 of 4-14-33 made eff. 5-18-33			
4-R-B-637	5-19-33	1200	100,250LS	U	6-1 12-1-33
4-R-B-637	11-7-33	1200	100,250	LS U	12-1 6-1-34
4-R-B-637	5-11-34	1200	100,250	LS U	6-1 12-1-34
FCC B4-R-637	11-27-34	1200	100,250-LS	U	12-1 6-1-35
B4-R-637	5-21-35	1200	100,250w-LS	U	6-1 12-1-35
B4-S-637	11-26-35	Extension of license			12-1 1-1-36
B4-P-869	12-3-35	Install new equipment			2-3 8-3-36
B4-S-637	12-17-35	Extension of License			1-1 4-1-36
B4-R-637	1-28-36	1200	100,250w-LS	U	1-28 6-1-36
B4-L-277	2-8-36	1200	100,250w-LS	U	2-8 6-1-36
Lic. to cover C.P. to make changes in equipment					
B4-R-637	5-21-36	1200	100,250w-LS	U	6-1 12-1-36
B4-R-637	11-17-36	1200	100,250w-LS	U	12-1 6-1-37
B4-R-637	5-11-37	1200	100,250w-LS	U	6-1 12-1-37
B4-R-637	C.A. 11-22-37	1200	100,250w-LS	U	12-1 6-1-38
B4-R-637	5-11-38	1200	100,250w-LS	U	6-1 12-1-38
B4-R-637	11-15-38	1200	100,250w-LS	U	12-1 6-1-39
B4-R-637	5-8-39	1200	100,250w-LS	U	6-1 12-1-39
B4-ML-731	9-6-39	1200	250w	U	9-6 12-1-39
Mod. License to incr. night power					
B4-Z-191	10-10-39	1200	250w	U	10-10 12-1-39
Mod. License for direct measurement					
B4-R-637	11-14-39	1200	250w	U	12-1 10-1-40
B4-S-637	9/20/40	1200	250w	U	7/1 8/1/40
Order	6/12/40	Extension of License			8/1 10/1/40
Order	9-10-40	Extension of license			10-1 3-29-41
NARBA REALLOCATION B4-R-637	3-24-41	1230	250w	U	3-29 10-1-41

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters W I L

Name of licensee x MISSOURI BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Transmitter location See Card #1

Main studio location See Card No. 1

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From—	Period To—
B4-Z-841	5-1-41	1230	250w	U	5-1	10-1-41
	Determine operating power by direct method					
B4-R-637	9-23-41	1230	250w	U	10-1	10-1-42
B4-R-637	9-22-42	1230	250w	U	10-1	2-1-43
B4-S-637	11-6-42	1230	250w	U	12-1	2-1-43
	Mod. Lic. accordance Order 107					
B4-R-637	1-19-43	1230	250w	U	2-1	2-1-45
B4-R-637	1-16-45	1230	250w	U	2-1	2-1-46
B4-S-637	7-10-45	1230	250w	U	10-1	2-1-46
Mod. Lic. Order 107A						
B4-S-637	1-23-46	Extension of license			2-1	4-1-46
B4-S-637	3-20-46	Extension of license			4-1	6-1-46
B4-R-637	4-10-46	1230	250w	U	4-10	2-1-49
Order B4-P-5606)	1-16-48	1430	5kw*	U		
	For chg. in freq.,incr.power,install new T and *DA for day and night use, and chg. T location					
Not issued - Action set aside 3-25-48						
B4-P-5606	6-23-48	1430	5kw-DA	U	8-23	2-23-49
	CP to change freq., increase power, install new T and DA for day and night use and change T site.					
BTC-698	12-29-48	Vol. acquisition of Control by L. A. Benson thru retirement of C. W. Benson of 49 shares of common stock to the Treasury				
EFF:	1-7-49					
BR-637	1-18-49	1230	240w	U	2-1	2-1-52
BMP-4429	2-10-49	1430	5kw-DA	U	8-23	2-23-49
	Mod. CP (5606) to change type of T.					
BMP-4491	3-8-49	Mod. CP (5606 as mod) for ext. of completion date.			8-23	4-1-49
BL-3610	4-1-49	1430	5kw-DA	U	4-1	11-1-50
	Lic. to cover CP (5606 as mod) for change in freq., increase in power, install new T and DA for day and night use & change T site.					
BR-637	10-18-50	1430	5kw-DA	U	11-1	11-1-53

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters W I L

Name of licensee MISSOURI BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Transmitter location See Card #1

Main studio location See Card #1

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BR-637	10-7-53	1430	5kw-DA	U	11-1 2-1-56
BR-637	1-25-56	1430kc	5kw-DA-2	U	2-1 2-1-59
BAL-2717 EFF:	7-18-57 8-23-57	Vol. assignment of license to Radio Station WIL, A joint venture.			
	1-28-59	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BR-637	4-8-59	1430kc	5 kw-DA-2	U	4-8 2-1-62
BP-12716	5-20-59	1430kc	1kw-DA-2	Aux.	7-20 1-20-60
	CP to install a new transmitter (RCA BTA 1R) at 1½ northeast of Dupo, Illinois (main trans. loc.) to be used as an Auxiliary transmitter on 1430kc, 1kw DA-2, for auxiliary purposes only.				
BAL-3468 Eff:	5-26-59 5-31-59	Voluntary assignment of license to Radio Station WIL, A Joint Venture (Change in Joint Venturers)			
BAPL-203 EFF:	12-30-59 12-31-59	Voluntary assignment of license & CP to Radio Station WIL, A Joint Venture. (Change in Joint Venturers)			
BZ-4166	2-17-60	1430kc	5kw, DA-2	U	2-17 2-1-62
	Mod. to determine operating power by direct measurement of ant. power.				
BL-7763	2-17-60	1430kc	1kw, DA-2	Aux.	2-17 2-1-62
	Lic. to cover cp (BP-12716) which mod. install new trans. as aux. trans.				
	1-31-62	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BR-637	4-30-62	1430kc	5kw	Unl	DA-2 4-30 2-1-65
~~WOR~~			~~1kw~~	~~DA-2 AUX~~	~~2-1-65~~
	8-21-62	Lic. covering CP(BP-12,716)CANCELLED per request of atty.			
BRC-2071	8-29-63	1430kc	5kw-DA-2	U	8-29 2-1-65
	Mod. of license to change studio location to 3715 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri and operate transmitter by remote control from studio location (Main) Daytime only.				
BRC-2299 (1)	10-23-63	Mod. of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 3715 Lindell Blvd., St. ~~Louis, Missouri (Night)~~			

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CARD #5

Date first licensed .....

Call letters W I L

Station location ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

Name of licensee RADIO STATION WIL, A JOINT VENTURE

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
Wire dated 11-29-63 & rec'd 11-30-63 giving notification per Sect. 3.48(a)(5) Rules that a Gates BC-5P-2 main trans. is now installed & in oper. (Eff: 11-28-63)					
BL-10517	6-30-64	1430kc	5kw DA-2	U	6-30 2-1-65
	Lic to use former main trans.(Gates BC-5-A) as an alt. main trans. at present loc., to be operated on 1430kc, 5kw, DA-2 with remote control.				
BML-2126	7-2-65	Mod. of license to change main studio and remote control point to a 8600 Delmar Boulevard, University City, Missouri. (Permanent Location).			
Telegram sent. Not issued. To be issued with Renewal.					
BRC-2723	9-1-65	Mod. of license to change main studio and remote control point to a TEMPORARY LOCATION on Route #1, Dupo, Illinois.			
Wire sent. Not issued.					
BR-637	12-15-65				12-15 2-1-69
Main and Alternate Main		RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S.T.)			
BRC-2780	12-21-65	1430kc	5kw-DA-2	U	12-21 2-1-69
	Modification of license to change studio loc. and remote control point to 300 North 12th Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri (Main Transmitter).				
BRC-2840 (1)	3-4-66	Mod. of license to change studio loc. and remote control point to 300 N. 12th Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri (Alternate Main Transmitter).			
BR-637	2-28-67	Renewal of License (Main) 2-28-67 2-1-70 1430kc 5kw DA (Alt.Main)			
BAL-5985 EFF:	3-9-67 3-16-67	Voluntary assignment of license to RADIO STATION WIL, ST. JULIET VENTURE.			
BR-637 (1)	4-28-67	Mod. of lic. to chg. coordantes. (Memo			
BR-637	2-28-67	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN) 2-28 2-1-68 1430kc 5kw-DA-2 (Alt.Main) 2-28 2-1-68 SUPERSEDING AUTHORIZATIONS TO CORRECT EXPIRATION DATE			
BAL-6038	8-2-67	Voluntary assignment of license.			

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters WIL

Station location ST.LOUIS,MISSOURI

Name of licensee WIL NEWS,INC.

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
TELEGRAM	2-27-68	PSA	3950w		
BML-2262	9-13-68	ML to chg. name.			
Not issued; to be issued with Renewal.					
BML-2262 BR-637(L)	6-15-71	Renewal of License BML-2262 issued with renewal (Main and Auxiliary)		6-15	2-1-74
BZ-7827(L)	7-22-72	Direct Meas. Main & Aux.			2-1-74
EBSA BS-637(L)	5-22-72 8-31-72	ML to show Potomac AM-19D phase M. 1430kc 5kw DA-2U Main & Aux.			2-1-74
Ltr.	4-28-75	Main: Gates MW-5 Aux: Gates BC-5P2			
BR-637(L)	1-15-76	RENEWAL (MAIN & AUX.)			2-1-77
BR-637(L)	10-28-77	RENEWAL (MAIN & AUX.) and modification			2-1-80
comtel	5-31-79	Marking deleted			
BR791001VV(L)	11-12-81	Renewal of License			2-1-83

No. 1.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Benson Radio Broadcasting Company CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: 1010 Locust St., St. Louis, Mo.

FILE NO: 4-S-B-637 DATED: 4-9-27
T.P. 4-23-27, 1160 Kc. 250 watts.

Present Assignment: 1160 Kc. 250 watts

ACTION:
Lic. 6-1-27, 1160 Kc. 250 watts.
Period 6-1 to 7-31-27. Unlimited

Requested: 1162 Kc. 250 watts

APPLICANT: Same CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Same

FILE NO: 4-R-B-637 DATED: 7-29-27

Present Assignment: 1160 Kc. 250 watts, unlimited

ACTION: 8-8-27, letter of extension.
Period 8-15 to 10-15-27.

Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: Same CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Same

FILE NO: 4-R-B-637 DATED: 10-6-27

Present Assignment: 1160 Kc. 250 watts, unlimited

ACTION: 10-24-27, letter of extension
Period 11-1-27 to 1-1-28.

Requested: Renewal

No. 2.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Benson Radio Broadcasting Company CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: 1010 Locust St., St. Louis, Mo. FILE NO: 4-R-B-637 DATED: 1-10-28

Present Assignment: 1160 Kc. 250 watts, ↑ WSBF

Requested: Renewal

ACTION: Lic. 11-2-28 for 1350 Kc. 1 KW, ↑ KWK. Period 11-11-28 to 1-31-29. (Specified Hours)

APPLICANT: Same CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Same FILE NO: 4-P-B DATED: 1-11-28

Present Assignment: 1160 Kc. 250 watts ↑ WSBF

Requested: 680 Kc. 500 watts.

ACTION: No Action Taken on Application.

APPLICANT: Same CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Same FILE NO: 4-P-B DATED: 1-18-28

Present Assignment: 1160 Kc. 250 watts, ↑ WSBF

Requested: 1160 Kc. 500 watts

ACTION: Superseded by C.P. filed 4-28-28.

No. 3.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Benson Radio Broadcasting Company CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Grand & Lindell Sts., St. Louis, Mo.

Present Assignment: 1160 Kc. 250 watts, ↑ WSBF

Requested: Chg. Assignment to Missouri Bradcasting Corp. Chg. Loc. & Incr. power to 500 watts.

FILE NO: 4-P-B-Z-18 DATED: 4-28-28

ACTION: C.P. issued 7-16-28, 1160 Kc. 250 watts. Chg.Assignment to Missouri Broadcasting Corp.Chg. Loc. of Transmitter. C.P. Comp.Date 8-1-28.

APPLICANT: Missouri Broadcasting Corporation CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: 1 Mile W. of 1014 Locust St., St. Louis, Mo.

Present Assignment: 1160 Kc. 250 watts, ↑ WSBF

Requested: To Change Location of Transmitter. Increase Power to 1 KW,

FILE NO: 4-P-B-241 DATED: 6-30-28

ACTION: C.P. issued 9-12-28, 1350 Kc. 1 KW, ↑ KWK. Chg. Loc. of Trans. Comp.Date 10-31-28. Min. 9-12-28.

APPLICANT: Missouri Broadcasting Corporation CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Grand & Lindell Sts., St. Louis, Mo.

Present Assignment: 1160 Kc. 250 watts, ↑ WSBF

Requested: Covers 4-P-B-Z-15

FILE NO: 4-L-B-4 DATED: 8-14-28

ACTION: Lic. 10-6-28, 1160 Kc. 250 watts, unlimited. Covers 4-P-B-Z-18 Ch.Loc.of Transmitter. Period 10-6- to 11-11-28. Min. 10-2-28.

No. 4.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Missouri Broadcasting Corporation — CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Melbourne Hotel, Grand & Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, Mo.

FILE NO: 4-M-B-90 DATED: 10-17-28.

Present Assignment: 1350 Kc. 1 KW, ↑ KWK

ACTION: Order of Dismissal Want of Prosecution 1-15-32

Requested: Full Time only.

APPLICANT: Same — CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Grand & Lindell Blvds., St. Louis, Mo.

FILE NO: 4-L-B-40 DATED: 11-2-28 Covers C.P. issued 9-12-28. Lic. 11-2-28, (Allocation) 1350 Kc 1 KW. ↑ KWK. Period 11-11-28 to 1-31-29.

Present Assignment: (Under C.P.) 1350 Kc. 1 KW. ↑ KWK

Requested: Covers C.P. issued 9-12-28.

APPLICANT: Same — CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Chain of Rocks: 14 miles north of the City of St. Louis, Mo.

FILE NO: 4-P-B-377 DATED: 11-2-28

Present Assignment: 1420 Kc. 100 watts, unlimited(Modif.Eff.11-22-28)

ACTION: Superseded by application dated 1-31-29. 4-P-B-495.

Requested: To Change location of transmitter.

No. 5.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Missouri Broadcasting Corporation — CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Grand & Lindell Blvds., St. Louis, Mo. — FILE NO: 4-M-B-190 DATED: 12-8-28

Present Assignment: (Modif. 11-21-28) 1420 Kc. 100 watts, unlimited 500 - night

Requested: 580 Kc. 1KW - Daytime

ACTION: Withdrawn - Telegram dated 1-25-29.

APPLICANT: Same — CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Grand & Lindell Blvds., St. Louis, Mo. — FILE NO: 4-R-B-637 DATED: 12-26-28

Present Assignment: 1420 Kc. 100 watts, unlimited

Requested: Renewal

ACTION: Renewal License 1-23-29. 1420 Kc. 100 w - night 250- LS. Period 1-31-29 to 4-30-29.

APPLICANT: Same — CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Chain of Rocks, Mo. 15 miles north of St. Louis, Mo. (Out of Order-not present Loc) — FILE NO: 4-M-B-222 DATED: 1-15-29.

Present Assignment: 1420 Kc. 100 watts, unlimited

Requested: 1480 Kc. 5 KW - 4/7 hrs, of oper.

ACTION: Denied Min. 4-1-29. Notice 4-8-29.

No. 6.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Missouri Broadcasting Corporation — CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: 14 Miles north of St. Louis, Mo.

FILE NO: 4-P-B-495 DATED: 1-31-29.

Present Assignment: 1420 Kc. 100 - night 250 - LS - Daytime -unlimited

Requested: Change Location of Transmitter - 1480 Kc. 5 KW. 4/7 hrs. of Oper.

ACTION: Denied Min. 5-13-29. Notice 5-17-29.

APPLICANT: Same — CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Grand & Lindell Blvds., St.Louis, Mo.

FILE NO: 4-R-B-637 DATED: 3-29-29.
Second Application: " 5-2-29.

Present Assignment: 1420 Kc. 100 - night 250 - Daytime LS unlimited

Requested: Renewal

ACTION: Lic.-5-4-29, 1200 Kc. 100 - night - 250 - Daytime LS. ↑ WMAY & KFWF. Period 4-30 to 7-31-29.

APPLICANT: Same — CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Same (Melbourne Hotel)

FILE NO: 4-M-B-315 DATED: 4-23-29.

Present Assignment: 1420 Kc. 100- night 250- Daytime LS unlimited

Requested: 1180 Kc. (Exp.) 1 KW. Full Time.

ACTION: Denied Min. 11-15-29. Notice 11-25-29.

No. 7.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Missouri Broadcasting Corporation

CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Grand & Lindell Blvds. St. Louis, Mo.

FILE NO: 4-R-B-637 DATED: 6-28-29/

Present Assignment: 1200 Kc. 100 W - night 250 W - LS ↑ WMAY & KFWF

ACTION: C. O. #69, period 7-31-29 to 10-31-29.

Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: Same

CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Same

FILE NO: 4-R-B-637 DATED: 9-18-29.

Present Assignment: 1200 Kc. 100 w - night 250 w. - LS ↑ WMAY & KFWF

ACTION: Lic. 10-5-29, 1200 Kc. 100 w- night 250 w- LS. ↑ WMAY & KFWF. Period 10-31-29 to 1-31-30.

Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: Same

CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Same

FILE NO: 4-P-B-975 DATED: 10-8-29

Present Assignment: 1200 Kc. 100 w. - night 250 w. - LS ↑ WMAY & KFWF

ACTION: Denied Min. 4-21-30. Order 4-21-30.

Requested: 1350 Kc 1 KW- Full Time & to install new equip.

No. 8.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Missouri Broadcasting Corporation CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Grand & Lindell Blvds., St. Louis, Mo.

FILE NO: 4-R-B-637 DATED: 12-14-29

Present Assignment: 1200 Kc. 100 w. night 250 w. Daytime-LS ↑ WMAY & KFWF

ACTION: Renewal License 1-9-30. Period 1-31-30 to 4-30-30.

Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: Same CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Same

FILE NO: 4-R-B-637 DATED: 3-20-30

Present Assignment: 1200 Kc. 100 w. night 250 w. Daytime-Ls ↑ WMAY & KFWF

ACTION: Renewal License 4-5-30. Period 4-30-30 to 7-31-30.

Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: Same CALL LETTERS: WIL

ADDRESS: Same

FILE NO: 4-R-B-637 DATED: 6-20-30.

Present Assignment: 1200 Kc. 100 W. night 250 w. Daytime - LS

ACTION: Renewal License 7-7-30. Period 7-31-30 to 10-31-30

Requested: Renewal

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

#9

Call Letters WIL

Name MISSOURI BROADCASTING CORPORATION

File No.	Dated ~~Received~~	Application for	Action: Nature	Action: Date
4-'L-B-669	9-10-30	Change time from sharing with WMAY and KFWF to unlimited on 1200 kc.	Denied	10-9-31
4-R-B-601	9-30-30	Renewal of license	Granted	10-21-30
4-P-B-1792	11-8-30	Change equipment (71A also filed)	Superseded by 4-P-B-2078	
4-R-B-637	12-29-30	Renewal of license	G.O. 103 Granted	1-20-31 4-24-31
4-P-B-2078	3-4-31	Change equipment (71A also filed)	Granted	4-21-31
4-L-B-654	6-22-31	License to cover 4-P-B-2078	Granted	7-14-31
4-R-B-637	8-6-31	Renewal of license (G.O. 114) (H) (H) (H)	Granted Granted Granted	11-24-31 5-20-32 11-22-32
		Statement of Facts Granted 4-14-33 U. time eff. 5-8-33 On 5-12-33 Commission ext. eff. date to 5-18-33		
4-R-B-637	11-10-31	Renewal of license	Unnecessary.	

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Call Letters W I L

Name MISSOURI BROADCASTING CORPORATION

File No.	Date d ~~Received~~	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
4-R-B-637	5-1-33	Renewal of license	Granted	5-19-33
4-R-B-637	9-25-33	Renewal of License	Granted	11-7-33
4-P-B-3092	1-11-34	Construction Permit to install new equipment	Ret. 1-26-34 unnec.	
4-R-B-637	3-31-34	Renewal of License	Granted	5-11-34
		FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS RECORDS:		
B4-R-637	9-28-34	Renewal of license	Granted	11-27-34
B4-P-142	10-2-34	Construction Permit to change freq. from 1200 kc to 1250kc, change power from 100w-night and 250w-LS to 250w-night and 500w-LS. Also make changes in equipment.	Order of Request	Dismissal of Appl. 4-23-35

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

#II

Call Letters WIL

Name MISSOURI BROADCASTING CORPORATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B4-SA-104	3-2-35	Special experimental authorization to make changes in equipment, change frequency from 1200 kc to 1250 kc and increase power from 100w, 250w-LS to 250w, 500w-LS	ORDER of Request of Applicant Min.	Dismissal 9-24-35
Amended	4-3-35	Re; Time from Unlimited to S.H.(1 AM to 6 AM)		
B4-R-637	4-4-35	Renewal of license	Granted	5-21-35
B4-P-869	11-7-35	C.P. to make equip. changes.	Granted	12-3-35

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Call Letters W I L

Name MISSOURI BROADCASTING CORPORATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B4-R-637	11-25-35	Renewal of license	Granted	1-28-36
B4-SA-174	12-4-35	Special experimental authorization to operate on 1250 kc with power of 250w, 500w-LS from 1:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m. for period of six months.	Returned Request of attorney	12-6-35
B4-P-898	12-5-35	C.P. to make equip. changes and change power from 100w-250w-LS to 1kw, freq. from 1200 to 1250 kc,		
Amended	2-1-36	To install directional antenna and move transmitter from Grand & Lindell Blvds. St. Louis, Mo. to Site to be determined, St. Louis, Mo.	Amendment returned 2-7-36	
			Examiner's Report 1-246	
Amended	3-7-36	To chg. transmitter site from Grand & Lindell Blvds. St.Louis, Mo. to 2.8 Mi. due East of McKinley Bridge on U.S.Highway No. 67, Illinois and install directional antenna at night.	DENIED Min.9-22-36 Effective 10-6-36.	

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Call Letters W I L

Name MISSOURI BROADCASTING CORPORATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B4-L-277	1-2-36	License to cover construction permit (B4-P-869) for changes in equipment.	Granted	2-8-36
B4-R-637	4-22-36	Renewal of license	Granted	5-21-36
B4-R-637	10-8-36	Renewal of license	Granted	11-17-36
B4-R-637	3-29-37	Renewal of license	Granted	5-11-37
B4-R-637	9-23-37	Renewal of license	Granted CA	11-22-37
B4-R-637 Resubmitted Resubmitted	3-28-38 4-8-38 4-18-38	Renewal of license (~~Sec. 3b, 7d, 18f~~) (Sec. 3b & 7d)	~~Returned~~ ~~Returned~~ Granted	~~4-6-38~~ ~~4-16-38~~ 5-11-38

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Call Letters W I L

Name MISSOURI BROADCASTING CORP.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B4-R-637 Resub.	9-28-38 10-19-38	Renewal of license ~~(Sec. 3 & 3b)~~	~~Returned~~ Granted	~~10-17-38~~ 11-15-38
B4-R-637	3-30-39	Renewal of license	Granted	5-8-39
B4-ML-731	7-20-39	Modification of license to increase power from 100w;250w-LS to 850w day and night.	Granted	9-6-39
B4-Z-191	9-21-39	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	Granted	10-10-39
B4-R-637	9-28-39	Renewal of license	Granted	11-14-39
B4-R-637	6/3/40	Renewal of license	Granted 1230kc,	3-24-41 250w, U
B4-Z-841 received	4-14-41 4-16-41	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement.	Granted	5-1-41

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Name MISSOURI BROADCASTING CORP.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B4-R-637 Resub. Resub.	7-30-41 8-12-41	Renewal of license Forms 335 filed ~~17~~ (~~Sec. 15, 16, 309~~)	~~Returned~~ ~~Ctr forms, to 335r.~~ ~~Ret'd~~ Granted	~~8-9-41~~ ~~9-5-41~~ 9-23-41
B4-R-637	7-31-42	Renewal of license and Forms 335	Granted	9-22-42
B4-R-637	11-13-42	Renewal of license	Granted	1-19-43
B4-R-637 Rec'd Resub.	11-15-44 11-18-44 12-14-44	Renewal of license (~~Par. 5a, g & 5a~~) (Vesey, Wheeler & Prince, Attys. - letter 8-29-45)	~~Ret'd~~ Granted	~~12-6-44~~ 1-16-45
B4-R-637 Rec'd B4-R-637 Rec'd	11-15-45 11-19-45 11-15-45 12-17-45	Renewal of license Superseding renewal of license Amend. filed 1-25-46	Granted	4-10-46

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Name MISSOURI BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B4-P-5606 Rec'd Filed	12-27-46 1-8-47 1-8-47	Construction Permit to change frequency from 1230 to 1430kc, increase power from 250w day and night to 5kw day and night, install new transmitter (RCA BTA-5F) and directional antenna for day and night use (DA-2) and change transmitter location from Grand and Lindell Blvds.,St.Louis, Missouri to 1½ miles NE of Dupo, Illinois. (Filed by D.F.Prince,Atty.)	Docket No. 8056 ~~GRANTED--1-16-48-after Hearing--Order-Issued Upon-consideration-of petitions-for-rehearing by-KLO-and-WLAK-above-action-set-aside-and record-reopened-for further-Hearing 3-25-48--,Order-issued~~	
Lakeland BCing Co WLAK on 2-4-48 filed a petition for reharing and reconsideration of grant of application.			GRANTED after hearing	6-23-48
AMENDED Recd. Filed	4-22-48 4-22-48 6-11-48	AMENDED to make change in DA patterns (DA-2) (Frank McIntosh, Engr.)	ORDER ISSUED.	

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Name MISSOURI BROADCASTING CORPORATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BTC-698 Recd. Filed	10-27-48 10-29-48 10-29-48	Voluntary Acquisition of Control by L. A. Benson thru retirement of C. W. Benson of 49 shares of common stock to the Treasury (49%) D. F. Prince, Atty.	Granted EFF:	12-29-48 1-7-49
BR-637 Rec'd	11-17-48 11-22-48	Renewal of license	GRANTED	1-18-49

CUMMINGS, STANLEY, TRUITT, CROSS & REEVES, no longer counsel for MISSOURI BROADCASTING COMPANY (Letter 4-6-55)

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Name MISSOURI BROADCASTING CORPORATION

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-4429 Rec'd Filed	1-21-49 1-25-49 1-25-49	Mod. of C.P. (B4-P-5606, which authorized to change frequency, increase power, install new transmitter and directional antenna for day and night use and change transmitter location) Change type of transmitter (Gates BC-5A). (D. F. Prince, Atty.)	GRANTED	2-10-49
BMP-4491 Rec'd Filed	2-25-49 2-28-49 2-28-49	Mod. of C. P. (B4-P-5606, as mod., which authorized change in frequency, increase in power, installation of new transmitter and DA for day and night use and change in transmitter location) for extension of completion date from: 2-23-49 TO: 4-1-49. (D. F. Prince, Atty.)	GRANTED	3-8-49

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Name MISSOURI BROADCASTING CORPORATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BL-3610 Rec'd Filed	3-11-49 3-11-49 3-11-49	License to cover C.P. (B4-P-5606, as mod.,) which authorized change in frequency, increase in power, installation of new transmitter and DA for day and night use and change transmitter location. (Andrew F. Inglis, Engr.)	GRANTED	4-1-49
BR-637 Rec'd	8-28-50 9-6-50	Renewal of License (D. F. Prince, Atty)	GRANTED	10-18-50
BR-637 Rec'd Filed	7-31-53 8-3-53 8-3-53	Renewal of License	GRANTED	10-7-53

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FORM BC-121

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Name X RADIO STATION W I L, A JOINT VENTURE
MISSOURI BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Call Letters WIL

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-637 Recd Filed	11-7-55 11-18-55 11-18-55	Renewal of license Charles V. Wayland, Atty.	GRANTED	1-25-56
BAL-2717 R. & F.	6-26-57 6-26-57	Voluntary assignment of license to Radio Station WIL, A Joint Venture. McKenna & Wilkinson, Attys.	GRANTED EFF:	7-18-57 8-23-57
BR-637 Rec'd Filed	10-31-58 11-7-58 11-7-58	Renewal of license McKenna & Wilkinson, Attys.	GRANTED	4-8-59
BP-12,716 Rec'd Filed	12-23-58 12-30-58 1-6-59	Construction permit to install a new transmitter (RCA BTA-1R) at 1½ miles Northeast of Dupo, Illinois (main trans. loc.) to be used as an Auxiliary transmitter on 1430kc, 1kw DA-2, for Auxiliary purposes only. Robert W. Coll, Atty.	GRANTED	5-20-59

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

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AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters W I L

Name RADIO STATION WIL, A JOINT VENTURE

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BAL-3468 Rec'd. Filed	4-30-59 5-13-59 5-13-59	Voluntary assignment of license to Radio Station WIL, A Joint Venture. (Change in Joint Venturers.) Robert W. Coll, Atty.	GRANTED: Eff:	5-26-59 5-31-59
BZ-4166 R&F	6-23-59 6-29-59	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED Cond'l	8-17-60
BAPL-203 Rec'd Filed	11-30-59 11-30-59 11-30-59	Voluntary assignment of license & CP to Radio Station WIL, A Joint Venture. (Change in Joint Venturers) Vernon L. Wilkinson, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	12-30-59 12-31-59
BL-7768 Rec'd Filed	12-8-59 12-9-59 12-9-59	License to cover construction permit (BP-12,716) which authorized installation of a new transmitter as an Auxiliary transmitter.	GRANTED Cond'l CANCELLED per request of atty.	8-1 -60 8-21-62

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

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AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WIL

Name RADIO STATION WIL, A JOINT VENTURE
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-637 Rec'd Filed	11-14-61 11-15-61 11-15-61	Renewal of license (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Robert W. Coll, Atty.	GRANTED Aux. renewal not issued - Cancelled	4-30-62 8-21-62
BRC-2071 R & F	5-31-62 6-13-62	Modification of license to change studio location to 3715 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri and operate transmitter by remote from studio location. (main) (DAYTIME) Robert W. Coll, Atty.	GRANTED	8-29-63
BRC- 2299 Rec'd Resub. R & F	8-7-63 7-24-63 8-7-63 8-8-63	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 3715 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, Missouri (Night Only)	~~Returned~~ ~~Not dated~~ GRANTED	~~8-5-63~~ 10-23-63
BL-10517 R&F	2-7-64 2-12-64	License to use former main trans. (Gates BC-5A) as Alternate Main transmitter, present loc. to be operated on 1430kc, 5kw, DA-2 with remote control from studio. Atty: McKenna & Wilkinson, F.C.C. WASHINGTON, D.C.	GRANTED	6-30-64

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WIL

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Name RADIO STATION WIL, A JOINT VENTURE
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-637 R & F	11/4/64 11/9/64	Renewal of license (Main & Alternate Main) McKenna & Wilkinson, Attys.	GRANTED	12-15-65
BML-2126 R&F	6-11-65 6-14-65	Modification of license to change main studio location and remote control point to 8600 Delmar Boulevard, University City, Missouri. REQUEST WAIVER OF SECTION 73.30 OF RULES. Atty: McKenna & Wilkinson	GRANTED Not issued, to be issued with renewal.	7-2-65
BRC-2723 R & F	8-11-65 8-13-65	Modification of license to change studio location and remote control point to Route #1, Dupo, Illinois (TEMPORARY LOCATION). REQUEST WAIVER OF SECTION 73.30 OF RULES. Aaron I. Fleischman, Atty.	GRANTED (TEMPORARY LOCATION). Telegram sent. Not issued.	9-1-65.

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WIL

Name RADIO STATION WIL, A JOINT VENTURE
St. Louis, Missouri

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRC-2780 Rec'd Filed	11-19-65 11-30-65 11-30-65	Modification of license to change studio location and remote control point to 300 North 12th Boulevard, St. Louis, Missouri (Main Transmitter). Robert W. Coll, Atty.	GRANTED	12-21-65
BRC-2840 Rec'd Filed	2-25-66 3-1-66 3-1-66	Modification of license to change studio location and remote control point to 300 North 12th Boulevard, St. Louis, Missouri. (Alternate Main Transmitter) Matthew J. Mullaney, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	3-4-66
BR-637 R & F	10-28-66 11-1-66	Renewal of license (Main & Alternate Main) (SHORT TERM) Atty- Thomas N. Frohock (McKenna & Wilkinson)	GRANTED	2-28-67
BAL-5985 R & F (Form 316)	2-6-67 2-8-67	Voluntary assignment of license to RADIO STATION WIL, A JOINT VENTURE Atty - McKenna & Wilkinson	GRANTED EFF:	3-9-67 3-16-67

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FORM BC-121 #25 APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING
AUG. 1955

Call Letters W I L

Name WIL MUSIC, INC.
XWIL NEWS, INC.
XRADIO STATION WIL, A JOINT VENTURE
St. Louis, Missouri

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BAL-6056 R & F	5-5-67 5-8-67	Voluntary assignment of license to WIL NEWS, INC. Atty for assignor - McKenna & Wilkinson for assignee - Mallyck & Bernton	GRANTED EFF.	8-2-67 8-9-67
BR-637 R & F	10/27/67 10/30/67	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (Main & Alt-Main) Atty: E. Theodore Mallyck (Petition over) (OVER)	GRANTED BML-2262 renewal.	6-15-71 issued with
BML-2262 R. & F. #455211 $30 SEP 6 1968	8-30-68 9-3-68 9-3-68	ML to change name of licensee to WIL MUSIC, INC. atty-Mallyck & Bernton (John J. Baker)	GRANTED Not issued; to be issued with Renewal.	9-13-68
Ltr.	5-29-69	Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering now attys. (Wollenberg)		

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BR-637 SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION filed 11-3-70 as Amendment to pending renewal application.
PETITION TO DENY LICENSE RENEWAL filed 1-4-71 by community groups city of St. Louis
WITHDRAWAL OF PETITION TO DENY filed 5-7-71 by Stephen A. weiswasser on behalf of The St. Louis Coalition for Better Broadcasting
BR-637 AMENDED 5-7-71 re: documents referred to in the Withdrawel of Petition to Deny

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters: W I L

Name: WIL MUSIC, INC.
St. Louis, Missouri

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action: Nature	Action: Date
BZ-7827 Rec'd #623262 $50. AC-067-Refunded Amended&F PTA PRESS JUN 14 1971	7-31-70 8-4-70 8-4-70 9-3-70 6-1-71	Direct Measurement - Main & Alternate-Main Monitoring point. Atty: Joel Rosenbloom(Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering)	GRANTED	7-22-71
BR-637 R & F PN PRESS NOV 13 1973	11-2-73 11-5-73 11-5-73	Renewal of License(Main & Auxiliary) Atty: David E. Menotti AMENDED 11-29-73 re: programming: EEO AMENDED 2-19-74 re: dismissal of EEO complaint AMENDED 4-11-74 re: EEO AMENDED 3-3-75 re: complaint of discrimination	GRANTED	1-15-76

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

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May 1976
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters W I L

Name WIL MUSIC, INC.
ST.LOUIS, MISSOURI

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-637 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	10-1-76 " " OCT 28 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY TRANS.) Carol Drescher Weisman,Atty.(Wilmer & Cutler) AMENDED 6-17-77 re: EEO	GRANTED	10-28-77
BR791001VV PRESS OCT 25 1979		Renewal of License (Main & Aux. Trans.) Atty.: Stephen A. Weiswasser PETITION TO DENY filed 1-2-80 by St. Louis Broadcast Coalition. OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY filed 2-1-80 by Cameron F. Kerry, Counsel on behalf of WIL Music, Inc. AMENDED 6-13-80 re: EEO	GRANTED	11-12-81

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

RECORD OF APPLICATIONS REQUESTING FACILITIES OF BROADCASTING STATION WIL

Licensee, Missouri Broadcasting Corporation

File No.	Date	Call Letters	Name and Location of Applicant	Remarks	Disposition
4-P-B-2091-A	4-27-31	New	American Legion, Donald Holden Post #106, Albany, Mo.	Re: Facilities of KFWF & WIL.	Denied 4-14-33 eff. 5-8-33
B4-P-190	10-29-34	NE*	Wm. H. West 7724 Gissler St. St. Louis Mo.	Re: Facilities of WIL, (1200kc- contingent on granting of B4-P-142)	Returned 5-15-35 as B4-P-142 was dismissed.
BP-5702	2-1-47	New	Hobart G. Stephenson, Jr. St. Louis, Mo.	CP for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on 1230 kc, 250wpower Unlimited	
BP-6715	4-12-48	New	Maplewood Broadcasters, Inc. Maplewood, Missouri	CP for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on 1230kc, 250w power Unlimited	

FORM 108-M

Renewal Requested	Date Received	Designated for Hearing	Reason	Remarks
7-31-31	8-20-31	10-16-31	4-P-B-2091A	Granted 4-14-33

RECORD OF APPLICATIONS REQUESTING FACILITIES OF BROADCASTING STATION.....

Licensee

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

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Form BC-127 11-58

Renewal Requested	Date Received	Designated for Hearing	Reason	Remarks

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.