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Form BC 126
June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters WCBR

Station location Richmond, Kentucky

Name of licensee W.C.B.R. RADIO, INC. (AL 5-13-75 EFF: 7/2/75)
X J.T. PARKER BROADCASTING CORPORATION(AL 10-18-71
X LEWIS P. YOUNG, tr/as CHRISTIAN BROADCASTERS

Transmitter location Just E. of U.S. 25 & 421, .7 mi. E. of Richmond, Kentucky (BP 10-7-69)

Main studio location College Park Shopping Center, 541 Leighway Dr., Richmond, Ky. (Ltr. 1-7-75
X To be determined, Richmond, Kentucky (BP 10-7-69)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To-
BP-17317	10-7-69	1110kc	250w	Day RC	6-7-70
	CP for a	new standard broadcast station.			
BP-17317(1)	12-1-69	Call letters assigned.			
BL-12,515 (L)	6-1-70	Lic.(BP-17,317) D/c Sta.		for new standard	6-1-73
BAL-7288	10-18-71	VOL. AL			
EBSA	6-12-72				
BZ-8088(L)	7-6-72	Direct Measurement			
BR-4807	10-11-73	(S) RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1-76
COMTEL	1-16-74	PSA	17w	protect WBT	
BS-4807(1)	1-6-74	Chg. to CST.			
Ltr.	1-7-75	SL & RC College Park Shopping Ctr. 541 Leighway Dr., Richmond, Ky.			
BTC-7695	4-4-75	Vol. TC EFF:			
BAL-8355	5-13-75	VOL. AL EFF:7/8/75			
BS-4807(L)	11-7-75	ML to change back to EST			8-1-76
BR-4807(S)	9-30-76	Renewal of License			8-1-79
BTC-8352	6/15/77	Vol acq of neg con EFF:			
BR-790328UX BZ-790517AA(L)	7-23-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AND MODIFICATION			8-1-82
BTC790717FO	11-16-79	VOL. TC		EFF:	

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WGBS

Name LEWIS F. YOUNG tr/as CHRISTIAN BROADCASTERS
~~[illegible]~~
RICHMOND, KENTUCKY (~~[illegible]~~
P.O. Box ~~603~~ 317, Richmond, Ky. 40475)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-17,317 H & F	6-24-66 7-1-66	Construction permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 1110kc Power: 250w Hours of operation: Daytime Type transmitter: Collins-21V-3 Trans location: Just E of U.S. 25 & 421, .7 mi E of Richmond, Ky. Studio location: To be determined, Richmond, Ky. Remote control location: Same as studio (Preliminary examination indicates this proposal is MUTUALLY EXCLUSIVE with BP-17,290) Engr: Ralph E. Hitzer St.Louis, Mo.	GRANTED	10-7-69
SEE AMEND CARD #2				
AMENDMENT	5-21-68	Change applicant's name to LEWIS F. YOUNG tr/as CHRISTIAN BROADCASTERS.		
H & F Press:	5-23-68			

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

CONTACT: LEWIS P. YOUNG
PHONE: Code 502; 386-1501
ADDRESS: 4643 S. SIXTH ST.
LOUISVILLE, KY. 40214

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters new W C B R

J. T. PARKER BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Name x LEWIS P. YOUNG tr/as CHRISTIAN BROADCASTERS

Richmond, Kentucky

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-17,317 continued AMENDMENT R&F 12-9-68 AMENDED 8-27-69 re community needs.		AMENDED Section III.	GRANTED	10-7-69
BL-12,619 R & F $500.00 $30. PTA PRESS	2-25-70 2-26-70 2-26-70 3-5-70	Lic.(BP-17,317) for new Standard B/c Sta. Studio & RC loc: 2nd & Irvine. Transmitter: COLLINS 300G.		
MAY 1 [illegible] 1970				
BAL-7268 R & F FEE PD: $1000 #500004 CODE 047 Pub. notice filed 5-25-71	4-9-71 4-13-71	Voluntary assignment of license to J.T. PARKER BROADCASTING CORPORATION REQUEST WAIVER SECTION 1.597 (SEE OVER) Atty - Samuel Miller	GRANTED Req. grant fee $410.00 Grant fee paid [illegible] W 514[illegible]	10-18-71 12-[illegible]
BZ-3032 R & F EM PRESS	5-5-72 5-10-72 [illegible] 1972 JUN [illegible]	Direct Measurement.	GRANTED	[illegible]

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

RE: BAL-7288 - ATTY WAS CALLED 5-5-71 - Exhibit 2 does not show depreciation, original cost etc as stated in Exh.1 Page 1, Sec 111 missing

AMENDED 5-24-71 re programming(assignor)

AMENDED: 8-4-71 - loan commitment (increase)

~~AMENDED~~ Ltr from atty filed 10-4-71 to reflect grant of new FM(BPH-7494) (assignee)

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1110 kc

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters W C B R

W.C.B.R. RADIO, INC.

Name J.T. PARKER BROADCASTING CORPORATION

RICHMOND, KENTUCKY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-4807 R & F PN Recd. PRESS APR 26 1973	4-4-73 4-16-73 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 9-17-73 re: financial statement; Prog.	GRANTED	10-11-73
BTC-7695 R & F FEE PD: $50 # 397168 CODE 047 (Form 316) ALSO SEE FN MAR 4 1975	3-3-75 3-3-75	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from J.T. Parker, Jr. and Lewis P. Young (50% each) to J.T. Parker, Jr. (100%)	GRANTED EFF: 5-22-75 No Fee Required	4-4-75
TAL-8355 R & F FEE PD: $200 # 397166 CODE 047 (ALSO SEE FN) MAR 7 1975	3-3-75 3-3-75	Voluntary assignment of license to W.C.B.R. RADIO, INC. Contingent on grant of BTC-7695 AMENDED 4-10-75 - financial & prog. data	GRANTED GRANT FEE REQUIRED EFF: 7/8/75 gr fee pd 7/16/75 W 229470	5-13-75

PUB. NOTICE FILIED 4-21-75

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

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September 1969

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1110 kc

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters W C B R

Name W.C.B.R. RADIO, INC.
RICHMOND, KENTUCKY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-4807 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	3-26-76 4-1-76 " JUN 18 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 7-16-76 re: comm. survey, prog., commercial matter & EEO AMENDED 1-31-77 re: EEO	Granted	9-30-76
BTC-8352 R & F FORM 316 ALSO SEE WBZF(FM)	5/23/77 5/31/77 [illegible]	Voluntary acquisition of negative control of lic corp by George W. Robbins thru purchase of stock from Albert R. Weaver	GRANTED EFF:	6/15/77
BTC-781206EA PRESS Form315 AMENDED 1-24-79 Also see WBZF(FM)	JAN 29 1979	Vol transfer of negative control of lic corp from J.T. Parker, Jr. to James A. Jones David L. Humes Alan W. Reed and Tony Price (12 ½% each) (over)	DISMISSED REQUEST OF ATTORNEY	5-16-79

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

BTC

Filed 1-22-79

Note: Table I-home addresses not given; reasons for TC AMENDED 1-22-79 - Bal streets David L. Humes & Tony Price; James A. Jones comm. ascertainment (FORM 316 filed with amendment - RETURNED AS unnec.- same as 315)

Contract

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1110KHz.

APPLICATION RECORD BROADCASTING

Call Letters: W C B R

Name: W.C.B.R. RADIO, INC.

Station Location: RICHMOND, KENTUCKY

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BR790328UX PRESS JUN 13 1979		RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED 7-18-79 issued with BZ-790517AA
BZ-790517AA R &F DM PRESS JUL 18 1979	5-17-79 5-23-79	Direct Measurement	GRANTED 7-23-79 issued with RENEWAL
BTC 79[illegible] [illegible] PRESS: [illegible] 1979 PN FILED	 9-27-79	Vol TO from J.L. Parker, Jr. and [illegible] (50% each) to C.L. [illegible] (50%) and David Lee Humes (25%) and Mark Anthony Cole (25%) (see over) Atty - Larry Ferry, Cape Girardeau, Mo.	GRANTED 11-16-79 EFF:

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RE BTC/FO - signature page 5(signed by pres) filed 8-7-79
~~(origxxx~~ as originally filed - Chairman signed applic)

AMENDED 9-28-79 re: signature page for transferees; proposed off/dir. of corp licensee; other B/c int of appl. financial plan & bank letter

AMENDED 10-15-79 re: directors of corp.; amend. financial plan; bank ltr.; bal. sheet of David Humes & qual. of Elizabeth Robbins

AMENDED 11-8-79 re: engineering data - contour maps

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: W C B R

Name: W.C.B.R., RADIO, INC.

Station Location: RICHMOND, KENTUCKY

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BZ-810813AC R & F DM PRESS[illegible]	8-13-81	DIRECT MEASUREMENT Atty: ---	ISSUED

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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. 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.