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FM BROADCAST

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

KKOZ 8-27-79

Date first licensed April 3, 1964

Call letters KKOZ-FM

Station location BILLINGS, MONTANA

Name of licensee CHRISTIAN ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED

Transmitter location 636 Haugen Avenue, Billings, Montana (LHS-18-80)
xN. of Garden Ave., between Sugar Ave. & Riverside Rd., near Billings, Mont. (FH 7-31-63)(LH 4-3-64)

Main studio location 636 Haugen Avenue, Billings, Montana(LHS-18-80)
N. of Garden Ave., between Sugar Ave. & Riverside Rd., near Billings, Mont. (MPH 11-8-63)(LH 4-3-64)
X21 N. 27th St., Billings, Mont. (FH 7-31-63)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BPH-4010 HAAT:-30'	7-31-63	97.1mcs Ch.#246	ERP:16kw TPO:5kw	Unl.	9-30 3-31-64
	CP for a new FM Broadcast Station (Cond'l).				
BMPH-7714 (1)	11-8-63	Mod. of CP(BPH-4010) to chg. studio loc chg. type ant. (Jampro JA-4A, 4 secs.); delete RC oper. of trans.; & chg. ERP to 17.5kw.			
BLH-2485 HAAT:-30'	4-3-64	97.1mcs Ch.#246	ERP:17.5kw TPO:5kw	Unl.	4-3-64 4-1-65
	Lic.to cover CP(BPH-4010, as mod.) which auth. a new FM broadcast station; and specify type trans. as ITA FM-5000B.				
BRH-1504	3-12-65	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			4-1 4-1-68
BRH-1504(S)	3-29-68	Renewal of License			4-1-71
BRH-1504(S)	3-29-71	Renewal of License			4-1-74
EBSA	5-22-72				
BR-1504(L)	07-31-74	ARENEWAL			4-1-77
BRH-1504(S)	7-29-77	REN. OF LICENSE			4-1-80
COMTEL	3-28-78	TRANS: VERSACOUNT V-322 exciter/ Trans now installed			
EBSA	8-27-79	chg. call			
BPH790827AR HAAT: -30' (L)	11/2/79 (H)	97.1mhz CP to change type trans., and change TPO.	ERP: 35kw (H) TPO: 10kw		decre ERP 11/2/80
BRH791204V0 (S)	5-12-80	Renewal of License			4-1-83
BLH-800707AB HAAT:-30' (L)	8-18-80 (H)	97.1 Lic. to cover (BPH-790827AR) for changes.	ERP:35.0(H)		4-1-83
BSCA801031AL	11-13-80	SCA On 67 KHz.			

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KURL-FM

Name CHRISTIAN ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED
BILLINGS, MONTANA (P.O. Harold Erickson, 21 North 27th Street, Billings, Montana)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-4010 Rec'd Filed	2-2-63 2-6-63 2-6-63	Construction Permit for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 97.1mc CH 246 ERP 15.9kw Type Antenna - Andrew 1304-1A (4 sections) HAAT -30 feet Type transmitter - Gates FM-5C TPO 5kw Trans. location - North of Garden Ave. between Sugar Ave. and Riverside Rd. Billings, Montana (Same as AM) Studio location - 21 North 27th Street (Same as AM) Billings, Montana Remote Control - Same as studio Atty. Pogue & Neal Eng. J. B. Hatfield, Seattle, Wash.	GRANTED Cond'l re KURL submit 302s	7-31-63

FORM BC-121 #2
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KVAK - FM

Name CHRISTIAN ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED
BILLINGS, MONTANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPH-7714 R & F	10-4-63 10-7-63	Mod. of CP (BPH-4010 which auth a new Class C FM B/C station) to chg type ant (JAMPHO-JA-4A, 4 sect), incr ERP from 16 to 17.6kw, chg main studio loc from 21 N. 27 th St. to N. of Garden Ave. between Sugar & Riverside Rd. near Billings, Montana & delete RC.	GRANTED	11-8-63
BLH-2485 R & F	12-6-63 12-9-63	Lic. to cover CP (BPH-4010 as mod) which auth a new Class C FM B/C station and specify type trans as (ITA-FM-5000B).	GRANTED	4-3-64
BRH-1504 R & F	1/4/65 1/7/65	Renewal of license	GRANTED	3-12-65
BRH-1504 R & F	12-29-67 1-2-68	Renewal of license	GRANTED	3-29-68

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APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

Call Letters KURL-FM

Name CHRISTIAN ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED
Billings, Montana

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-1504 Rec'd Filed P.N. PRESS JAN 22 1971	12-31-70 1-6-71 1-6-71 1-6-71	Renewal of License AMENDED 1-28-71 re: Section I, signature page submitted re: date	GRANTED	3-25-71
BRH-1504 R & F PN Recd. PRESS 4 JAN 1973	12-31-73 1-2-74 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 5-6-74 re: composition of area: EEO; business interests AMENDED 6-3-74 re: EEO	GRANTED	8-31-74
BRH-1504 R & F PN Recd. PRESS DEC 22 1976	11-29-76 12-2-76 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 3-31-77 re: programming & EEO	GRANTED	7-29-77

(BRH-1504) Sect. II returned 1-20-71 re: Dated later than Sect. I.

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

97.1MHz.

Call Letters: KKOZ KURL-FM

Name: CHRISTIAN ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED

Station Location: BILLINGS, MONTANA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BPH790827AR PRESS (O)	OCT 3 1979	CP to change type Trans.; decre. ERP: 35.26kw (H) & chg. TPO.	GRANTED 11/2/79
BRH791204VO PRESS	FEB 6 1980	Renewal of License	GRANTED 5-12-80
BLH-800707AB PTA PRESS	JUL 30 1980	License to cover BPH-790827AR) for changes. Redescribed SL & TL: 636 Haugen Avenue, Billings, Montana Atty: None	GRANTED 8-18-80

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

97.1Mhz.

Call Letters: K K O Z

Name: CHRISTIAN ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED

Station Location: BILLINGS, MONTANA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BSCA801031AL PRESS (0)	NOV 13 1980	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a Subcarrier Frequency of 67 Kilohertz.	GRANTED 11-13-80
BALH810622EJ Form 314 PRESS PN filed 7-17-81	JUN 26 1981	Vol AL to Communication Systems II Atty. Roger J. Metzler, Jr.	EFF: 8-12-81

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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.