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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

WICE (2-21-52, Eff. 3-1-52)
x W D E M (LTR. 9-1-49)
x W N A F

Date first licensed 7-28-49 EFF: 5-26-78 Call letters

DUNN BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 3-27-78 LOCATION: Providence, Rhode Island

xCROHAN COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY (AL 10-26-73 EFF: 11-16-73)

x PROVIDENCE BROADCASTING CO. (BAL 4-12-62 EFF: 4-16-62)

X PROVIDENCE RADIO, INC. (AL 7-11-56) (EFF 8-15-56)

x NARRAGANSETT BAY BROADCASTING COMPANY (AP 6-22-49: EFF: 7-22-49

Name of licensee x COMMUNITY BROADCASTING SERVICE CO.

1110 Douglas Ave., North, Providence, R.I. (BL-5-20-60)

xGeneva Pond at NW city limits of Providence, Rhode Island (CP 11-25-58)

Transmister location x Bold Point, East Providence, Rhode Island. (CP & MP 9-24-47) (Lic. 7-28-49)

198 Dyer Street, Providence, Rhode Island (BS 3-18-63) (EFF: 1-29-63)

208 Weybosset Street

XCrown Hotel, Providence, Rhode Island (Let. of 7-27-56)

X 1111 North Main Street, Providence, Rhode Island (Ltr. 6-25-51)

x Metropolitan Theatre Bldg., 15 Chestnut St., Providence, Rhode Island (Ltr. 6-29-50

x7th Floor, 31 Canal St., Providence, R. I. (Ltr. 7-18-49) (Lic. 7-28-49)

x 86 Weybosset St., Providence, R.I. (MP 12-3-47)

Main studio location x Narragansett Hotel, 97 Dorrance Street, Providence, R.I. (CP&MP 9-24-47)

FCC-65

CONFIDENTIAL FILE AT FCC RECORD

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
B1-P-5407	3-27-47	1290kc	500w	Day	
Letter 4-30-47. CP for new station granted subject to filing MP for T. site and antenna and subject to whatever interference may be caused to station by grant of BP-5728 for new station at Hartford, Conn. on same frequency.					
B1-P-5407 BMP-2780	9-24-47 Mod. CP site.	1290 (5407)	500w for approval of antenna and T (Conditional Clause)	Daytime	11-24 5-24-48
BMP-3365	12-3-47 T and type of vertical antenna, and to change studio site. (Conditional)	Mod. CP (5407 as mod.) to change type			11-24 5-24-48
BAP-111	6-22-49 Bay Broadcasting Company	Vol. assignment of CP to Narragansett			
Eff: 7-22-49					
L-2882 BL-2734	7-28-49 Lic. station and determine opr. power by direct method.	1290 to cover	500w CP (5407 as mod) (Cond Clause)	Daytime	7-28 11-1-51 for a new
BTC-1165 Eff.	9-12-51 10-16-51	Acquisition of control of license corp. by Louis A.R. Pieri from J. H. Doorley and 7 other stockholders (COND'L CLAUSE)			
BR-2310	10-25-51	Extension of license			11-1 2-1-52
BR-2310	1-28-52	Extension of license			2-1 6-1-52
BR-2310	4-23-52	1290 kc	500 w	Day	4-23 4-1-54
Telegram	3-31-54 continued operation auth. until final determination on renewal.	Action on renewal deferred 3-31-54 and			
BR-2310	5-19-54	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			4-1 4-1-57
Telegram	9-1-54	Silent 30 days - hurricane damage			
Telegram	9-27-54	Operate Gates T at studio site 30 days			
Telegram	10-25-54	Ext. of above 30 days			
Telegram	11-29-54	Ext. of above period 30 days			
Telegram	12-29-54	Ext. of above period 30 days			
BRC-837 (1)	10-14-55 control from oooo	Mod. of lic. to N. Main	op. trans. by remote St., Providence, R. I.		

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Card #2

Date first licensed .....

Call letters W I C E

Name of licensee See Card #1

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BP-10,130	10-20-55	1290	500w	Day	12-20-55 6-20-56
	CP to install new transmitter.				
BL-6001	2-9-56	1290	500w	Day	2-9-56 4-1-57
	Lic. to cover CP(BP-10,130) to install a new transmitter. (COND'L. CLAUSE)				
BAL-2362 EFF:	7-11-56 8-15-56	Vol. Assignment of license to Providence Radio, Inc.			
BRC-1012 - -	8-22-56	Mod. of lic. to change remote control point from 1111 North Main St., Providence, R. I. to Room 202, Crown Hotel, 208 Weybosset Street, Providence, Rhode Island			
BR-2310	3-2-57	Renewal of License			4/1/57 4/1/60
BP-11,720	12-19-57	1290kc	250w	Aux.	2-19 6-19-58
	Construction permit to install a new transmitter as an Auxiliary transmitter, at present location of Main trans.,to be operated on 1290kc, 250w, for Auxiliary purposes only, and operate trans. by Remote Control from Studio Location.				
BL-7001	3-26-58	1290kc	250w	Aux.	3-26 4-1-60
	License to cover CP(BP-11,720)which authorized installation of a new transmitter (GATES BCA-250) as an aux. transmitter at present location of main transmitter and to be operated on 1290kc, 250w, for aux. purposes only & operate transmitter by remote control from studio location.				
BP-11681	11-25-58	1290kc	1kw,5kw-LS DA-2	U	1-25 7-25-59
	CP to increase power; change hours of operation; change antenna-trans. location; install directional antenna night and day(DA-2); make changes in ground system & install new transmitter (COLLINS 21E) delete remote control operation of transmitter. (COND'L)				

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters W I C E

Station location .....

Name of licensee PROVIDENCE RADIO, INC.

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div	Period From	To
BMP-8591 (1)	7-17-59	Mod. of CP(BP-11,681) for extension of completion date to 10-26-59.				
BMP-8656	8-12-59	1290kc	1kw,5kw-DA-2	LS U	10-12	4-12-60
	Mod. of CP(BP-11,681) to make changes in directional antenna system. (Relocate center tower array).					
BP-13402	9-30-59	1290kc	500w	Aux.	11-30	5-30-60
	CP to install old main trans. (GATES BC-500K) at Geneva Pond at NW city limits of Providence, Providence, R.I. as an aux. trans. to be operated on 1290kc with power of 500w for aux. purposes only.					
BP-13402	9-30-59	Superseding auth. to show 1290kc., 500w - directional antenna. (DA-2)				
BR-2310	3-16-60	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			4-1	4-1-63
BP-14003	4-29-60	1290kc	1kw-DA-2	Aux.	6-29	12-29-60
	CP to make changes in auxiliary transmitting equipment-Modify transmitter to (Gates-BC-1J) and increase power to 1kw.					
BL-7614	5-20-60	1290kc	1kw-DA-2 5kw-LS	U	5-20	4-1-63
	Lic. to cover cp (BP-11,681) for inc. of power, chg. in hrs. of oper., chg. ant-trans. loc; instl. DA,N & day, chg. in gr. system & instl. new trans. (Collins 21E) & dele. remote control oper. of tran					
BL-7934	11-18-60	1290kc	1kw-DA-D	Aux	11-18	4-1-63
	Lic. to cover cp (BP-14,003) ~~XXXIEM~~ which auth. chgs. in aux. trans. equip. & incr. power.					
AUX BL-7934 MAIN	11-18-60	1290kc	1kw-5kw-DA-2	Unl	11-18	4-1-63
	Lic. to show new nighttime transmitter.					
BP-13838	8-10-61	1290kc	1kw,5kw-LS	U	10-10	4-10-62
	CP to make changes in daytime directional antenna pattern.					
BTC-3826 EFF:	9-1-61 10-14-61	Voluntary transfer of control of Akron Broadcasting Corporation, majority stockholder of licensee corporation from Edwin Elliot to Edwin T. Elliot				

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters W I C E

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	To
BAPL-262 EFF:	4-12-62 4-16-62	Voluntary assignment of construction permit and license to Providence Broadcasting Co.				
BL-9098	5-17-62	1290kc	1kw-5kw-DA-2	U	5-17	4-1-63
	Lic. to cover CP (BP-13,838) which auth. chgs. in daytime directional ant. pattern.					
BS-2310 (1)	3-18-63	Mod. of license to change studio location.				
	3-27-63	COMMISSION DEFERRED ACTION ON RENEWAL PENDING FURTHER CONSIDERATION.				
BR-2310 AUX & MAIN (TRANS.) (Memo)	4-3-64	1290kc	1kw,5kw,LS-U 1kw-DA-2	to	4-3	4-1-66 4-1-66
BR-2310	3-21-66	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary)			4-1	4-1-69
BL-11944(L)	4-30-68	Lic. use main day as alt. main night.				4-1-69
BR-2310(S)	3-26-69	Renewal of License&NDEA (Main & Alt. Main-Aux.)			4-1	4-1-72
EBSA	5-25-72					
BR-2310(L)	4-10-72	RENEWAL MAIN - ALT.&AUX. NDEA			4-1-75	
BAL-7945	10-26-73	VOL. AL EFF:		11-16-73	4-1-75	
BR-2310(L)	3-31-75	RENEWAL (MAIN-ALTER. &AUX.)			4-1-78	
BR-2310	3-13-78	(S) REN.OF LIC. MAIN,ALT.MAIN & AUX.			4-1-81	
BAL-9273	3-27-78	Vol AL EFF:		5-26-78		
BS-2310(L)	4-12-78	Replace antenna monitor with Potomac Instruments AM-19(204)			4-1-81	

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WNAF x New

Name COMMUNITY BROADCASTING SERVICE CO.
(PO 32 Laurel Avenue, Providence, Rhode Island)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action: Nature	Action: Date
B1-P-5407 Rec'd Filed	10-31-46 11-1-46 11-1-46	Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 1290kc Power: ~~250w~~ 500w Hours of operation: Daytime only Trans. location: To be determined-Providence, Rhode Island Studio location: Narragansett Hotel, Providence, Rhode Island. Paul A. deMars, Engr.	GRANTED 3-27-47 Subject to filing MP for T. site & antenna & subject to whatever interference may be caused to station by grant of BP-5728 for new station at Hartford Conn. on same frequency Letter 4-30-47	
AMENDED Recd. Filed	11-30-46 12-5-46 12-5-46	AMENDED to increase power from 250w daytime to 500w daytime, ~~change type transmitter~~ ~~transmitter~~ and change re directors.	Issued with MP 2780	
AMENDED Recd. Filed	12-28-46 1-9-47 1-9-47	AMENDED to change type transmitter (Collins 20K)		

Transmitter- Collins ~~300-G~~ 20 K

Form 94

#2

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WNAF

Name COMMUNITY BROADCASTING SERVICE CO.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-2780 Rec'd Filed	5-21-47 5-26-47 5-26-47	Mod. of C.P. (B1-P-5407, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for approval of antenna and transmitter location at Bold Point, East Providence, Rhode Island. (Filed by Paul A. de Mars, Engr.)	GRANTED subject to whatever interference may be received from Station W C CC, Hartford, Conn.	9-24-47
BMP-3365 Rec'd Filed	11-12-47 11-20-47 11-20-47	Mod. of C.P. (B1-P-5407, as mod., which authorized a new standard broadcast station) to change type of transmitter (W.E. 353-E-1) and type of vertical antenna, and to change studio location from Narragansett Hotel, 97 Dorrance Street, Providence, R. I. TO 86 Weybosset Street, Providence, R. I.	GRANTED Prior to program tests applicant shall submit measurements showing that T meets performance requirements of Sec. 12 & 14 of Standards of Good Eng. practice and further subj. to interference from WCCC Hartford, Conn.	12-3-47

Form 94
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Name Narragansett Bay Broadcasting Company
~~COMMUNITY BROADCASTING SERVICE CO.~~

Call Letters WNAF

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BL-2882 Rec'd Filed	12-11-47 12-12-47 12-12-47	License to cover C.P. (B1-P-5407, as mod.,) which authorized a new standard broadcast station.	GRANTED subj. to whatever interference may be received from Station WCCC, Hartford, Connecticut.	7-28-49
		and		
BZ-2734 Rec'd Filed	12-11-47 12-12-47 12-12-47	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.		
AMENDED Recd. Filed	7-19-49 7-25-49 7-25-49	AMENDED to change name of applicant to: Narragansett Bay Broadcasting Company.		

FCC Form 94 #4

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Name NARRAGANSETT BAY BROADCASTING COMPANY (AP 6-22-49) x COMMUNITY BROADCASTING SERVICE CO.

Call Letters W D E M (LTR. 9-1-49) x W N A F

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BAP-111 Rec'd Filed	5-2-49 5-6-49 5-6-49	Voluntary Assignment of Construction Permit from Community Broadcasting Service Co. to Narragansett Bay Broadcasting Company. (Filed by Edward P. Morgan, Atty.)	GRANTED EFF:	6-22-49 7-22-49
BTC-1165 Rec'd Filed	4-30-51 7-27-51 7-27-51	Voluntary acquisition of control of licensee corporation by Louis A.R. Pieri thru purchase of 27,780 shares of stock from J. H. Doorley and 7 other stockholders. (80.20%)	GRANTED Cond'l not be consummated until Annual Financial Report for 1950 is filed Eff.	9-12-51 10-16-51

FORM A-170 #5 **APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING**

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Call Letters W I C E (2-21-52, Eff.3-1-52) xW D E M

Name NARRAGANSETT BAY BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-2310 Rec'd Filed	7-31-51 8-6-51 8-6-51	Renewal of license	GRANTED	4-23-52
BR-2310 Rec'd Filed	12-30-53 1-4-54 1-4-54	Renewal of License	Granted	5-19-54
BP-9675 Rec'd Filed	2-4-55 2-7-55 2-7-55	Construction permit to change antenna-transmitter location from Bold Point, East Providence, Rhode Island to Property frontage next to 920 Manton Avenue, Providence, R. I.; change studio location from 1111 North Main St., Providence, R.I. to Manton Avenue, Providence, R.I.; install a new transmitter (GATES BC-1F) and make changes in the antenna (increase height). Krieger & Jorgensen, Attys.	DISMISSED	12-12-55 request of atty.

SEE CARD #6 FOR AMENDMENT

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FORM A-170 #6
FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WICE

Name NARRAGANSETT BAY BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-9675 AMENDED Rec'd Filed	3-26-55 3-28-55 3-28-55	AMENDED to increase power from 500w to 1kw, change hours of operation from daytime to unlimited, install directional antenna (DA-1).	SEE CARD	#5 for action
BRC-837 Rec'd Filed	10-10-55 10-11-55 10-11-55	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 1111 North Main Street, Providence, Rhode Island.	GRANTED	10-14-55
BP-10,130 Rec'd Filed	10-10-55 10-11-55 10-11-55	construction permit to install a new transmitter (GATES-BC-500-K)	GRANTED	10-20-55
BL-6001 Rec'd Filed	12-5-55 12-7-55 12-7-55	License to cover construction permit (BP-10,130) which authorized the installation of a new transmitter. Seymour Krieger, Atty.	Granted Cond'l subj. to whatever interference may be rec'd. from Station WCCC, Hartford, Connecticut.	2-9-56

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

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FORM BC-121
FORMERLY FORM A-170

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WICE

PROVIDENCE RADIO, INC.

Name x NARRAGANSETT BAY BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BAL-2362 Rec'd Filed	6-15-56 6-18-56 6-18-56	Voluntary assignment of license to Providence Radio, Inc. Fisher, Wayland, Duvall and Southmayd, Attys.	GRANTED EFF:	7-11-56 8-15-56
BMC-1012 Rec'd Filed	8-2-56 8-3-56 8-20-56	Modification of license to change Remote Control Point from 1111 North Main Street Providence, Rhode Island to Room 202, Crown Hotel, 208 Weybosset Street, Providence, Rhode Island. Richard Hildreth, Atty.	GRANTED	8-22-56
BR-2310 Recd Filed	1-5-57 1-7-57 1-7-57	Renewal of license Charles F. Duvall, Atty	GRANTED	3-20-57

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters W I C E

Name PROVIDENCE RADIO, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-11,681 Rec'd Filed	11-3-57 11-4-57 11-4-57	Construction permit to increase power from 500w to 1kw-5kwLS; change hours of operation from Daytime to Unlimited; change antenna-trans. location from Bold Point, East Providence, R.I. to Geneva Pond at NW city limits of Providence, R.I., install directional antenna night and day (DA-2); make changes in ground system and install new transmitter (Collins 21E), delete remote control operation of transmitter. Atty. - Fisher, Wayland, Duvall & Southmayd Engr. - A.D. Ring & Assoc.	GRANTED Cond'l re phase monitor, field meas. equip.; and DA-Non-DA proof	11-25-58
AMENDMENT R & F	11-6-58 11-7-58	AMENDED to make changes in nighttime DA pattern.		

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

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WICE

Name PROVIDENCE RADIO INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-11,720 Rec'd Filed	12-2-57 12-5-57 12-5-57	Construction permit to install a new transmitter (GATES BCA-250) as an auxiliary transmitter at present location of main transmitter and to be operated on 1290kc, 250w for auxiliary purposes only, & operated Trans. by R.C. Atty's: Fisher, Wayland, Duvall & Southmayd	GRANTED	12-19-57
BL-7001 Rec'd Filed	1-16-58 1-24-58 1-24-58	License to cover construction permit BP-11,720 which authorized installation of a new transmitter (GATES BCA-250) as an aux., transmitter at present location of main trans., and to be operated on 1290kc, 250w, for auxiliary purposes only and operate transmitter by remote control from studio location. Atty's: Fisher, Wayland, Duvall and Southmayd.	GRANTED	3-26-58

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#10

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WICE

Name PROVIDENCE RADIO, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-8591 Rec'd & Filed	6-17-59 6-19-59	Modification of c.p.(BP-11,681 which authorized incr.power;change hours of operation;change ant-trans.loc;install DA -night and day;changes in ground system; install new transmitter; delete remote control operation) for extension of completion date from 7-25-59 to 10-26-59. Fisher,Wayland,Duvall, & Southmayd,Attys.	GRANTED to 10-26-59	7-17-59
BMP-8656 R & F	8-6-59 8-7-59	Mod. of c.p.(BP-11681 as mod. which auth. increase power; change hours of operation; change ant.-trans. loc.; install directional antenna night and day(DA-2); make changes in ground system; install new transmitter; and delete remote control operation of transmitter) to make changes in directional antenna system. (Relocate center tower of array). Fisher,Wayland,Duvall, & Southmayd,Attys.	GRANTED 8-12-59	

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WICE

Name PROVIDENCE RADIO, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-13402 R&F	8-27-59 8-31-59	CP to install old main trans.(Gates BC-500K) at Geneva Pond at NW city limits of Providence, Providence, R.I., as an aux. trans. to be operated on 1290kc with power of 500w for aux. purposes only. Chas. Duvall, Atty	GRANTED	9-30-59
BL-7614 R & F	9-6-59 9-7-59	License to cover C. P. (BP-11681) for inc. of power, chg. in hrs. of oper, chg. ant-trans. loc; instl. DA,N & day, chg. in ground system & instl. new trans. (Collins 21E) & dele remote cont. operation of transmitter. Atty's: Fisher, Wayland, Duvall & Southmayd	GRANTED	5-20-60
BL-7753 Rec'd Filed	11-18-59 11-25-59 11-25-59	License to cover construction permit (BP-13,402) which authorized installation of old main transmitter as an auxiliary transmitter to be operated from 1110 Douglas Avenue (Main trans. loc. redescribed).	DISMISSED Request of applicant.	6-29-60

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

Licensee is not renewing the Gates BCA-250
Broadcasting Transmitter.

Per Charles Duvall
2-29-60.
Q. Proctor.

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters .....W.I.C.E.....

Name .....PROVIDENCE RADIO, INC.....

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-2310 Rec'd Filed	12-30-59 1-4-60 1-4-60	Renewal of license (MAIN) Charles F. Duvall, Atty,	GRANTED	3-16-60
BP- 13,838 R. & F.	1-20-60 1-21-60	CONSTRUCTION PERMIT to make changes in day-time directional antenna pattern. Atty.-Fisher, Wayland, Duvall & Southmayd Engr.- Carl E. Smith, Brecksville, Ohio	GRANTED	8-10-61
BR- Rec'd	2-15-60 2-18-60	Renewal of license (Aux. Transm-Gates, BC-500K) Chas. F. Duvall, Atty.	Returned as unnecessary 2-25-60 Re: Not licensed as of this date	
BP-14003 R & F	3-25-60 3-29-60	Construction Permit to make changes in auxiliary transmitting equipment - modify transmitter to (Gates-BC-1J) & increase power from 500w to 1kw. Atty's: Fisher, Wayland, Duvall & Southmayd	GRANTED	4-29-60

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

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WICE

Name PROVIDENCE RADIO, INC.
PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BL-7934 Rec'd&Filed	6/6/60 6/7/60	License to cover C.P. (BP 14003) which authorized changes in auxiliary transmitting equipment & inc. power.	GRANTED	11-18-60
AMENDMENT R & F	6-24-60 6-27-60	Atty's: Fisher, Wayland, Duvall, & Southmayd AMENDED to specify use of transmitter as Main trans. at night and Auxiliary transmitter daytime.		
BRC-1747 R. & F.	8-29-60 10-7-60	Mod. of license to operate transmitter by Remote Control from Crown Hotel, 208 Weybosset St., Providence, R. I. (Main). Atty- Charles V. Wayland,	DISMISSED 4-5-61 Req. of applicant	

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

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WICE

Name PROVIDENCE RADIO, INC.
PROVIDENCE, R. I.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BTC-3826 Rec'd Filed	8-7-61 8-9-61 8-9-61	Voluntary transfer of control of Akron Broadcasting Corporation, majority stockholder of licensee corporation from Edwin Elliot to Edwin T. Elliot. Charles F. Duvall, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	9-1-61 10-14-61
BAPL-262 Rec'd Filed	2-14-62 2-15-62 2-15-62	Voluntary assignment of construction permit and license to Providence Broadcasting Co. Charles F. Duvall, Atty. for Assignor Philip G. Loucks, Atty. for Assignee	GRANTED EFF:	4-12-62 4-16-62
BL-9098 R.&F. AMENDMENT R & F	1-9-62 1-10-62 5-7-62 5-8-62	Lic. to cover CP(BP-13838) which auth. chgs in daytime directional antenna pattern. ATTYS: Fisher, Wayland, Duvall & Southmayd AMENDED to change name to "Providence Broadcasting Co." (BAPL-262 gr 4-12-62)	GRANTED	5-17-62

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

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WICE

Name PROVIDENCE BROADCASTING CO.
Providence, R. I.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
R. & F.	11-9-62 11-13-62	CP to install main nighttime trans. (Gates BC-1J) as auxiliary trans. daytime on 1kw. Atty: Charles F. Duvall	Returned Unnecessary	12-5-62
BR-2310 Rec.& Fil.	12/31/62 1/2/63	Renewal of License (Main & Aux.)	GRANTED & Memo	4-3-64
LICENSEE NOW REPRESENTED BY COHN AND MARKS PER LETTER DATED AND RECEIVED 7-22-65				
BR-2310 Rec'd Filed	12-28-65 1-3-66 1-3-66	Renewal of License (Main & Aux.) Attys: Cohn & Marks	GRANTED	3-21-66
BL-11,944 R & F #418028 $30 PT APR 17 1968	3/29/68 4/1/68 4/1/68 4/10/68	Lic. to use main daytime trans. COLLINS 21-E as main daytime and alternate main nighttime. Atty: Roy F. Perkins	GRANTED	4-30-68

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

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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CROHAN COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY

Name x PROVIDENCE BROADCASTING CO.

Providence, R. I.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-2310 R & F #480949 $105. PRESS JAN 1 1969	12-26-68 12-31-68 12-31-68	Renewal of license---(Main & Aux-Alt. Main) Atty. Stanley Neustadt	GRANTED	3-26-69
BR-2310 R & F P.N. PRESS JAN 24 1972	12-10-71 12-30-71 12-30-71	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary-Alt. Main) Atty: Martin J, Gaynes (Cohn & Marks) AMENDED 2-9-72 re: Commercial practices AMENDED 3-15-72 re: engineering data	GRANTED	4-10-72
BAL-7945 R & F FEE PD: $1000 #214787 CODE 047 Pub. notice filed 8-10-73	7-13-73 7-16-73	Voluntary assignment of license to CROHAN COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY Atty - Cohn & Marks Signature page(assignor) Sec.IV-A filed 9-17-73 AMENDED 10-5-73 re purchase price; Sec.III	GRANTED grant fee EFF: 047 PD 11-23-73 W 254269	10-26-73 $20,000.00 11-16-73

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Name DUNN BROADCASTING COMPANY
xCROHAN COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY
Providence, Rhode Island

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-2310 R & F PN Redd. PRESS:	11-29-74 12-2-74 12-2-74 JAN 21 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX.) Atty: Robert B. Jacobi	GRANTED	3-31-75
BR-2310 R & F PN PRESS	11-18-77 11-28-77 " " DEC 12 1977	Renewal of License (Main, Alt.Main & Aux.)	GRANTED	3-13-78
BAL-9273 R & F FORM 314 FEB 17 1978 PN FILED	1-25-78 2-1-78 3-17-78	Voluntary assignment of license to DUNN BROADCASTING COMPANY (OVER) Atty - Brown, Cahill & Bernstein	GRANTED EFF:	3-27-78 5-26-78

82-11-28-79

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BAL-9273 Amended 3-17-78 re:clarifying statement re directors in by laws; & re voting rights; prog data & re EECP

AMENDED 7-3-78 re: Loan Agreement

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Call Letters: WICE

Name: DUNN BROADCASTING COMPANY

Station Location: PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BR-801201XC PRESS	JAN 21 1981	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty. Robert L. Heald (Fletcher,Heald & Hildreth) AMENDED 3-5-81 re: programming	GRANTED 3-30-81

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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. 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 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. 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.