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June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 11-6-59 Call letters K G H S

Station location International Falls, Minn.

Name of licensee K G H S, INC., (AL 11-2-60; EFF: 12-1-60
x INTERNATIONAL FALLS BROADCASTING COMPANY, INCORPORATED

Transmitter location East 15th Street, Extended, International Falls/ Minn. (Re-descrt. BL-11-6-59)
x About 1.3 mi. E. of center of city on County Rd. to Ranier, Near International Falls, Minn.

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E. 15th St., Extended, International Falls, Minn. (BS 7-22-64)
X 3rd Avenue and 4th Street, International Falls, Minnesota (BL-11-6-59)

Main studio location x To be determined, International Falls, Minnesota (BP-3-25-59)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From	Period To
BP-11810	3-25-59	1230kc	100w	U /RC	5-25	11-25-59
	CP for a new standard broadcast station. (Condl)					
BL-7617	11-6-59	1230kc	100w	U	11-6	4-1-62
	Lic. to cover CP (BP-11,810) which auth. a new standard broadcast station and specify studio & RC location as 3 rd Ave. & 4th St., International Falls, Minnesota and specify GATES EC-250GY trans.					
BTC-3451	6-3-60	Voluntary acquisition of positive control				
EFF:	6-3-60	of licensee corporation by Hylene S.George and Philip S.George(A Family Group)thru purchase of stock from C. H. Hulse, Jr. and Charles R. Shuffett.				
BAL-4023 EFF	11-2-60 12-1-60	Voluntary assignment of license to K G H S, INC.				
BR-3801	3-30-62	1230kc	100w	Unl	4-1	4-1-65
BP-14,479	6-27-62 COND'L	1230kc	250w	Un	8-27	2-27-63
		CP to increase power from 100w to 250w				
BL-9689 (1)	2-14-63	Lic. to cover CP (BP-14,479) which auth incr. in power.				
BS-3801 (2)	7-22-64	Mod. of lic. to chg. studio loc. to tran loc. & delete oper. of trans. by RC from old studio loc.				
BR-3801	4-14-65	1230kc.	250w,	U	4-1	4-1-68
BR-3801(S)	3-29-68	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Renewal of NDEA				4-1-71
BTC-5609	4-30-68	Vol. TC				
BR-3801(S)	3-25-71	Renewal and NDEA				4-1-74
BTC-6562	5-26-71	VOL. Acq. of Mag. TC EFF: 6-22-71				
EBSA	5-25-72					
BR-3801(L)	4-29-74	RENEWAL				4-1-77
BR-3801	3-15-77	(S) RENEWAL OF LICENSE				4-1-80
BP-20,422	5-15-78	1230khz. 250w, 500w Unl,				5-15-79
	CP to increase daytime power, change type trans.					
Ltr.	9-18-78	Trans. now: HARRIS MW-1A				
BL-781011AF(L)	1-10-79	Lic. to cover BP-20,422 for changes				4-1-80

BC-126
June 1975

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters K G H S

Station location .....

Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From	Period To
BZ-790921AA(1)	11-19-79	DIRECT MEASUREMENT				
BR 791129 U A	3-25-80	(S)	RENEWAL			4-1-83

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters NEW K.G.H.S.

Name INTERNATIONAL FALLS BROADCASTING COMPANY, INCORPORATED
(P.C. - C.H. Hulse, 1637 Miller Ave., Murray, Ky.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-11,810 Rec'd Filed	1-15-58 1-20-58 1-20-58	Construction permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 1230kc Power - ~~250w~~ 100w Hours of operation - Unlimited Trans. location - About 1.3 mi E of center of city on County Road to Ranier, International Falls, Minnesota Studio location - To be determined. International Falls, Minnesota Remote Control Point - Same as studio Atty. - Harry J. Daly Engr. - Comm. Radio Equip. Co.	GRANTED	3-25-59
AMENDMENT R & F	1-12-59 1-15-59	AMENDED to decrease power to 100w and change type transmitter (GATES BC 250T)	Subj to cond that permittee install an approved type freq. monitor before prog. tests auth.	

GATES BC 250% T

FORM BC-1 #2
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters K G H S

Name K INTERNATIONAL FALLS BROADCASTING COMPANY, INCORPORATED
International Falls, Minn

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BL-7617 Rec'd Filed	8-14-59 8-18-59 8-18-59	License to cover construction permit (BP-11,810) which authorized a new standard broadcast station and specify studio location as 3rd Ave. & 4th St., International Falls, Minn. and specify GATES BC-250 GY transmitter. and Remote Control operation from Main Studio	GRANTED	11-6-59
BTC-3451 Rec'd Filed	5-10-60 5-16-60 5-16-60	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of licensee corporation by Hyleme S. George and Philip S. George (A Family Group) thru purchase of stock from C. H. Hulse, Jr. and Charles R. Shuffett. Harry J. Daly, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	6-3-60 6-3-60
BP-14,479 Rec'd Resub Rec'd & F AMENDMENT R & F	9-24-60 9-27-60 11-3-60 11-7-60 2-23-62 2-27-62	CP to increase power from 100w to 250w Atty.- Daly and Ehrig Eng.- Charles B. Persons & Assoc., Minneapolis, Minn. AMENDED to change applicant name to KGHS, INC. (BAL-4023 gr 11-2-60)	~~Ret'd~~ ~~Eng.- Extr. distorted~~ GRANTED COND'L re 3.54 of Rules	~~10-7-60~~ 6-27-62

FORM BC-121 #3
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Name K G H S, INC.
INTERNATIONAL FALLS BROADCASTING COMPANY, INCORPORATED
INTERNATIONAL FALLS, MINN.

Call Letters K G H S

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BAL-4023 Rec'd Filed	9-23-60 9-29-60 9-29-60	Voluntary assignment of license to K G H S, Inc. Leonard S. Joyce, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	11-2-60 12-1-60
BR-3801 Rec'd Filed	12-30-61 1-2-62 1- 2-62	Renewal of license	GRANTED	3-30-62
BL-9689 R. & F.	8-27-62 8-28-62	Lic to cover CP(BP-14,479) which auth incr in power. Atty- Daly & Ehrig	GRANTED	2-14-63
BR-3801 R & F	1/4/65 1/6/65	Renewal of license	GRANTED	4-14-65

FORM BC-121 CARD #4
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1230kc

Call Letters KGHS

Name KGHS, INC.
INTERNATIONAL FALLS, MINNESOTA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-3801 R & F FEB 1 1968	12-29-67 1-2-68	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	3-29-68
BTC -5809 R & F (Form 316)Fee $45 REFUNDED APR 1 1968	3-31-68 4-8-68 pd$75-#419306/	Voluntary acquisition of negative control of lic. corp. by Jacqueline B. Bue thru transfer of stock from the Estate of Vernon A.Bue, Deceased	GRANTED EFF:	4-30-68 5-10-68
BP- Rec'd Filed $30-617511 PN filed PRESS:	7-23-70 7-31-70 7-31-70 8-17-70	Construction permit to increase daytime power to 1kw. and change type transmitter to CCA, AM-1000D Atty. Cohn and Marks (George Borsari) Eng. C. J. Thomforde	RETURNED requested by appli. MAY 10 1972	5-8-72

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

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1230 kc

Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters K G H S

Name KGHS, INC.
INTERNATIONAL FALLS, MINNESOTA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-3801 R & F PN Recd. PRESS JAN 21 1971	12-29-70 1-4-71 1-4-71	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	3-25-71
BTC-6562 R & F FEE PD: $250 #001507 CODE 053 (Form 316) MAY 6 1971	4-14-71 4-19-71	Voluntary acquisition of negative control of lic corp by each, Daniel D. Ganter and Karen N. Ganter thru purchase of stock from Jacqueline J.	GRANTED EFF:	5-26-71 6-22-71
BR-3801 R & F PN Recd. PRESS 11 JAN 1974	12-21-73 12-26-73 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 4-9-74 re: commercial policy	GRANTED	4-29-74

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

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters K G H S

Name KGHS, INC.
International Falls, Minn.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-20,422 Rec'd Filed $100-584618 PN filed	6-22-76 6-24-76 6-24-76 6-24-76 10-12-76	Construction permit to inc. daytime power to 500w, chg. type trans. Gates BC-500H Atty: - Eng. C. J. Thomforde (Major) NOV 23 1977	GRANTED	5-15-78
BR-3801 R & F P.N. PRESS FEB 14 1977	11-26-76 11-29-76 11-29-76	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	3-15-77
BL-781011AF R & F PTA PRESS NOV 1 1978	10-11-78 10-20-78	Lic. to cover BP-20,422 for changes	GRANTED	1-10-79

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

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APPLICATION RECORD BROADCASTING

Call Letters: K G H S 1230khz

Name: KGHS, INC.

Station Location: International Falls, Minnesota

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BZ-790921AA R & F DM PRESS NOV 13 1979	9-21-79 10-11-79	Direct Measurement	GRANTED 11-19-79
BR 791129 UA PRESS DEC 10 1979		RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED 3-25-80

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March 1979

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 one set is known to 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.