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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 9-7-48 Call letters W N D B

STATION LOCATION: DAYTONA BEACH, FLA.

RACEWAY BROADCASTING CORPORATION (AL: 8-23-79 EFF: 12/31/76
x BROADCAST MANAGEMENT OF FLORIDA, LTD.(Joel M. Thrope, General Partner)AL gr 11/30/76 EFF:
xx QUALITY BROADCASTING CORPORATION (AL 10-19-72 EFF: 11-1-72)

Name of licensee x NEWS-JOURNAL CORPORATION

[redacted]

Transmitter location 6th Street and ~~Canal~~ Nova Road, Holly Hill, Fla. (CP & MP 10-3-47) (Lic. 9-7-48)

6th Street and ~~Canal~~ Nova Road, Holly Hill, Florida (Let. 10-24-56)
X 128 Orange Avenue, Daytona Beach, Fla. (CP & MP 10-3-47) (Lic. 9-7-48)

Main studio location x 128 Orange Avenue, Daytona Beach, Florida (CP 7-10-47)

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BP-6057	7-10-47	1150	1kw	Daytime	
Ltr. 8-5-47. CP for new station granted subject to filing MP for T site and antenna.					
BP-6057 BMP-3163	10-3-47 Mod. CP approval approval	1150 (6057) to change of antenna and of T site.	1kw	Daytime type of T and for mount FM antenna and for	12-3 6-3-48
Letter	5-4-48 STA to oper. add'l time from sign-off time (7:15 pm, EST) to 12:00 midnight 5-4-48 to b/c elec. returns, only (with power reduced to 250w.				
BMP-3163	1-8-48 Mod. of CP to add conditional clause re alleviating effects of internal cross-modulation between the transmitters and antenna systems of St tions WNDB and WMFJ ORDER ISSUED.				
Letter	5-25-48 STA to operate additional time (with power reduced to 250 watts) from sign-off (7:15 pm, EST), 5-25-48 to 1:00 am, EST, 5-26-48, in order to broadcast Florida's final election returns only.				
BL-3104	9-7-48 Lic. to cover CP (6057 as mod) for a new station. (CONDITIONAL CLAUSE)	1150	1kw	Daytime	9-7 5-1-50
BS-2078	4-28-50	Extension of License			5-1 9-1-50
BS-2078	8-2-50 Mod. lic. to remove condition.	1150	1kw	Day	8-2 9-1-50
BS-2078	8-31-50	Extension of license			9-1 12-1-50
BR-2078	11-29-50	1150	1kw	Daytime	11-29 5-1-53
BP-6983	8-15-51	1150	1kw*	U	10-15 4-15-52
CP chg. hrs. of oper. and install DA for night use *DA-N (COND'L CLAUSE)					
BR-2078	5-6-53	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			5-1-53 2-1-55
BL-4675	2-17-54 Lic. cover CP(6983) which authorized change hours, of operation, install DA for night use and make changes in the ground system (COND'L CLAUSE)	1150kc	1kw, DA-N,	Un	2-17-54 2-1-55
BR-2078	1-12-55	1150	1kw DA-N	U	2-1 2-1-58
BS-2078	10-19-56 Mod. of license (BR-2078) redescribing mon. point #1, deleting Point #3, and changing operating specifcations. (MEMO)				

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters ....W N D B.....

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--
BP-11,613	10-25-57	1150kc	1kw-DA-N,	Un	12-25 6-25-58
Construction permit to install a new transmitter (RCA-BTA1MX					
BR-2078	1-3-58	1150kc	1kw DA-N,	U	2-1 2-1-61
BL-6943 (2)	1-9-58	Lic. to cover CP BP-11,613 which auth. a new transmitter (RCA BTA-1MX).(MAIN)			
BL-6944 EFF	1-9-58 2-1-58	1150kc	1kw DA-N,	U (ALT)	2-1 2-1-61
Lic. to install old main trans. (GE XT-1A) as an alternate main trans.					
BR-2078	1-18-61	Main & Alt Main Renewal of License			2-1 2-1-64
	1-29-64	COMMISSION DEFERRED ACTION ON RENEWAL PENDING FURTHER CONSIDERATION.			
BR-2078	4-30-64	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Main and Alternate Main			4-3 2-1-67
BZ-6169 (Main)	11-10-66	1150kc	1kw DA-N,	Unl.	11-10 2-1-67
Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.					
BZ-6170 (Alt. M)	11-10-66	1150kc	1kw DA-N,	U	11-10- 2-1-67
Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.					
BR-2078	1-13-67	Renewal of License (Main and Alt. Main)			2-1 2-1-70
BP-17426	2-3-67	1150kc	1kw-DA-N	U	4-3 10-3-67
CP to make chgs. in the ant. system (incr. hgt. west tower Non-DA) Cond'l.					
BL-11,612	4-27-67	Lic to cover CP(BP-17,426) which auth chg. in ant-system			
		1150kc	1kw-DA-N	U	4-27 2-1-70
Memo	1-17-69	Show marking Main & Alt.Main as Tower #1 para. 1,3,12 & 20 Towers #2 & #3 para. 1,2, 12 & 20.			
BR-2078(L)	1-29-70	RENEWAL MAIN & ALT.MAIN & NDEA			2-1-73
BZ-7353	(L)2-6-70	Direct Measurement for Main and Alt.-Main Trans.			2-1-73 cancelled
BZ-2078	2-11-70	Memo re change obstruction marking.			

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters W N D B

Station location .....

Name of licensee NEWS-JOURNAL CORPORATION

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BP-19,210	5-15-72	1150kc	1kw DA-N	U	5-15-73
	CP to add maximum tolerance values for the nighttime pattern.				
EBSA	5-25-72				
BP-19,210(1)	6-28-72	Mod.of(BP-19,210) to correct MEOV's			
BAPI-[2[	10-19-72	VOL. AL & CP EFF. 11-1-72			
BR-2078 BL-13353(L) BL-13352	2-8-73	Renewal Lic. use former Alt. as Aux. Lic. cover CP (BP-19210) 1150kc	1kw 1kw	DA-N U Aux.	2-1-76
BR-2078(S)	6-16-76	RENEWAL (MAIN & AUX.)			2-1-79
BAL-8812	11/30/76	Vol AL	EFF: 12/31/76		
BZ-9458(L)	8-8-77	Direct Measurement			2-1-79
BZ-9458	8-8-77	superseded page 1, to correct studio loc. TL and aux. antenna.			2-1-79
BAL790605FH	8-23-79	VOL. AL		EFF:	9-24-79
BR781002YA BZ790611AF (L)	4-24-81	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			2-1-82

Form 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WNDB New

Name NEWS-JOURNAL CORPORATION
(PO 128 Orange Avenue, Daytona Beach, Florida)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-6057 Rec'd Filed	1-21-47 1-24-47 5-1-47	Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequncy: 1150kc Power: 1kw Hours of operation: Daytime only Trans. location: To be determined- In or near Daytona Beach, Florida Studio location: 128 Orange Avenue, Daytona Beach, Florida (Filed by Dwight E.Rorer,Atty.; George C.Davis,Engr.) Transmitter - G E BT-21-A	GRANTED Subject to filing MP for T site and antenna Ltr. 8-5-47 Issued with MP 3163	7-10-47

Transmitter-G.E. BT-21-A

Form 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call Letters WNDB

Name NEWS-JOURNAL CORPORATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-3163 Rec'd Filed	9-10-47 9-10-47 9-10-47	Mod. of C.P. (BP-6057, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) to change type of transmitter (G.E. XT-1-A), for approval of vertical antenna and to mount FM antenna on AM tower and for approval of transmitter location at 6th Street and Canal Road, Holly Hill, Florida. (Filed by Robert L. Irwin, Atty. Geo. C. Davis, Engr.)	GRANTED	10-3-47

Form 94 #3

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WNDB

Name NEWS-JOURNAL CORPORATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-3104 Rec'd Filed	4-12-48 4-14-48 4-14-48	License to cover C.P. (BP-6057, as mod.,) which authorized a new standard broadcast station. (John P. Carr, Atty.)	GRANTED subj. to cond. that when & if File No. 7355 WMFJ, is granted, the licensee will install in its antenna system whatever devices are necessary to alleviate to the satisfaction of the Commission the effects of any internal cross-modulation between the transmitters and antenna systems of stations WNDB and WMFJ.	9-7-48

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WNDB

Name NEWS-JOURNAL CORPORATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-6983 Rec'd Filed	10-18-48 10-22-48 10-22-48	Construction Permit to ~~change frequency from 1150kc to 550kc,~~ change hours of operation from daytime to unlimited, ~~and~~ install directional antenna for night use only. and change power from 1kw day to 1kw day and night. (Filed by John P. Carr, Atty.; Julius Cohen, Engr.)	Docket No. 9667 GRANTED after being removed from hearing, Cond'l re blanketing; installation phase monitor; availability of field meas.equip.; and DA-non-DA proof	8-15-51
AMENDED Rec'd Filed	5-22-51 5-25-51 6-4-51	AMENDED to omit request for change in frequency; make changes in directional antenna system (DA-N) and make changes in the ground system.		

Form 94 #5

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WNDB

Name NEWS-JOURNAL CORPORATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-2078 Rec'd Resubm. Rec'd	2-17-50 2-23-50 3-2-50 3-3-50	Renewal of license Filed by Robert Irwin atty. (Not executed by officer)	~~Ret'd~~ GRANTED	~~2-28-50~~ 11-29-50
BL-4675 Rec'd Filed	2-13-52 2-15-52 2-29-52	License to cover construction permit(BP-6983) which authorized change hours of operation from daytime to unlimited, installation of directional antenna for night use only, and make changes in the ground system. Fred W. Albertson, atty.	GRANTED blanketing clause.	2-17-54
BR-2078 Rec'd Filed	2-5-53 2-10-53 2-10-53	Renewal of License Filed by Clair L. Stout, Atty.	GRANTED	5-6-53

FORM A-170 #6

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WNDB

Name NEWS-JOURNAL CORPORATION
DAYTONA BEACH, FLORIDA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-2078 Rec'd Filed	10-28-54 11-4-54 11-4-54	Renewal of License Filed by Alfred C. Cordon, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	1-12-55
BP-11,613 Rec(d Filed	10-8-57 10-15-57 10-15-57	Construction permit to install a new transmitter (RCA BTA-1MX).	GRANTED	10-25-57
BR-2078 Rec'd Filed	10-8-57 10-31-57 10-31-57	Renewal of license. Al C. Cordon, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	1-3-58
BL-6943 Rec'd Filed	11-18-57 11-22-57 11-22-57	License to cover construction permit BP-11,613 which authorized x installation of a new transmitter (RCA BTA-1MX) Main. Atty's: Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED	1-9-58
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WNDB

Name NEWS-JOURNAL CORPORATION
DAYTONA BEACH, FLORIDA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BL-6944 Rec'd Filed	11-18-57 11-22-57 11-22-57	License to install old main transmitter (G.E. XT-1A) as an alternate main transmitter at present location of main transmitter and to be operated on 1150kc, 1kw-DA-N. Atty's: Dow, Lohnes and Albertson	GRANTED EFF.	1-9-58 2-1-58
BR-2078 Rec'd Filed	10-26-60 11-3-60 11-3-60	Renewal of License (Main & Alt. Main) John B. Jacob, Atty.	GRANTED	1-18-61
	Sta is now represented by Spearman & Roberson, (Let. 8-15-61).			
BR-2078 R & F.	10-21-63 10-28-63	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (Main and alt. main) Atty: Robert L. Heald	GRANTED	4-30-64
BP-17,426 R & F	9-20-66 9-23-66	CP to make chgs in the ant. system (incr. hgt. west tower-non-DA) Atty. Robert L. Heald Engr. George C. Davis (SEE CARD #8 FOR LICENSE TO COVER)	GRANTED Cond'l re: Phase Mon., Field meas. equip., DA & non-DA proof.	2-3-67

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

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WNDB

Name NEWS-JOURNAL CORPORATION
Daytona Beach, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BZ-6169 R & F	8/11/66 8/16/66	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power. (Main) Atty: Fletcher, Heald, Rowell etc. (R.L.Heald) Engr: Geo. C. Davis, Wash. D.C.	GRANTED	11-10-66
BZ-6170 R & F	8/11/66 8/16/66	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power. (Alt-Main) Atty: R. L. Heald Engr: Geo. C. Davis	GRANTED	11-10-66
BR-2078 R & F	10-26-66 11-3-66	Renewal of license (Main & Alternate-Main) Atty- James P. Riley (Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, Kenehan & Hildreth)	GRANTED	1-13-67
BL-11,612 R & F	2/20/67 2/27/67	Lic. to cover CP (BP-17,426) which auth. chng. in ant-system. Atty: R. L. Heald (SEE CARD #7 FOR CP)	GRANTED	4-27-67

D/M 10-7-69

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

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Call Letters W N D B

Name NEWS-JOURNAL CORPORATION
DAYTONA BEACH, FLORIDA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-2078	10-16-69	Renewal of license. (Main & Alt. Main)	GRANTED	1-29-70
R&F	10-24-69			
$754550991	10-24-69			
$30-550986	10-24-69	Atty. Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, Kenehan & Hildreth		
PRESS:				
PN filed	10-24-69			
	NOV 20 1969			
BZ-7353	7-29-69	Direct Measurement. (Main and Alt.-Main)	GRANTED	2-4-70
R & F	8-15-69	Atty: Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, etc.		
DM	10-7-69	(James P. Riley)		
"	JAN [illegible] 1970			

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

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1150kc

Call Letters WNDB

QUALITY BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Name x NEWS-JOURNAL CORPORATION

Daytona Beach, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP- 19,210 Rec'd Filed #023353 $50 Acc. 060 Press MAY 9 1972	8-6-71 8-10-71 8-10-71 8-10-71	Construction permit to add maximum tolerance values for the nighttime pattern. Atty: Vincent J. Curtis, Jr.	GRANTED	5-15-72
Engineering report filed 1-14-72. Amended 5-1-72 re Engineering pattern.				
BAPL-424 R & F FEE D: $1000 #083507 CODE 047(ALSO SEE FM WDNJ) JUL 7 1972 Pub. notice filed 7-17-72	6-14-72 6-16-72	Voluntary assignment of license and CP(BP-19210) to QUALITY BROADCASTING CORPORATION Atty for assignor - Fletcher, Heald etc for assignee - E.D. Johnston AMENDED 10-10-72 re: financial, programming & employment.	GRANTED 10-19-72 Req. grant fee $8,500 (AM & FM) EFF: 11-1-72 Paid:063,11-7-72,W125069	

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1150 kc

Call Letters W N D B

QUALITY BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Name X NEWS-JOURNAL CORPORATION
DAYTONA BEACH, FLORIDA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-2078 R & F PN Recd. PRESS NOV 1 1972 NOV 1 1972	10-20-72 " " 1972	RENEWAL OF LICENSE V.J.Curtis,Jr.Atty. AMENDED 11-1-72 to change name of applicant to "Quality Broadcasting Corporation" AMENDED 12-6-72 re: engineering data Atty now E.D. Johnston	GRANTED issued with BL-13,353	1-31-73
BL-13,352 R & F PTA Amended PRESS	8-11-72 8-11-72-067-W 099672-$50. 8-21-72 12-6-72 DEC 21 1972	Lic.(BP-19,210) for changes. pend. rec. amend. lic. name lic. name Atty: ~~[illegible]~~ E. D. Johnston	GRANTED issued with BL-13353	1-15-73
BL-13,353 R & F 067-W 112940 PTA PRESS	9-21-72 9-26-72 9-26-72 $50. 10-27-72 DEC 21 1972	Lic. to use formerly licensed Alternate-main Transmitter (G.E., XT-1A) 1kw, DA-N - for an Auxiliary transmitter	GRANTED	2-8-73

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

#12 1150khz

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WNDB

BROADCAST MANAGEMENT OF FLORIDA, LTD.(Joel M. Thrope, General Partner)

Name x Quality Broadcasting Corporation
Daytona Beach, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-2078 R & F P. N. Rec'd Press	9-26-75 10-1-75 10-1-75 NOV 25 1975	Renewal of License. (Main & Auxiliary) Atty: Everett D. Johnston AMENDED 3-29-76 re: prog. & EEO	GRANTED	6-16-76
BAL-8812 R & F FEE PD: $100 #614097 CODE 047(INCLUDES FM OCT 27 1976 NJ) PN filed	9-15-76 9-16-76 10/27/76	Voluntary assignment of license to BROADCAST MANAGEMENT OF FLORIDA,LTD. (Joel M. Thrope, General Partner) Atty for assignor - E.D. Johnston for assignee - Mallyck & Bernton AMENDED:11-17-76 - legal data re lmtd partners	GRANTED EFF: FEE REQ:	11/30/76 12/31/76
BZ-9458 R & F $100#631008 PTA PRESS JUL 18 1977	10-25-76 11-1-76 11-2-76 6-27-77	Direct Measurement Atty: Everett D. Johnston	GRANTED	8-8-77

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1150khz

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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RACEWAY BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Name xBROADCAST MANAGEMENT OF FLORIDA, LTD. (Joel M. Thrope, General Partner)
Daytona Beach, FL

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR781002YA PRESS	NOV 13 1978	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) Atty. William P. Bernton	GRANTED	2-1-82
BAL 790605FH PRESS JUN 18 1979 Form 314 (also see FM WWLV) PN FILED 7-2-79		Vol AL to RACEWAY BROADCASTING CORPORATION REQUEST WAIVER SECTION 1.597 Atty-William P. Bernton MUTUALLY CONTINGENT ON GR OF TC'S & AL'S FILED SIMULTANEOUSLY (WCNW, WABY ETC)	GRANTED EFF:	8-23-79 9-24-79
BZ-790611AF R & F DM PRESS	6-11-79 6-19-80 FEB 20 1981	DIRECT MEASUREMENT Atty: William P. Bernton (Glaser, Fletcher)		

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BAL790608FH Amended 1-27-81 re: Art. of Inc.

W N D B - RECORD OF DENIALS OF INFORMAL APPLICATIONS

Letter 5-19-48 to opr. additional time with reduced power 250w) from sign-off time (7:15 pm, EST) May 25 to 1:00 am EST May 26, 1948, in order to (reconsi. broadcast Florida's final election returns.

Letter 5-18-48

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.