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June 1954

NON COMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 7-17-72

Call letters K U S P

Station location Santa Cruz, California

Name of licensee Pataphysical Broadcasting Foundation, Inc.

Transmitter location
1 mi. N. of Mt. Toro, Near City of Salinas, Calif. (PED-11-13-73) L 8-19-74
X518 California Street, Santa Cruz, California (MPED-2-29-72)
X3100 ft. wnw of Hidden Valley Rd., from the junction with Rodeo Gulch, 4 mi. ne from Santa Cruz, California (PED-8-20-71)

Main studio location
2222 E. Cliff Drive, Santa Cruz, Calif. (PED-11-13-73) L 8-19-74
X4025 Laurel Street, Santa Cruz, California (MPED-2-29-72)
X To be determined, Santa Cruz, California (PED-8-20-71)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div	Period From To
BPED-1283(L)	8-20-71	89.1mc Cp for new FM ED station.	TPO: 10watts		10-20-71 to 8-20-72
BPED-1283(L)	8-20-71	This authorization supersedes to correct expiration date.			
BPED-1283(1)	12-6-71	Call letters assigned.			
BMPED-867(L) HAAT: --	2-29-72	89.1mc#206 ERP: -- MP(BPED-1283) chg. TL, SL, (decr. height) ant.			8-20-72 (RC)
BMPED-880(L)	4-13-72	89.1mc #206 ERP:--- MP(BPED-1,283) chg, ant. system (decrease height).			8-20-72
BMPED-880(L)	4-13-72	Superseding authorization to correct antenna description.			
EBSA	5-15-72				
BLED-990(L)	7-17-72 mod.)	89.1mc.-TPO: 10w Lic.(BPED-1283, as -NEW Educ. FM B/c Sta.			12-1-74
BPED-1,510 HAAT: 2530'	11-13-73 (h&v)	88.9mhz. ERP: 860W(h&v) U #205 (RC) CP chg. freq.; TL & SL & RC, install new Trans., new Ant., chg.TPO, ERP, HAAT.			11-13-74
BLED-1275(L)	8-19-74	-Lic.(BPED-1510)-Changes 88.9mhz 860wH&V 2530'H&V RC			12-1-74
BRED-561(S)	11=18=74	Renewal of License			12-1-77
BSCA-1450	5-1-75	SCA 67KHz.			
BTC-8399	7/29/77	Vol TC EFF:			
BRED-561 BRSCA-1450	12-16-77	(S) REN. OF LICENSE & SCA			12-1-80

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters: K U S P
NEW-EDUC-FM

Name: 'Pataphysical Broadcasting Foundation, Inc.
Santa Cruz, California(PO P.O. Box 423, Santa Cruz, California 95060)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPED-1,283	5-13-71	CP for New Educ. FM on:89.1mc. #206	GRANTED	8-20-71
R & F	6-11-71	TPO: 10 Watts		
NO FEE REQUIRED:		Trans:Gates-M-5534; Ant:Andrew-Multi-Vee, 2sects.		
PRESS:	3 JUL 1971	TL: 1000 Ft. W. of Hidden Valley Rd., Santa Cruz, Calif.		
PN REC'd:	2-[illegible]-72	SL & RC: To be determined, Santa Cruz, Calif.		
		37° 01' 04" - 121° 58' 27"		
		Atty --Michael H. Bader		
		Engr--		
AMENDED	7-8-71	Make correction on VG's.		
AMENDED:	8-11-71.	Suppkemental Financial Information.		

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89.1mc

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Name 'PATAPHYSICAL BROADCASTING FOUNDATION, INC.
Santa Cruz, California

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPED-867 R & F No Fee Required Press FEB 25 1972 PN REC'd: AMENDED	1-30-72 2-3-72 2-23-72 2-9-72	MP (BPED-1,283) chg. TL to 518 California Street, Santa Cruz, California; operate SL from 1025 Laurel St., Santa Cruz, California; operate by RC from proposed studio location; make chg. ant. system (decrease height). (36° 58' 11" - 122° 02' 17.5") Atty: William J. Byrnes re/ltr. dated 2/3/72 to be associated with application.	GRANTED	2-29-72
BMPED-880 R & F No Fee Required Press APR 11 1972	3-28-72 3-31-72	MP (BPED-1,283, as mod.) to make changes in antenna system (decrease height). Atty: William J. Byrnes	GRANTED	4-13-72
BLED-990 R & F Amended PTA PRESS JUL 3 1972	4-19-72 4-25-72 5-3-72 5-10-72	Lic.(BPED-1283, as mod.) for New FM Educ. B/c Station. Transmitter MOSELEY LPT-10. Section VI Atty: Haley, Bader & Potts(WM J. Byrnes)	GRANTED	7-17-72

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Name ...'Pataphysical Broadcasting Foundation, Inc.
Santa Cruz, California

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action: Nature	Action: Date
BPED-1,510 R & F No Fee Required Press PN Rec'd: OCT 24 1972	9-12-72 9-19-72 10-12-72	CP to chg. frequency to: ~~90.3mc #212~~; chg. ~~antenna-transmitter loc. to: Lot 3, Summit Park near Empire Grade, 2 miles S.W. of Boulder Creek, California~~; chg. SL & RC to: 2222 East Cliff Drive, Santa Creek, California; ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~; ~~install new ant. (Andrew Scala, Vee HDCA-5, 1 section (H) and 3 sects. (V)~~; ~~chg. TPO~~; ERP: ~~(Max.) 0.108~~; HAAT: ~~1847.5'~~. ~~(37° 06' 02" 122° 08' 24")~~ Atty: William J. Byrnes	GRANTED	11-13-73
	12-1-72	REQUEST FOR IMPOSITION OF CONDITION FILED WILLIAM J. BYRNES, ESQ.		
AMENDED	1-11-73	Make changes in directional pattern.		
	1-19-73	ERRATA TO OPPOSITION TO REQUEST FOR IMPOSITION OF CONDITION FILED BY PATAPHYSICAL B/CING. FOUNDATION, INC.		
	1-30-73	REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO REQUEST FOR IMPOSITION OF CONDITION FILED BY TELEPROMPTER CABLE SYSTEMS, INC.		
AMENDED	2-22-73	Make chg. ant. system.		

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89.1mhz.

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Name 'Pataphysical Broadcasting Foundation, Inc.
Santa Cruz, California

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPED-1,510	CONTINUED FROM CARD # 3		GRANTED	11-13-73
	6-14-73	MOTION FOR EXPEDITED CONSIDERATION FILED BY 'PATAPHYSICAL BROADCASTING FOUNDATION, INC.		
	6-26-73	RESPONSE TO MOTION FOR EXPEDITED CONSIDERATION FILED BY 'PATAPHYSICAL BROADCASTING FOUNDATION, INC.		
	7-9-73	REPLY TO RESPONSE TO MOTION FOR EXPEDITED CONSIDERATION FILED BY PATAPHYSICAL B/Cing FOUNDATION, INC.		
AMENDED Press P. N. Rec'd	9-18-73 OCT - 9 1973 10-10-73	Sect. I, II, III and Engr. Dat: Chg. frequency to: 88.9mhz #205; chg. TL to: 1 mile N.W. of Mt. Toro near City of Salinas, California; chg. trans. (Gates FM-1B); chg. ant. (Jampro JCP-3, 3 sects.); make chg. ant. system (increase height); chg. TPO; ERP: .860KW and HAAT: 2528'. (36° 32' 05" - 121° 37' 14")		
BLED-1275 R & F PTA PRESS	6-5-74 6-10-74 6-17-74	Lic.(BPED-1510)-Changes-Trans: COLLINS,830D-1B Antenna: COLLINS, LCP-3, 3 sects. Atty: Haley, Bader & Potts(Wm. J. Byrnes)	GRANTED	8-19-74

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89.1 mhz

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Name PATAPHYSICAL BROADCASTING FOUNDATION, INC.
Santa Cruz, California

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRED-561 R & F P.N. PRESS	7-15-74 8-1-74 8-1-74 AUG 29 1974	Renewal of License Atty.: William J. Byrnes	GRANTED	11-18-74
BSCA-1450 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS	2-15-75 3-26-75 APR 4 - 1975	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67 khz. Atty: William J. Byrnes (Haley, Bader & Potts)	GRANTED	5-1-75
BTC-8399 R & F FORM 316	7/5/77 7/14/77 JUL 25 1977	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Michael Moran, John Shipley, David Freedman, Mary Silliman, et al (Original 6 Member Board of Directors) to Stephanie Kaza, Hal Levin, Mary (Silliman) Adams, et al (7 Member Board of Directors) Atty - Haley, Bader & Potts (William Byrnes)	GRANTED EFF:	7/29/77

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Note re: BTC-8399 - Only one original Board of Directors left after TC granted(Mary(Silliman) Adams)

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Name PATAPHYSICAL BROADCASTING FOUNDATION, INC.
SANTA CRUZ, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRED-561	7-17-77	RENEWAL OF LICENSE		
BRSCA-1450	7-18-77	RENEWAL OF SCA		
R & F	7-20-77		GRANTED	12-16-77
PN Recd.	"			
PRESS	AUG 11 1977	Wm.J.Byrnes,Atty.		
BRED800801B9		Renewal of License	ISSUED	
BRSCA800801B9		Renewal of SCA		
PRESS	SEP 22 1980	Atty.: William J. Byrnes	Gr.	11-24-80

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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.

FM History Cards were initiated in the early 1940s, with the authorization of the earliest FM stations in the FM band, then at 42 to 50 MHz. (The band was shifted to its present location, 88 to 108 MHz, in 1946.) 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 radio station history.