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4-B-548 BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date First Licensed 3-29-22 #I D. 9-29-22 Re-10-2-22

Call Letters WMAQ

LOCATION: CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

Name of Licensee: National Broadcasting Company, Inc. (BAL. 10-28-31)
x N.M.A.Q., Incorporated

Transmitter Location: Bloomingdale Road and Old Army Trail, near Addison, Bloomingdale Twp. Illinois
x R. F. D. #1, Church Road, Addison, Ill.

Main Studio Location: 222 North Bank Drive (The Merchandise Mart), Chicago, Illinois (Renewal 5-26-32)
x The Merchandise Mart, Addison, Illinois (Letter 5-10-32)
x400 W. Madison St., Chicago, Ill.

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD From To
4-R-B-548	7-7-31	670	5 KW	Unltd.	8-1 2-1-32
4-AL-B-393	10-28-31	Vol.Assign. License to Nat'l Brdcstg.			
4-R-B-548	1-12-32	670	5 KW	Unltd.	2-1 8-1-32
4-P-B-268	6-24-32	Automatic frequency control			
4-R-B-548	7-8-32	670	5 KW	U	8-1 2-1-33
4-R-B-548	1-20-33	670	5 KW	U	2-1 8-1-33
4-R-B-548	7-11-33	670	5 KW	U	8-1 2-1-34
4-R-B-548	1-26-34	670	5 KW	U	2-1 8-1-34
Dismissed from hearing docket - Order					
4-P-B-2875	4-27-34	670	50KW	U	5-4 9-4-34
B 4-R-548	7-18-34	670	5 kw	U	8-1 2-1-35
4-MP-23	8-21-34	Mod. of C.P. 4-P-B-2876 to extend			
C	& C dates				10-4 12-4-34
B4-MP-71	12-11-34	Mod. of C.P. P-B-2876 as modified			
	to extend c and c dates				12-3 4-4-35
B4-R-548	1-29-35	670	5kw	U	2-1 8-1-35
B4-MP-133	3-26-35	Ext.compl.date CP 2876			12-3 7-4-35
B4-MP-163	5-14-35	Approval of antenna and ext. compl.date CP 2876			12-3 9-4-35
B4-R-548	7-16-35	670	5kw	U	8-1 2-1-36
B4-MP-209	8-27-35	Mod. C.P. extend Comp.date			12-3-34 - 11-4-35
B4-L-218	10-15-35	670	50kw	U	10-15 2-1-36
Lic.	to cover	C.P. to move trans. increase power and change equipment			
B4-L-232	10-29-35	670	5kw	Aux.	10-29 2-1-36
License	to use old trans. as aux.				
B4-R-548	1-10-36	670	50kw	U	2-1 8-1-36
B4-R-548	7-17-36	670	50kw	U	8-1 2-1-37
B4-R-548	1-12-37	670	50kw	U	2-1 8-1-37
B4-S-548	C.A. 4/8/37	Rebroadcast prog. material over WMAQ consisting voice comm. exchange between Ill. state police sta. on 4/9/37 from 10:30 pm to 10:45 pm CST-in order to dedicate new Ill. State Police system in presence of Gov. Horner of Illinois			

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters WMAQ

Card #2

Name of licensee NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY INC.

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From— To—
B4-S-548	C.A. 4/8/37	Rebroadcast prog. material over WMAQ consist. voice communication exchanged between Ill. State Police sta. on 4/9 10:30 pm to 10:45 pm CST -dedicate new Ill. State Police system.			
B4-R-548	7-20-37	670	50kw	U	8-1 2-1-38
B4-R-548	1-29-38	670	50kw	U	2-1 8-1-38
B4-R-548	7-6-38	670	50kw	U	8-1 2-1-39
B4-R-548	12-12-38	670	50kw	U (H)	12-12 2-1-39
B4-R-548	1-24-39	670	50kw	U (H)	2-1 8-1-39
B4-R-548	7-26-39	670	50kw	U (H)	8-1 2-1-40
B4-R-548	12-18-39	670	50kw	U	12-18 2-1-40
B4-R-548	1-29-40	670	50kw	U	2-1 8-1-40
Order	6/12/40	Extension of License			8/1 10/1/40
Order	9-10-40	Extension of license			10-1 3-29-41
MARBA REALLOCATION B4-R-548	3-24-41	670	50kw	U	3-29 2-1-42
B4-Z-980	6-12-41	670	50kw	U	6-12 2-1-42
	Determine operating power by direct measurement				
B4-P-3256	9-11-41	CP changes in equipment			11-11 5-11-42
B4-L-1580	1-7-42	670	50kw	U	1-7 2-1-42
	Lic. to cover CP 3256 for changes in equip.				
B4-R-548	1-20-42	670	50kw	U	2-1 2-1-44
B4-L-1625	3-12-42	670	50kw	U	3-12 2-1-44
	Lic.cover CP 3256 for changes in equip.(2nd unit)				
B4-Z-1376	4-15-42	670	50kw	U	4-15 2-1-44
	Determine operating power by direct method				
B4-S-548	11-6-42	670	50kw	U	12-1 2-1-44
	Mod. Lic. accordance Order 107				
B4-R-548	1-25-44	670	50kw	U	2-1 11-1-46
B4-S-548	7-10-45	670	50kw	U	10-1- 11-1-46
	Mod. Lic. Order 107A				
B4-R-548	10-31-46	670	50kw	U	11-1 11-1-49

B S

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters W M A Q

Card B

Name of licensee NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
B4-S-547	11-4-46 for 1 day only during 11-6 to 15, 1946 to transmit, as part of sustaining program, Nat'l rec'd from mobile subscriber unit WJ-2-2036 via Ill.Bell Telephone Co. Rec.Sta.W9XIA at Chg.studio				
BS-548	10-31-49	Extension of license			11-1 3-1-50
BS-548	2-23-50	Extension of license			3-1 6-1-50
BS-548	5-31-50	Extension of license			6-1 9-1-50
BS-548	8-31-50	Extension of license			9-1 12-1-50
BS-548	11-29-50	Extension of license			12-1 3-1-51
BS-548	2-21-51	Extension of license			3-1 6-1-51
BR-548	5-29-51	670	50kw	U	5-29 11-1-52
BP-7710	7-11-51	CP install new vertical antenna (COND'L CLAUSE)			9-11 3-11-52
BL-4561	12-18-51	670	50kw (COND'L CLAUSE)	U	12-18 11-1-52
Lic. cover CP 7710 for a new vertical antenna					
BZ-3395	5-19-52	670	50kw	U	5-19-52 11-1-52
Authority determine operating power by direct method for auxiliary antenna					
B-Z-3395	5-19-35	Superseding license issued to correct above to specify auxiliary antenna, location et.			
BR-548	10-30-52	670kc	50kw	Unl.	11-1 12-1-52
(For main and auxiliary antenna)					
BR-548 & Aux.	11-26-52	670kc	50kw	Unl.	12-1 12-1-55
Antenna					
BR-548 &Aux.Ant.	11-9-55	670	50kw	U	12-1 12-1-58
Issued as only one authorization.					
	11-25-58	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BR-548	12-22-59	670kc	50kw	U	12-22- 12-1-61
BP-14007	4-5-60	670kc	50kw	U	6-5 12-5-60
CP to install a new type transmitter (RCA BTA-50G) (COND'L)					

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters W M A Q

Station location .....

Name of licensee See Card #2

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To
BP-14009	4-5-60	670kc	5kw	Aux.	6-5 12-5-60
	CP to install new transmitter (RCA BTA-5R1) as an Aux. trans. at Bloomingdale Rd. & Old Army Trail, near Addison, Bloomingdale Twp., Ill. (main trans. loc.) to be operated on 670kc, 5kw, for auxiliary purposes only. (Cond'l).				
BMP-9075 (1)	8-4-60	Mod. of CP(BP-14009) to chg. type trans. (Cond'l). (AUX)			
BMP-9135 (2)	9-28-60	Mod. of CP(BP-14009 as mod.) to chg. type transmitter (RCA BTA-5R1) (Cond'l). (AUX)			
BMP-9190 (1)(Cond'l)	12-9-60	Mod. of CP(BP-14007 as mod.) for extension of completion date to 1-31-61. (MAIN)			
BMP-9258 (2)	1-24-61	Mod. of CP(BP-14007 as mod.) for extension of completion date to 4-1-61. (Cond'l)			
	11-29-61	Action on Renewal of License Deferred.			
BRC-2031 (1) Telegram sent. Not issued. Issue with Renewal.	5-11-62	Mod. of license to operate MAIN trans. by remote control from Civic Opera House, 20 North Wacker Drive (WNBQ-TV Transmitter Control Room) Chicago, Ill.			
BRC-2032 (1) Telegram sent. Not issued. Issue with Renewal	5-11-62	Mod. of license to operate AUXILIARY transmitter by remote control from Civic Opera House, 20 North Wacker Drive (WNBQ-TV Transmitter Control Room) Chicago, Illinois.			
BR-548 BRC-2031	7-13-64	670kc	50kw	Un	7-13 12-1-64
BR-548 BRC-2032	7-13-64	670kc	5kw	Aux.	7-13 12-1-64
BR-548 (Cond'l)	12-14-64	670kc.	50kw	Unl	12-14 12-1-67
BR-548 (Cond'l)	12-14-64	670kc	5kw	AUX	12-14 12-1-67
BR-548	12-14-65	670kc	5kw	Aux.	12-14 12-1-67
	Superseding Aux. auth. to show correct type transmitter				
BR-548	11-24-67	Renewal of License/NDEA (MAIN & AUXILIARY)			12-1 12-1-70

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters .....WMAQ.....

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-
BS-548 (Applic.)	10-20-69	Mod. of lic. to chg. remote control point to John Hancock Bldg., 875 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Illinois (WMAQ-TV Transmitter Control Room) Main-1 & Aux.-1.			
BR-548(L)	12-7-70	Renewal of Main & Aux. &			NDEA 12-1-73
EBSA	5-25-72				
BR-548(S)	11-30-73	RENEWAL MAIN & AUX. (Cond'l)			12-1-76
BR-548(L)	11-17-76	RENEWAL (MAIN)			12-1-79
BR-548(L)	11-17-76	RENEWAL(AUX.)			12-1-79
BRC-3911(L)	3-17-77	Mod. of lic. to operate trans. by RC from Merchandise Mart Plaza, Chicago, Ill (SECOND RC POINT)			

#1.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: THE CHICAGO DAILY NEWS, INC. CALL LETTERS: WMAQ

ADDRESS: Church Road, Addison, Ill. FILE NO: 4-R-B-548 DATED: 3/16/29

Present Assignment: 670 kc. 5 KW. Unlimited ACTION: Lic. 4/23/29 670 kc. 5 KW. Unlimited

Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: THE CHICAGO DAILY NEWS, INC. CALL LETTERS: WMAQ

ADDRESS: Church Road, Addison, Ill. FILE NO: 4-R-B-548 DATED: 6/12/29

Present Assignment: 670 kc. 5 kw. Unlimited ACTION: C.O. 69 - 7/31/29 to 10/31/29

Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: THE CHICAGO DAILY NEWS, INC. CALL LETTERS: WMAQ

ADDRESS: Church Road, R.F.D. #1, Addison, Ill. FILE NO: 4-M-B-396 DATED: 9/13/29

Approved Min. 10/7/29
Issued 10/12/29

Present Assignment: 670 kc. 5 KW. Unlimited ACTION: for change in studio Loc.

Requested: Change location of studio from Hotel La Salle, to 400 West Madison St., Chicago, Ill.

#2.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: THE CHICAGO DAILY NEWS, INCORPORATED — CALL LETTERS: WMAQ

ADDRESS: R.F.D. #1, Church Rd., Addison, Illinois — FILE NO: 4-R-B-548 DATED: 9/28/29

Present Assignment: 670 kc. 5 KW. Unlimited

Requested: Renewal

ACTION: Lic. 10-5-29
670 kc. 5 KW. Unlimited
Per. 10-31-29 to 1-31-30

APPLICANT: THE CHICAGO DAILY NEWS, INCORPORATED — CALL LETTERS: WMAQ

ADDRESS: R. F. D. # 1 Church Road, Addison, Ill. — FILE NO: 4-R-B-548 DATED: 12/28/29

Present Assignment: 670 kc. 5KW. Unlimited

Requested: Renewal

ACTION: Renewal license 1-16-30.
Period 1-31 to 4-30-30.

APPLICANT: THE CHICAGO DAILY NEWS, INCORPORATED — CALL LETTERS: WMAQ

ADDRESS: R.F.D.#1, Church Road, Addison, Illinois — FILE NO: 4-A-B-197 DATED: 3/20/30

Present Assignment: 670 kc. 5 KW. Unlimited

Requested: Assignment to WMAQ, INCORPORATED.

ACTION: Vol.Assign. of License granted
Min. 3-28-30, issued 3-29-30
to WMAQ, Inc.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

#3.

APPLICANT: WMAQ Incorporated CALL LETTERS: WMAQ

ADDRESS: R F D # 1 Church Road, Addison, Ill.

FILE NO: 4-R-B-548 DATED: 3-28-30

Present Assignment: 670 Kc. 5 KW Unlimited

Requested: Renewal

ACTION: Renewal Lic. 4-7-30 Per: 4-30 to 7-31-30

APPLICANT: Same CALL LETTERS: WMAQ

ADDRESS: Same

FILE NO: 4-P-B-1484 DATED: 6/18/30

Present Assignment: 670 kc. 5 KW. Unlimited

Requested: Install new trans. & incr. power to 50 KW.

ACTION: Denied Statement of Facts 11-17-31

APPLICANT: Same CALL LETTERS: WMAQ

ADDRESS: Same

FILE NO: 4-R-B-548 DATED: 6-25-30

Present Assignment: 670 Kc. 5 KW, unlimited

Requested: Renewal

ACTION: Renewal License 7-7-30 Per: 7-31 to 10-31-30

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: ..... CALL LETTERS: .....

ADDRESS: ..... FILE NO: ..... DATED: .....

Present Assignment: ..... ACTION: .....

Requested: .....

APPLICANT: ..... CALL LETTERS: .....

ADDRESS: ..... FILE NO: ..... DATED: .....

Present Assignment: ..... ACTION: .....

Requested: .....

APPLICANT: ..... CALL LETTERS: .....

ADDRESS: ..... FILE NO: ..... DATED: .....

Present Assignment: ..... ACTION: .....

Requested: .....

#4.

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WMAQ

Name ~~xWMAQ, Inc.~~ National Brdcstg. Co., Inc. (Vol.Assign,Lic.10-28-31)

File No.	Dated ~~Received~~	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
4-R-B-548	9-18-30	Renewal	Granted	10-21-30
4-M-B-459	9/16/30	Increase power to 50 KW. from 5 KW. on 670 kc.	Returned	10/15/30
4-R-B-548	12-22-30	Renewal of licehse	G.O.103 Granted	1-20-31 4-24-31
4-R-B-548	5-29-31	Renewal of license	Granted	7-7-31
4-AL-B-393	10-9-31	voluntary assignment of license to NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.	Granted C.A.	10-28-31
4-R-B-548	11-25-31	Renewal of license	Granted	1-12-32
4-F-B-268	5-27-32	install automatic frequency control	Granted	6-24-32
4-R-B-548	5-26-32	Renewal of license	Granted	7-8-32

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WMAQ

Name National Broadcasting Company, Inc.,

File No.	Dated Received	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
4-R-B-548	11-30-32	Renewal of license	Granted	1-20-33
4-P-B-2876	5-10-33	CP to move transmitter from Addison, Ill. to 3.5 mi. S of Downer's Grove, Ill. install new transmitter, and increase power from 5kw to 50kw.	Granted	4-27-34
Letter & map	7-7-33	And additional inf.re antenna.	Statement of Facts Effec.	5-4-34
Amended	3-13-34	Amended to move trans.to Bloomingdale Rd.&Old Army Trail, near Addison, Ill.(Bloomingdale Twnship)		
4-R-B-548	5-19-33	Renewal of license	Granted	7-11-33
4-R-B-548	9-6-33	Renewal of License	Granted (Dismissed from hearing Order)	1-26-34
4-R-B-548	5-31-34	Renewal of License(	Granted	7-18-34
B4-MP-23	7-31-34	FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION - RECORD Modification of Construction Permit (4-P-B-2876) to extend commencement and completion dates to 10-4-34 and December 4, 1934, respectfully.	Granted	8-21-34

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call Letters WMAQ

Name National Broadcasting Company, Inc.,

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B4-MP-71	11-1-34	Modification of construction permit to extend commencement date from 10-4-34 to 12-3-34 and completion date from 12-4-34 to 4-4-35.	Granted	12-11-34
B4-R-548	11-30-34	Renewal of license	Granted	1-29-35
B4-MP-133	3-2-35	Modification of construction permit to extend completion date from 4-4-35 to 7-4-35.	Granted	3-26-35
B4-MP-163	4-10-35	Mod. of C.P.(B4-P-2876) for extension of time and approval of antenna. & Give exact geographical location.	Granted	5-14-35
B4-R-548	5-31-35	Renewal of license	Granted	7-16-35
B4-MP-209	7-27-35.	Mod. of C.P.(B4-P-2876) as modified to extend completion date from 9-4-35 to 11-4-35.	Granted	8-27-35

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call Letters WMAQ

Name National Broadcasting Company, Inc.,

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B4-L-218	9-12-35	License to cover construction permit (4-P-B-2876) as modified to install new equipment, increase power and move transmitter.	Granted	10-15-35
B4-L-232	9-30-35	License to use old main transmitter for auxiliary purposes only.	Granted	10-29-35
B4-R-548	11-30-35	Renewal of license	Granted	1-10-36
B4-R-548	5-23-36	Renewal of license	Granted	7-17-36
B4-R-548	11-30-36	Renewal of license	Granted	1-12-37
B4-R-548	5-23-37	Renewal of license	Granted	7-20-37
B4-R-548	11-30-37	Renewal of license	Granted	1-29-38
B4-R-548	5-31-38	Renewal of license	Granted	7-6-38

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Call letters WMAQ

Name National Broadcasting Co., Inc.

FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B4-R-548	11-7-38	Renewal of License	(1) Designated for Hearing (2) Temp. license granted MINUTES (H) Granted (H) Granted ORDER of dismissal and Grant	 12-12-38 1-24-39 7-26-39 Min. 12-18-39
B4-R-548	5-25-38	Renewal of license (Unnecessary)	Returned	8-9-39

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Call Letters W M A Q

Name National Broadcasting Co., Inc.,

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B4-R-548	11-27-39	Renewal of license	Granted	1-29-40
B4-R-548	5-27-40	Renewal of license	Granted 670kc, 50kw, U	3-24-41
B4-Z-980 Rec'd	5-22-41 5-23-41	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement.	Granted	6-12-41
B4-P-3256 Rec'd Filed	7-15-41 7-18-41 7-18-41	C.P. to make changes in transmitter Form 335 filed	Granted	9-11-41
B4-R-548	11-26-41	Renewal of license and Forms 335	Granted	1-20-42
B4-L-1580 received	12-11-41 12-12-41	License to cover C.P.(B4-P-3256) for changes in transmitting equipment. Form 335 filed.	Granted	1-7-42
B4-L-1625 received	2-19-42 2-20-42	License to cover c.p.(B4-P-3256) for changes in trans.equipment. Form 335 filed (2nd crystal unit)	Granted	3-12-42

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Call Letters WMAQ

Name NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B4-Z-1376 received	3-23-42 3-24-42	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	Granted	4-15-42
B4-R-548 Rec'd	11-30-43 12-2-43	Renewal of license	Granted	1-25-44
B4-R-548 Rec'd	8-16-46 8-30-46	Renewal of license	Granted	10-31-46
BR-548 Rec'd	8-31-49 9-2-49	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	5-29-51

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters ...W.M.A.Q.....

Name .....NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.....

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action: Nature	Action: Date
BP-7710 Rec'd Filed	6-13-50 6-15-50 6-15-50	Construction permit to install a new vertical antenna.	Granted Cond'l re acceptance interference from oper.of WIKY as proposed in P-7367 if granted	7-11-51
BL-4561 Rec'd Filed	10-1-51 10-5-51 10-5-51	License to cover construction permit (BP-7710) which authorized installation of a new vertical antenna.	GRANTED Cond'l re accept.interf. from oper.of WIKY as proposed in P-7367 if granted	12-18-51
BZ-3395 Rec'd Filed	4-25-52 4-30-52 4-30-52	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power for the auxiliary tower.	GRANTED	5-19-52

FORM A-170 #12
FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

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Call Letters W.N.B.C.

Name NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-548 Rec'd Filed	7-30-52 8-4-52 8-4-52	Renewal of License (Main & Aux. Antenna)	GRANTED	10-30-52
BR-548 Rec'd Filed	11-19-52 11-21-52 11-21-52	Renewal of License Main and Aux. Antenna (Informal request)	GRANTED	11-26-52
BR-548 Recd Filed	8-26-55 9-1-55 9-1-55	Renewal of license (Main & Aux. Antenna)	GRANTED Issued only one authorization.	11-9-55

PETITION FOR REVIEW AND RE-HEARING OF LICENSE APPLICATIONS OF NBC, INC., FOR RADIO & TV FACILITIES IN CHICAGO, ILL. filed 10-2-58 by Sanford I Wolff for Chicago Local, American Federation of Television and Radio Artists, AFL-CIO

OPPOSITION OF NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. filed 10-13-58 by Ervin and Monderer

REPLY OF PETITIONER TO OPPOSITION OF NBC filed 10-21-58 by Wolff for AFL-CIO

ADDITIONAL REPLY TO SUPPLEMENT TO OPPOSITION filed 11-12-58 by Wolff for AFL-CIO

MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER (#81726) ADOPTED PETITION DENIED 12-22-59

FORM BC-121 #13
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WMAQ

Name NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-548 Recd Filed	8-28-58 9-2-58 9-2-58	Renewal of license	GRANTED	12-22-59
BR-548 Recd	8-28-58 9-2-58	Renewal of license for auxiliary antenna	RETURNED as unnecessary	10-20-58
BP-14007 R & F	3-18-60 3-21-60	Construction Permit to install new type transmitter (RCA-BTA-50G) Howard Monderer, NBC Washington Atty.	GRANTED	4-5-60
BP-14009 R. & F.	3-18-60 3-21-60	Construction permit to install new trans. as an auxiliary transmitter (RCA BTA-5R1) at Bloomingdale Rd & Old Army Trail, nr Addison, Bloomingdale Twp., Ill. (main trans. location to be operated on 670kc, 5kw, for auxiliary purposes only. Howard Monderer, NBC Washington Atty.	GRANTED	4-5-60

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-9075 Rec'd Filed	7-20-60 7-21-60 7-21-60	Modification of construction permit (BP-14009 which authorized the installation of new trans. as an auxiliary trans, at Bloomingdale Rd & Old Army Trail, nr Addison, Bloomingdale Twp., Ill. (main trans. location to be operated on 670KC, 5KW, for auxiliary purposes only) to change type transmitter (RCA-BTA-5T).	GRANTED Cond'l re: network clause	8-4-60
BMP-9135 Rec'd Filed	9-14-60 9-15-60 9-15-60	Modification of construction permit (BP-14009 as modified, which authorized the installation of new trans. as an auxiliary trans., at Bloomingdale Rd. & Old Army Trail, nr Addison, Bloomingdale Twp., Ill. (main trans. location to be operated on 670KC, 5kw, for aux. purposes only) to change type transmitter (RCA-BTA-5R1)	GRANTED Cond'l re: Network claus	9-28-60
BMP- Rec'd Filed	9-30-60 10-3-60	Modification of C. P. (BP-14007 which auth. installation of new type trans.) to chg. type trans. (RCA-BTA-50H)	RETURNED Appli not necessary	10-21-60

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name National Broadcasting Company, Inc.
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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-9190 R & F	11-2-60 11-3-60	Modification of C. P. (BP-14007 which auth. installation of new trans.) for extension of completion date from 12-5-60 to 1-31-61.	GRANTED (Condl)	12-9-60
BMP-9258 R & F	12-23-60 12-27-60	Modification of C. P. (BP-14007 as modified, which auth. installation of new trans.) for extension of completion date from 1-31-61 to 4-1-61.	GRANTED to Cond'l re:	1-24-61 4-1-61 Network Clause
BL-8223 Rec'd Filed	11-23-60 11-29-60 11-29-60	License to cover construction permit (BP-14,009, as modified) which authorized installation of a new transmitter to be used as an auxiliary transmitter.	Granted	7-24-61
BL-8329 Rec'd Filed	2-2-61 2-6-61 2-6-61	License to cover construction permit (BP-14007, as modified) which auth. the installation of a main new transmitter (Type number changed to RCA BTA 50H)	Granted	7-24-61

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
Chicago, Illinois

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-548 Rec'd Filed	8-28-61 9-5-61 9-5-61	Renewal of license (MAIN AND AUXILIARY)	GRANTED Condl re network clause	7-13-64
BRC-2031 Rec'd Filed	4-3-62 4-4-62 4-4-62	Modification of license to operate MAIN transmitter by Remote Control from CIVIC OPERA HOUSE, 20 NORTH WACKER DRIVE(WNBQ-TV TRANSMITTER CONTROL ROOM) Chicago, Illinois	GRANTED Telegram sent. ~~Not issued~~ ~~To be~~ issued with Renewal	5-11-62
BRC-2032 Rec'd Filed	4-3-62 4-4-62 4-4-62	Modification of license to operate AUXILIARY Transmitter by Remote Control from CIVIC OPERA HOUSE, 20 NORTH WACKER DRIVE(WNBQ-TV TRANSMITTER CONTROL ROOM) Chicago, Illinois	GRANTED ~~Telegram sent~~. Not issue ~~To be~~ issued with renewal	5-11-62
BR-548 Rec'd Filed	8-31-64 9-2-64 9-2-64	Renewal of license (MAIN & AUXILIARY)	GRANTED Condl re network clause	12-14-64

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-548 R & F SEP 28 1967	9-1-67 9-5-67	Renewal of license (main & auxiliary).	GRANTED	11-24-67
BR-548 R & F P.N. PRESS SEP 23 1970	8-31-70 9-1-70 9-1-70	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary).	GRANTED	12-7-70
Annual filing fee $800.00 paid 11-19-70 #645036.				
BR-548 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	8-14-73 8-30-73 " 27 SEP 1973	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY)	GRANTED Cond'l re Civil Anti-Trust Action	11-30-73

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Name NATIONAL BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
Chicago, Illinois

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-548 R & F P.N. PRESS	7-23-76 7-30-76 7-30-76 OCT 5 1976	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) AMENDED 8-30-76 re: programming AMENDED 9-10-76 re: EEO	GRANTED	11-17-76
BRC-39118 R & F R $100-626880 AC-001 MAR 2 1977	10-15-76 10-18-76 10-18-76	Mod. of lic. to operate trans. by RC from Merchandise Mart Plaza, Chicago, Ill. (SECOND RC POINT)	GRANTED	3-17-77
BR 790731 VL PRESS OCT 1 1979		RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX.TRANS.) PETITION TO DENY filed 11-1-79 by Arnold S. Rosenberg, Counsel on behalf of Latino Committee on the Media. (OVER)	GRANTED	4-14-82

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(BR790731VL) OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY filed 12-14-79 by National Broadcasting Company, Inc.

OPPOSITION TO MOTION TO SUPPLEMENT AND AMEND PETITION TO DENY filed 2-29-80 by Stanley S. Kaufman, Counsel on behalf of National Broadcasting Company, Inc.

RECORD OF APPLICATIONS REQUESTING FACILITIES OF BROADCASTING STATION WMAQ

NATIONAL BROADCASTING CO., INC.

Licensee x WMAQ, Inc.

File No.	Date	Call Letters	Name and Location of Applicant	Remarks	Disposition
4-ML-B-1213	~~6-22-33~~ 7-11-33.	WTMJ	The Journal Co.(The Milwaukee Journal) Milwaukee, Wis.	Chg.freq. & power from 620 kcs-1KW-1½KW-LS to 670 kcs-5KW-Fac. WMAQ,WHA & WLBL	Dismissed 12-22-33
4-P-B-3063	11-22-33	WHA	Univ.of Wisconsin,and Department of Agriculture and Markets	Chg.900 kc., 2½ KW Daytime (WLBL) Chg.940 kc., 1 KW, Daytime (WHA) to 670 kc., 5 KW, ½ time, S-WMAQ,(Consolidation of WHA & WLBL) (Fac. of WMAQ)	Dismissed 12-22-33
B4-P-2225	9-2-38	WHA	Unive. of Wisc. Madison,Wisc.	C.P. new trans.antenna, change freq,power,time, move trans.Req.Fac.WMAQ.	Withdrawn Without Prejudice 10-27-39

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Renewal Requested	Date Received	Designated for Hearing	Reason	Remarks
8-22-33		9-29-33	4-ML-B-1213 (WTMJ)	Dismissed from Docket & dtd 1-26-34
10-24-38	11-10-38		B4-P-2225 (WHA)	

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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.