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BC-126
June 1975

COMMERCIAL TELEVISION

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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CH 50

Date first licensed

Call letters K Y F C

Station location KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

12-4-75

Name of licensee KANSAS CITY YOUTH FOR CHRIST, INC.

Transmitter location SW of 56th St. & Bennington Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

Main studio location 4715 Rainbow Blvd., Westwood, Kans.

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPCT-4950 AH:1120' MSL:2049'	4-29-77	Ch-50 686-692	V-676kW A-67.6kW	Unl.	6-29-77 10-29-78
CP for new Commercial Television Station.					
BPCT-4950 (1)	7-5-77	Call letters assigned			
BRCTV-383 (2)	4-14-78	MP of CP for remote control			
BMPCT-780922KG AH:1120'MSL:2049'	10-31-78	CH-50 686-692	V.676kw A67.6 kW	Unl.	5-29-77 4-30-79
MP(BPCT-4950, as mod.) to extend completion date.					
BLCT-781204KG as mod.) for New Station.	11-21-80	Lics.to cover (BPCT-4950,			2-1-83

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Call Letters (NEW) K Y F C

Name KANSAS CITY YOUTH FOR CHRIST, INC.
CH-50 KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI (PO c/o David Lewis, 4715 Rainbow Blvd., Shawnee Mission, KS 66205)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-4950 R & F #590646 $2500 AC: 001 PRESS: 18 AUG 1976 PN REC'D: 8-10-76 GRANT FEE: $22,500 GRANT FEE PAID: AC: 002	7-2-76 7-8-76 7-8-76	CP for new TV on: Freq.: Ch-50, 686-692MHz ERP: Vis. 889kW(Max) 652kW(H), Aur. 65.2kW(H) HAAT: 1159 ft. TL: 1000' W. of intersection of Southwest Blvd. & 27th St., Kansas City, Mo. (39-04-43 94-36-12) SL: 4715 Rainbow Blvd., Westwood, Mo. Trans.: Harris BT-55U Ant.: Harris TAZ-24U (BT) MAJOR ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION REQUEST WAIVER OF SECTIONS 73.610(d) AND 73.613 OF THE RULES. Atty.: Clifford M. Harrington (Fisher, Wayland, Southmayd and Cooper) Engr.: Edward F. Lorents & Associates AMENDED 7-13-76 to submit Missouri Articles of Incorporation. AMENDED 2-11-77 re engineerdng Amended 3-17-77 re FAA determination	GRANTED	4-22-77

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

STATEMENT OF ASSOCIATION OF MAXIMUM SERVICE TELECASTERS, Inc. filed 9-17-76 by Jonathan D. Blake (re Kansas City Youth's request for waiver of 73.610(d)).

PHASE 1 REFUND ACTION :

BPCT-4950

590646

TRANS. CODE	DATE	AMT.	INITIALS
500	791208	933.00	BEJ

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters (~~New~~) K Y F C

Name KANSAS CITY YOUTH FOR CHRIST, INC.
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-4950	(Cont'd.)	Amended 4-21-77 re response to comm. inquires. AMENDED 8-14-80 re programming	GRANTED	4-29-77
BRCTV-383 R&F PRESS	12-9-77 12-12-77 JAN 11 1977	Request authority to operate transmitter by remote control from 4715 Rainbow Blvd., Westwood, Kansas. Atty.: Applicant	GRANTED	4-14-78
BMPCT-780927KG PRESS	OCT 17 1978	MP (BPCT-4950, as mod.) to extend completion date.	GRANTED	10-31-78
BLCT-781204KG R&F PRESS	12-4-78	Lic. to cover CP(BPCT-4950,as mod.)for new station. Willard R. Nichols, Atty, (KIRKLAND & ELLIS)	GRANTED	11-21-80

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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 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.