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899 BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date First Licensed #I November 10, 1936

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LOCATION: TUSCALOOSA, ALA.

Name of Licensee:

x COOPER RADIO, INC. (AL 5-9-62, EFF. 6-1-62

x JOHN C. COOPER, JR., (AL 9-14-60; EFF: 10-27-60

xWILHELMINA Q. (DOSS) ECHOLS (ML 4-7-53)

xWILHELMINA Q. DOSS (AL 5-3-51 Eff: 5-4-51)

xWILHELMINA Q. DOSS, ADMINISTRATRIX OF ESTATE OF JAMES R. DOSS, JR., DECEASED (AL 5-31-49; EFF: 6-9-49

x JAMES R. DOSS, JR.

Transmitter Location:

Moores Road, Tuscaloosa County, Alabama (L 9-14-48)

xNW Corner of SE¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 5, T.P. 21, R-10-W, bounded on South by Moore Rd., and on East by Jameson Creek (MP8-28-47)

x Off Crabbe Road, Northport, Ala. (CP 4-29-47)

x Greensboro Road, opposite Jug Factory Road, Tuscaloosa, Ala. (MP-B 10-2-36) Lic. 11-10-36

x 2206½ 6th Street, Tuscaloosa, Alabama (C.P. 4-14-36)

35401

Main Studio Location:

2216½ Broad Street, Tuscaloosa, Alabama (Ltr. 8-26-52) 35401

x First National Bank Bldg., Tuscaloosa, Ala. (CP 4-29-47)

x Broad and Greensboro Avenue, Tuscaloosa, Alabama (Renewal 4-10-37)

x First Natl. Bank Bldg., Greensboro Road & University Ave., Tuscaloosa, Ala. Lic. 11-10-36

2206½ 6th Street, Tuscaloosa, Alabama (C.P. 4-14-36)

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD From To
B3-P-694	4-14-36	1200	100w	D	8-20 2-20-37
	Eff.6-20-36 Cons.Permit for new station				
B3-MP-386	C.A.10-2-36 Mod.CP-694 to move trans.& studio Eat.10-7-36 install new trans.;ant.chg.				8-20 2-20-37
B3-L-414	11-10-36	1200	100w	D	11-10 6-1-37
	License to cover C.P. for new station				
-	C.A. 10/30/36	Opr.unltd. time Tues-11/3-election			
B3-S-899	C.A. 1/27/37	Opr. unltd. time 1/26, 27 and 28-Red Cross			
B3-R-899	5-25-37	1200	100w	Day	6-1 12-1-37
B3-P-1817	6-29-37	Install new trans. and incr.power to 250 watts			6-29 3-1-38
B3-S-899	Mins.	Opr. unltd. time Monday, 9/20-carry returns of election of City Commission in Tuscaloosa, Ala.			
B3-L-680	9-28-37	1200	250w	D	9-28 12-1-37
	Lic.to cover C.P. to incr.power; new trans.				
B3-S-899	C.A. 10/1/37	Opr. from LS (5:30 pm) to 7:30 pm CST 10/1-Pontiac program.			
B3-R-899	C.A. 11-22-37	1200	250w	D	12-1 6-1-38
B3-S-899	12/10/37	Opr.LS (4:45pm) to 7:30pm CST 12/10-Hon.Lister Hill.			
B3-S-899	12/11/37	Opr.unltd.time 1/1/38, power 100w only, Alabama-Southern Calif. football game & unltd.time 1/3/38-political speech.			
B3-S-899	12/30/37	Opr.LS (4:45pm) to 7pm CST 12/30-hookup Hon.Lister Hill in campaign for Senator using 100 watts only.			
B3-S-899	1/4/38	Opr.unltd.time power 100w only, 1/4 election returns (prov.consents recvd)6			
B3-S-899	3/5/38	Opr.unltd.time 100w only 4/4 to 9; 4/11 to 16; 4/18 to 23; 4/25 to 30; 5/2-political speeches; also unltd.time 5/3-election returns.			
B3-S-899	4/29/38	Opr. unltd.time 100w only 5/4/38 to 3 am EST 6/1/38-brdcst political Speeches.			

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Date first licensed .....

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G M C BROADCASTING INCORPORATED (AL gr 11/22/76 EFF: 12-1-76)
xTIDMORE & HARRISON, RECEIVER (AL gr 10/3/75 EFF: 10-3-76)

Name of licensee X JAMES R. DOSS, JR.

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From—	Period To—
B3-S-899	5-18-38	Extension of license			6-1	9-1-38
B3-S-899	4/29/38	Opr. unltd. time 100w only 3am EST.6/1/38 to 6/2/38-broadcast political speeches.				
B3-S-899	6/2/38	Opr. unltd. time 100w only 6/3/38 to 6/13/38, incl. broadcast political speeches and 6/14/38-broadcast election returns of the county and state.				
B3-S-899	7-1-38	Opr. unltd. time on 100w only 7-1-38 to 7-31-38,carry night games of the Birmingham Barons.				
B3-S-899	7-22-38	Ext. opr. unltd. time 100w only 8-1-38 to 8-29-38--carry night games of Birmingham Barons Baseball Club.				
B3-S-899	8-23-38	Extension of license			9-1	10-1-38
B3-S-899	8-26-38	Ext. opr. unltd. time on 100w only 8-30-38 to 9-28-38--carry night games of Birmingham Barons Baseball Club.				
B3-S-899	9-26-38	ext.opr.U time with 100w only period 9-29 to 10-28-38 (night football games)				
B3-R-899	9-27-38	1200	250w	D (H)	9-27	12-1-38
B3-S-889	11/16/38	Opr Nov 16,18,19,25,26,30,1938 from LS to conclusion of football game,using 100w				
B3-R-899	11-21-38	1200	250w	D (H)	12-1	6-1-39
B3-S-899	12/23/38	Opr unltd time Dec. 24 and 25,1938, Christmas prog., Dec.31,1938 New Years music, and Jan 2,1939(Sugar Bowl and Rose Bowl football games using 100w only at night)				
B3-S-899	2/28/39	opr unlimited time Feb 28,1939(Univ.dance				
B3-R-899	5-23-39	1200	250w	Day (H)	6-1	12-1-39
B3-S-899	9/23/39	opr nights Sept 29,Oct 6,13,20,1939 (football)				
B3-S-899	9/26/39	opr add. time Oct 27,Nov 3,10,17,1939 (football)				
B3-S-899	10/31/39	opr add. time Nov 2,1939(D. time)				
B3-S-899	11/16/39	opr add. time Nov 16,1939(football)				
B3-R-899	11-20-39	1200	250w	Day(H)	12-1	10-1-40

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Card #3

Date first licensed .....

Call letters ....W J R D.....

Name of licensee X JAMES R. DOSS, JR.....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From—	Period To—
B3-ML-581)	1-10-40	1200	100w,250w-LS	U	1-10	10-1-40
B3-R-899)	Mod. license for unlimited time; also renewal					
B3-S-899	2-20-40	1200	100w,250w-LS	U	3-1	8-1-40
B3-Z-351	3-5-40	1200	100w,250w-LS	U	3-5	8-1-40
	Mod. of license for direct measurement					
B3-S-899	4-13-40	1200	100w 250w-LS	U	4-13	8-1-40
Mod.Lic. to add sunrise						
B3-ML-356	5-29-40	1200	250w	U	5-29	10-1
	Mod. license to increase power					
Order	6/12/40	Extension of License			8/1	10/1/40
Order	9-10-40	Extension of license			10-1	3-29-41
NARBA REALLOCATION						
B3-R-899	3-24-41	1230	250w	U	3-29	10-1-41
B3-S-899	9-30-41	Extension of license			10-1	11-1-41
B3-S-899	10-21-41	Extension of license			11-1	12-1-41
B3-S-899	11-25-41	Extension of license			12-1	1-1-42
B3-S-899	12-16-41	Extension of license			1-1	2-1-42
B3-R-899	1-20-42	1230	250w	U	1-20	10-1-42
B3-R-899	9-22-42	1230	250w	U	10-1	2-1-43
B3-S-899	11-6-42	1230	250 w	U	12-1	2-1-43
Mod. Lic. accordance Order 107						
B3-R-899	1-19-43	1230	250w	U	2-1	2-1-45
B3-R-899	1-25-45	1230	250w	U	2-1	2-1-46
B3-S-899	7-10-45	1230	250w	U	10-1	2-1-46
Mod. Lic. Order 107A						
B3-S-899	1-23-46	Extension of license			2-1	4-1-46
B3-S-899	3-20-46	Extension of license			4-1	6-1-46
B3-R-899	4-17-46	1230	250w	U	4-17	2-1-49
BP-5471	4-29-47	1150	*1kw,5kw-LS *DA-N	U	By 6-29-47 to 12-29-47	

C.P. to chg. freq. increase power & install new trans. and DA for night use, and chg. T & S locations

B-S- Card #4

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters ....W J R D....

Name of licensee ....See card #1....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From--	To--
BMP-2951	8-28-47	1150	*1kw,5kw-LS *DA-N	U	6-29	12-29-47
Mod. C.P.(5471) to chg. transmitter site						
BMP-3482	1-22-48	1150	*1kw,5kw-LS *DA-N	U	6-29	12-29-47
Mod.C.P.(5471,as mod.) to chg.type T & make chgs in ground system						
	1-27-48	1150	*1kw,5kw-LS *DA-N	U	6-29	6-29-48
Mod.C.P.(5471,as mod.) for ext. completion date						
BMP-3775	5-13-48	1150	*1kw,5kw-LS *DA-N	U	6-29	6-29-48
Mod.CP(5471,as mod) to make chgs in DA						
BL-3163	9-14-48	1150	*1kw,5kw-LS *DA-N	U	9-14	5-1-50
Lic. to cover CP 5471 as mod) to chg. freq., increase power, install new T and DA for night use, chg. in T & S locations and chg. ground system						
BAL-861 Eff: 6-9-49	5-31-49	Involuntary assignment of license from James R. Doss, Jr., deceased to Wilhelmina Q. Doss, Administratrix of the estate of James R. Doss, Jr., deceased.				
BS-899	10-31-49	1150	1kw*,5kw-LS *DA-N	U	10-31	5-1-50
Mod. lic. to specify that field intensity measured at monitoring point we is not to exceed 5.2 mv/m.						
BR-899	4-21-50	1150	1kw*5kw-LS *DA-N	U	5-1	5-1-53
BAL-1171 Eff: 5-4-51	5-3-51	Vol. AL to Wilhelmina Q. Doss.				
BR-899	4-29-53	1150	1kw*5kw-LS *DA-N	U	5-1	4-1-55
BML-1539	4-7-53	Mod. of lic. to change name to Wilhelmina Q. (Doss) Wchols.				
BRC-595 (1)	12-2-54	Modification of license to operate trans. by remote control from 2216½ Broad Street Tuscaloosa, Alabama, while using non-directional antenna.				

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Date first licensed .....

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Name of licensee ..... x WILHELMINA Q. (DOSS) ECHOLS .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From--	To--
BR-899	3-9-55	1150kc	*1kw, 5kw-LS *DA-N	U	4-1	4-1-58
BR-899	3-19-58	Renewal of license			4-1	4-1-61
BP-12693	1-20-59	1150kc	1kw, DA-N	Aux.	3-20	9-20-59
	CP to install a new transmitter(GATES BC-1E) to be used as an Auxiliary transmitter on 1150kc with power of 1kw for Auxiliary purposes only, employing DA-N.					
BL-7627	11-6-59	1150kc	1kw	Aux	11-6-59/4-1-61	
	Lic. to cover CP (BP-12,693) which auth. installation of a new transmitter as an aux. trans.					
BAL-3960 EFF:	9-14-60 10-27-60	Voluntary assignment of license to John C. Cooper, Jr.				
BR-899	3-29-61	1150kc	1kw, 5kw-LS DA-N 1kw-DA-N,	Un Aux	4-1	4-1-64 4-1-64
BAL-4509 EFF	5-9-62 6-1-62	Voluntary assignment of license to Cooper Radio, Inc.				
BRC-4432 EFF:	1-20-64 2-2-64	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corp. from John C.Cooper,Jr. to James W. Harris.				
	3-25-64	COMMISSION DEFERRED ACTION ON RENEWAL PENDING FURTHER CONSIDERATION.				
BR-899 AUX	12-31-64	1150kc.	1kw,5kw, 1kw,A-N	LS,Unl to	12-31	4-1-67 4-1-67
BRC-2957 (1)	11-22-66	Mod. of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 2216½ Broad Street, Tuscaloosa, Alabama (Main Transmitter).				
BR-899	4-14-67 (Aux)	1150kc 1150kc	1kw, 5kw-LS DA-N (RC) 1kw (DA-N)(RC-day)		4-14 4-14	4-1-70 4-1-70
		Renewal of NDEA				4-1-70
Tele.	3-27-69	Trans: Collins 820E-1				

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CARD No. 6

Date first licensed .....

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Station location .....

Name of licensee COOPER RADIO, INC.

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BR-899	6-12-70	RENEWAL AUX. & Alt.main($) Main (L)		MAIN & NDEA	4-1-73
BTC-6128	6-12-70	VOL. TC EFF: 7-10-70			
BL-12,650(L)	7-7-70	Lic. to use former Alt.Main Trans.(GATES BC-5A) for Auxiliary purposes only 1kw-5kw-LS:DA-N			4-1-73
EBSA	5-25-72				
BR-899(L)	8-24-73	RENEWAL OF MAIN & AUX.			4-1-76
BAL-8508	10/3/75	Invol AL EFF: 10-3-76			
BAL-8584	11/22/76	Vol AL EFF: 12-1-76			"Cond'l"
COMTEL	8-25-80	AU. & TERMS COMTEL 6-15-79 EXT. THRU 12-15-80. SUBMIT DETAILED PROGRESS REPORT IF FURTHER EXT. ARE DESIRED.			
COMTEL	12-9-80	AUTH. & TERMS COMTEL 6-15-79 EXT. THRU 3-1-81.			

Form 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call Letters W J R D x NEW

Name JAMES R. DOSS, Jr.

P.O. 436 Johnson St.Decatur,Ala.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B3-P-694	7-27-35.	C.P. new station on: Frequency ~~1420~~ kc Power 100w ~~Time~~ Daytime. Studio & Trans.2206½ -6thSt.Tuscaloosa,Ala.	Examiner's Report 1-208 GRANTED Min.4-14-36 Effective 8-11-36 Min.6-20-36 the eff. date advanced to 6-20-36.	
AMENDED	8-31-35	Modification of license form submitted to change frequency from 1420 kc to 1200 kc		
B3-MP-386	9-10-36	Mod. of C.P.(B3-P-694) for new station to further request authority to install new trans. and move trans from 2206½ - 6th St.Tuscaloosa, Ala. to Greensboro Rd., opposite Jug Factory Rd., Tuscaloosa, Ala. and studio from same site to Basement of First Nat. Bk. Bldg., cor Greensboro Rd. & University, Ave. Tuscaloosa, Ala. and antenna changes.	Granted Rat. Min.10-7-36.	C.A. 10-2-36

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Name JAMES R. DOSS, JR.

FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B3-L-414 Resubmitted	10-3-36 10-24-36	License to cover construction permit (B3-P-694) for a new station.	~~Returned 10-21-36 - Hours of operation~~ Granted	11-10-36
B3-R-899	4-10-37	Renewal of license	Granted	5-25-37
B3-P-1817	6-4-37	Construction permit to install a new transmitter and increase power from 100w to 250w.	Granted	6-29-37

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Name JAMES R. DOSS, JR.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B3-L-680 Resubmitted	8-28-37 9-2-37	License to cover construction permit (B3-P-1817) for a new transmitter and increase in power.	~~Returned~~ ~~Hrs. of operation~~ Granted	~~8-31-37~~ 9-28-37
B3-R-899	10-18-37	Renewal of license	Granted	CA 11-22-37
B3-P-2021 Resubmitted & Amended	12-17-37 1-3-38	Construction permit to change frequency from 1200 kc to 1140 kc, make changes in equipment and change power from 250w to ~~250w, 500w-LS~~ and hours of operation from Daytime to Unlimited. To make further changes in equipment, change requested power from 250w, 500w-LS to 5kw and make changes in vertical antenna.	~~Returned~~ ~~In violation file 117~~ Returned Hours of oper. site & antenna	~~12-21-37~~ 1-11-38

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Name JAMES R. DOSS, JR.

FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B3-R-899	3-23-38	Renewal of license	(1) Desig. for Hearing	
			(2) Temp. license granted	9-27-38
			(H) Granted	11-21-38
			(H) Granted	5-23-39
			(H) GRanted	11-20-39
			B-85, Docket 5355 GRANTED	1-10-40
B3-ML-581	6-7-38	Modification of license to change hours of operation from daytime to unlimited using 100 watts power night, 250 watts day	B-85, Docket 5289 GRANTED	1-10-40

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Name JAMES R. DOSS, JR.

FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B3-ML-856	9-18-39	Modification of license to change power and hours of operation from 250 watts day to 250watts day and night, unlimited time.	Granted	5-25-40
B3-Z-351	2-23-40	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power	Granted	3-5-40
B3-R-899	5/24/40	Renewal of license	Granted 1230kc, 250w, U	3-24-41
B3-R-899 Resub.	7-28-41 8-23-41	Renewal of license Forms 335 filed	~~Returned Old forms, no 755s.~~ GRANTED	~~6-19-41~~ 1-20-42

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Name JAMES R. DOSS, JR.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B3-R-899 Resub.	7-30-42 "	Renewal of license (~~Sec. 6(c), (13(b) & 325's~~	~~Ret'd~~ Granted	~~8-5-42~~ 9-22-42
B3-R-899	12-1-42	Renewal of license	Granted	1-19-43
B3-R-899 Rec'd	12-30-44 1-4-45	Renewal of license (Let. req. photos 1-5-45)	Granted	1-25-45
B3-R-899 Rec'd	11-14-45 11-30-45	Renewal of license Logs filed 12-16-45	Granted	4-17-46
B3-P-5471 Rec'd Filed	11-23-46 11-25-46 11-25-46	Construction permit to change frequency from 1230 to 1150 kilocycles, increase power from 250 watts to 1 kilowatt night and 5 kilowatts day, install new transmitter (Raytheon RA-5) & directional antenna for night use, change transmitter location from Greensboro Road, Opposite Jug Factory Road, Tuscaloosa, Alabama to Off Crabbe Road, North Port, Alabama & change studio location from Broad & Greensboro Ave, Tuscaloosa, Ala. to First National Bank Building, Tuscaloosa, Ala.	GRANTED	4-29-47

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Name JAMES R. DOSS, JR.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-2951 Rec'd Filed	7-9-47 7-10-47 7-10-47	Mod. of C.P. (B3-P-5471, which authorized change in frequency, increase in power, installation of new transmitter and DA for night use, and change in transmitter and studio locations) to change transmitter location from Off Crabbe Road, Northport, Alabama, TO Tuscaloosa County, Alabama.	GRANTED	8-28-47
		(707 drafted 1-26-48 to include extension of completion date to 6-29-48)	GRANTED	1-27-48

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Name JAMES R. DOSS, JR.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-3482 Rec'd Filed	12-20-47 12-22-47 12-22-47	Mod. of C.P. (B3-P-5471, as mod., which authorized change in frequency, increase in power, installation of new transmitter and DA for night use, and change in transmitter and studio locations) to change type of transmitter (Gates 5-A), and make changes in ground system.	GRANTED	1-22-48
AMENDED Recd. Filed	1-1-48 1-5-48 1-5-48	AMENDED to change transmitter location (geog. coords. only)		
BMP-3775 Rec'd Filed	4-1-48 4-5-48 4-5-48	Mod. of C.P. (B3-P-5471, as mod., which authorized change in frequency, increase in power, installation of new transmitter and DA for night use, change in transmitter and studio locations and changes in ground system) to make changes in directional antenna specifications. William E.Benns,Engr.	GRANTED	5-13-48

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

#9 WILHELMINA Q. DOSS, ADMINISTRATRIX OF ESTATE OF JAMES R. DOSS

Name x JAMES R. DOSS, JR. JR., DECEASED (AL 5-31-49)

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BL-3163 Rec'd Filed	3-31-48 4-13-48 4-27-48	License to cover C.P. (B3-P-5471, as mod.,) which authorized change in frequency, increase in power, installation of new transmitter and DA for night use, change in transmitter and studio location and changes in ground system. (Leonard H. Marks, Atty.)	GRANTED	9-14-48
BAL-861 Rec'd Filed	3-31-49 4-6-49 4-6-49	Involuntary assignment of license from James R. Doss, Jr., deceased to Wilhelmina Q. Doss, Administratrix of the estate of James R. Doss Jr., deceased. Marcus Cohn, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	5-31-49 6-9-49

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Name WILHELMINA Q. DOSS (AL 5-3-51)
x WILHELMINA Q. DOSS, ADMINISTRATRIX OF ESTATE OF JAMES R. DOSS, JR., DECEASED (AL 5-31-49)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-899 Rec'd	2-27-50 2-28-50	Renewal of license Filed by Marcus Cohn atty.	GRANTED	4-21-50
BAL-1171 Rec'd Filed	2-28-51 3-27-51 3-27-51	Voluntary assignment of license from Wilhelmina Q. Doss, Administratrix of the Estate of James R. Doss, Jr., Deceased to Wilhelmina Q. Doss. Marcus Cohn, Atty.	GRANTED Eff: 5-4-51	5-3-51
BR-899 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd	2-25-53 3-2-53 3-23-53 3-26-53	Renewal of License ~~(Filed in wrong name)~~	~~RETURNED~~ GRANTED	~~MAR 4 1953~~ 4-29-53
BML-1539 Rec'd Filed	3-23-53 3-26-53 3-26-53	Modification of license to change name from Wilhelmina Q. Doss to Wilhelmina Q. (Doss) Echols.	GRANTED	4-7-53

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name WILHELMINA Q.(DOSS) ECHOLS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRC-595 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd Filed	11-15-15 11-16-54 11-26-54 11-29-54 11-29-54	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 2216½ BroadcStreet, Tuscaloosa, Alabama., while using non-directional antenna.	~~RETURNED~~ ~~Signed by General Mgr.~~ GRANTED	~~11-18-54~~ 12-2-54
BR-899 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd. Filed	12-8-54 1-3-55 12-30-54 2-11-55 2-11-55	Renewal of License	~~Returned~~ ~~H-dated after Sect. I.~~ GRANTED	~~2-1-55, Sect.~~ 3-9-55
BR-899 Rec'd & Filed	12-30-57 1-2-58	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	3-19-58

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Name WILHELMINA Q. (ROSS) ECHOLS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-12,693 Rec'd Filed	12-27-58 12-31-58 12-31-58	Construction permit to install a new transmitter (GATES BC-1E) at NW corner of SE¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 5, T.P. 21, R-10-W, bounded on South by Moore Rd., and on East by Jameson Creek (main trans. loc.) to be used as an Auxiliary transmitter on 1150kc with power of 1kw for Auxiliary purposes only, employing DA-N.	GRANTED	1-20-59
BL-7627 Rec'd Filed	8-8-59 8-14-59 8-14-59	License to cover construction permit (BP-12,693) which authorized installation of a new transmitter as an Auxiliary.	GRANTED	11-6-59
BAL-3960 Rec'd Filed	7-22-60 7-26-60 7-26-60	Voluntary assignment of license to John C. Cooper, Jr. Marcus Cohn, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	9-14-60 10-27-60

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WJRD

Name x JOHN C. COOPER, JR.
Tuscaloosa, Alabama

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-899 Rec'd&Filed	12-30-60 1-3-61	Renewal of License Main & Auxiliary	GRANTED	3-29-61
BAL-4509 Rec'd Filed	4-6-62 4-9-62 4-9-62	Voluntary assignment of license to Cooper Radio, Inc. Stanley S. Neustadt, Atty.	GRANTED: EFF:	5-9-62 6-1-62
BTC-4432 R. & F.	11-15-63 11-27-63	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from John C. Cooper, Jr. to James W. Harris. Atty- Prince & Paul	GRANTED EFF:	1-20-64 2-2-64
BR-899 Rec'd Filed	12-19-63 12-31-63 12-31-63	Renewal of license (Main & Auxiliary) Ray Paul, Atty.	GRANTED	12-31-64

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Call Letters W.J.R.D.

Name COOPER RADIO, INC.
Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35401

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRC-2957 R & F	7-30-66 8-10-66	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 2216½ Broad Street, Tuscaloosa, Alabama (DA-N). MAIN Atty.: Ray Paul	GRANTED	11-22-66
BR-899 R & F	12-23-66 1-3-67	Renewal of license.(main and auxiliary). Atty: Prince & Paul	GRANTED	4-14-67
BP- Rec'd	3-13-69 3-17-69	CP to install a new main trans.(Collins 820E-1) and use present main transmitter (Gates BC-5A) as an alternate-main transmitter.	Returned 3-21-69 Unnecessary (nec file 302's for alt-M)	
BL-12,333 R & F #503501 $30 PT	3/28/69 4/2/69 4/2/69 4/14/69	License to use former main trans. GATES BC-5A as an alt-main trans. (R.C.)	GRANTED	5-12-69

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters W J R D

Name COOPER RADIO, INC.
Tuscaloosa, Alabama

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BTC-6128 R & F FEE PD: $135 REFUND $60 not nec for aux. serv.	11-12-69 11-21-69 -#558530 DEC 18 1969	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from James W. Harris to Druid City Broadcasters, Inc.(100%) AMENDED 4-7-70 - chges in officers, drctrs, stockholders & stockholdings(transferee) Atty - Ray Paul APR 14 1970 (SEE OVER FOR AMENDMENTS)	GRANTED EFF:	6-12-70 7-10-70
BR-899 R & F #579574 $75. " $30. FEE PD: 1970	12-27-69 1-2-70 2-24-70($105. submitted) " "	Renewal of License (Main & ~~Auxiliary~~ Alt. main) Atty.: Ray R. Paul AMENDED 3-26-70 re: Programming & operating hrs	GRANTED	6-12-70
BL-12,650 Rec'd #593480 $30. PTA w/held Amended & F PTA PRESS	3-17-70 4-8-70 4-14-70 4-23-70 4-27-70 5-1-70 1 JUL 1970	Lic. to use former Alt.-Main Trans(GATES,BC-5A) as Auxiliary Transmitter.(RC) Engr. data.	GRANTED	7-7-70

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RE: BTC-6128 - AMENDED 4-7-70 re current bus (transferee) & B/C int
AMENDED 5-6-70 ltr re payment for stock
AMENDED 5-22-70 - ltr reasons for TC(transferee)
AMENDED 6-10-70 re programming

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Call Letters W J R D

Name TIDMORE & HARRISON, RECEIVER
x COOPER RADIO, INC.
TUSCALOOSA, ALABAMA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-899 R. & F PN Recd. PRESS JAN 1973	12-31-72 1-4-73 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY TRANS.) AMENDED 4-16-73 re: ascert. of comm. needs; commercial policy; employment policy AMENDED 8-6-73 re: commercial policy; survey of community leaders; composition of area & ascert. of comm. needs	GRANTED	8-24-73
BAL-8508 R&F Fee Pd $100 # 480066 (FORM 316)	9/15/75 9/24/75 9/26/75 OCT 2 1975	Involuntary assignment of license to TIDMORE & HARRISON, RECEIVER Atty - James A. Gammon (John M. Duty)	GRANTED EFF: no gr fee	10/3/75 10/3/75
BR-899 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	11-28-75 12-8-75 " JAN 26 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY TRANS.) PETITION TO DENY RENEWAL OF BROADCAST LICENSE filed 3-1-76 by Petitioners PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME filed 3-30-76 by Mark S. Fowler, Counsel on behalf of Tidmore & Harrison, Receiver		

(over)

(BR-899) PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME filed 4-29-76 Mark S. Fowler, Counsel on behalf of Tidmore & Harrison

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME filed 6-1-76, by Mark S. Fowler, Counsel on behalf of Tidmore & Harrison

AMENDED 1-5-77 to change name of applicant to"G M C Broadcasting Incorporated" FEB 2 1977

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION filed 12-1-78 as an amendment to pending renewal application. BR781201UC (Roderick K. Porter, Atty.) DEC 15 1978

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Name G M C BROADCASTING INCORPORATED
xxTIDMORE & HARRISON, RECEIVER
Tuscaloosa, Alabama

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BAL -8584 R & F FEE PD: $200 #513692 CODE 047 JAN 23 1978	12-9-75 12-30-75	Voluntary assignment of license to G M C BROADCASTING INCORPORATED (SEE OVER) Atty for assignee - Fletcher, Heald etc for assignor - Mark Fowler(6-17-76)	GRANTED EFF: 12-1-76 FEE REQ: "Cond'l" FEE PD: W647221(12-15-76)	11/22/76

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

RE: BAL-8584 - AMENDED 1-22-76 - revised bank ltr re loan;
statement re public survey
Letter from assignee filed 3-12-76 - re technical informati
nec. for grant of renewal (will accept condition on AL)
Letter of consent re: condition on AL (3/16/76)
AMENDED 4-19-76 - re comm survey
LTR OF AGREEMENT between licensee & Civil Liberties Union
filed 6-17-76 re withdrawal of Pet to Deny of Renewal
AMENDED 6-17-76(assignee) - re fulfillment of above
agreement
AMENDED 8-19-76 - Multiple Ownership considerations &
supplemental engineering statement re overlap WITH WWWF
request for expedited consideration

RECORD OF AP[illegible]NS RE[illegible] OF BROADCASTING STATION WJRD

Licensee X JAMES R. DOSS, JR.

File No.	Date	Call Letters	Name and Location of Applicant	Remarks	Disposition
B3-P-2310	12-19-38	New	Miles A. Metzger Tuscaloosa, Ala.	C.P. for new station: 1200 kc, 100w 250w-LS, U. Fac. WJRD.	Returned 12-30-38
BP-5960	2-6-47	W T B C	Thomas H. Todd, Bertram Bank, Lamar Branscomb and Jeff Coleman d/b as Tuscaloosa Broadcasting Company Tuscaloosa, Alabama	CP to change freq. from 1450 kc to 1230 kc and install new vertical antenna with FM antenna mounted on top.	

FORM 108-M

Renewal Requested	Date Received	Designated for Hearing	Reason	Remarks

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.