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Form BC 126
June 1954
OFFICIAL NO. 1793

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD FM

Date first licensed December 28, 1965

Call letters KOFM

Station location OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA

Name of licensee KOFM, INC. (ALH3-26-80, EFF: 4-1-80)
x THE WHYN STATIONS CORPORATION (AL: 1-30-80 EFF:
x AMERICAN RADIO CORPORATION (ALH & SCA 9-26-74 EFF: 10-8-74)
KBBC, INC.

Transmitter location 1200 E.Britton Rd.,Okla.City,Okla.(LH P2-28-65)Redescribsd) (MPH 4-19-65)
x1/3 mi. E. on N. Kelly St., at Britton Ave., Oklahoma City, Okla./
XNortheast corner Park Avenue & Robinson Street., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

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Main studio location SAME AS TRANSMITTER
x To be determined, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BPH-4330 HAAT:430'	7/1/64	104.1mc Ch.281	ERP:59kw TPO: 5kw	Unl.	9/1/64 3/1/65
	CP for a new Class C FM broadcast station.				
BMPH-8198 (1)	3-22-65	Mod. of CP(BPH-4330) for extension of completion date to			9-1-65
BMPH-8199 HAAT:1360'(H) 1350'(V)	4-19-65	104.1mc Ch.#281	ERP:96kw(H&V) TPO:19kw	Unl.	9-1-64 9-1-65
	Mod. of CP(BPH-4330, as mod.) to chg. ant.-trans loc.; chg. type trans. (Collins 830H-1A) & type ant. (Collins 37M-16/300-16, 16 hor. & 16 vert. secs.); and incr. TPO, ERP & HAAT.				
BSCA-596	6-23-65	Request for subsidiary communications authorization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67kcs.			
BMPH-8433 (1)	9-1-65	Mod of CP(BPH-4330) as mod./ for extension of completion date to			1-1-66
BLH-3068 HAAT:1,360'(h)1,350'(v)	12-28-65	104.1mc, ERP:96kw.(h&v) ch.#281 TPO:19kw.		U	12-28-65 6-1-68
	Lic. to cover CP(BPH-4330 as mod.) which auth. a new FM broadcast station.				
BRH-1793(S)	5-28-68	RENEWAL			6-1-71
BRSCA-596	5-28-68	RENEWAL OF SCA			6-1-71
BRH-1793(S) BRSCA-596	5-27-71	RENEWAL RENEWAL of SCA			6-1-74
EBSA	5-22-72				
BRH-1793 BRSCA-596	5-31-74 "	(L) RENEWAL OF LICENSE & SCA			6-1-77
BALH-2016 BASCA-641	9-26-74	VOL. ALH & SCA	EFF: 10-8-74		
BTC-7774	7/8/75	Vol TC EFF: 7/10/75			
BRH-1793 BRSCA-596	5-20-77 "	(L) RENEWAL OF LICENSE REN. OF SCA			6-1-80
BRH-1793 Supersedes	5-20-77 8-31-77	SAME AS ABOVE To correct class of station			6-1-80

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FM

BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

First licensed ....DECEMBER 28, 1965.....

Call Letters ...K O F M.....

Station Location ..OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA

Name .....

Transmitter Location .....

Main studio location .....

Form BC-126
December 1978

Authorization Record

File No.	Granted	Facilities	Expires
BTCH790730HX	8-20-79	VOL. TC EFF:	8-24-79
BALH791009FB	1-30-80	VOL. AL & SCA EFF:	
BALH800304hj	3-26-80	VOL. AL EFF:	4-1-80
BRSCA & BRH 800123 UE		RENEWALS Gr. 5-22-80	4-1-83

Form BC-126 (Back)
December 1978

FORM BC-121
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters N-E-W- KOFM

Name BBC, INC.
OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA (PO %Loyd Benefield, 2700 Liberty Bank Bldg., Oklahoma City, Okla.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-4330 R & F	1-17-64 1-20-64	Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Freq.: 104.1mcs, Ch.281 ERP: 59.4kw Type trans.: Gates FM-5C TPO: 5kw Type ant.: Gates FMA-12A, 12 secs. HAAT: 430' Trans. loc.: NE corner Park Ave. & Robinson St., Oklahoma City, Okla. Studio loc.: To be determined, Oklahoma City, Okla. Atty.: Jack P. Blume Engr.: John A. Moffet	GRANTED	7/1/64

FORM BC-121 #2
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KOFH

Name EBC, INC.
OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPH-8198 M&F	2-25-65 2-26-65	Modification of CP (BPH-4330 which authorized a new FM broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 3-1-65 to 9-1-65. Atty: Joseph J. Kessler	GRANTED to	3-22-65 9-1-65
BSCA-596 M&F	2-25-65 2-26-65	Request for subsidiary communications authorization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67kcs. Atty: Joseph J. Kessler	GRANTED	6-23-65
BMPH-8199 M&F	2-25-65 2-26-65	Modification of CP (BPH-4330 which authorized a new FM broadcast station) to change ant-trans location to 1/3 mi east on N. Kelly St. at Britton Ave., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; increase TPO to 18.997kw; increase horizontal ERP to 95.6kw; increase HAAT to 1358'; change SEE CARD #3	GRANTED (See Card #3 for amendment)	4-19-65

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

#3

APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

Call Letters KOFM

Name EBC, INC.
OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPH-8199	CONTINUED FROM CARD NO. #2.	type trans (~~Gates-FM-20B~~); change type horizontal ant (~~Gates-FMA-16B~~, 16 sections), and install new vertically polarized ant (~~Gates-300-16~~, 16 sections); using a vertical ERP of 95.6kw. Atty: Joseph J. Kessler	SEE CARD #2	
AMENDED R&F	3-31-65 4-9-65	AMENDED to change type transmitter to Collins 830H-1A and change type antenna to Collins 37M-16 (Horizontal) and Collins 300-16 (Vertical)		
BMPH-8433 R&F	8-11-65 8-17-65	Modification of CP (BPH-4330 as modified which authorized a new FM Broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 9-1-65 to 1-1-66. Atty: Joseph J. Kessler	GRANTED	9-1-65

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955 #4

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

104.1mhz

Call Letters K O F M

Name BBC, INC.
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLH-3068 R & F	11/15/65 11/16/65	Lic. to cover CP (BPH-4330 as mod.) which auth. a new FM broadcast station. Attys: Fly, Shuebruk, Blume & Gaguine	GRANTED	12-28-65
BRH-1793 R & F BRSCA-596 R & F MAR 15 1968	2-28-68 3-4-68 2-26-68 3-4-68	Renewal of license Renewal of SCA Atty- Jack P. Blume (Fly, Shuebruk et al)	GRANTED	5-28-68
BRH-1793 BRSCA-596 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAR 18 1971	2-25-71 " 3-3-71 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA Jack P. Blume, Atty.	GRANTED	5-27-71

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104.1mhz

Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters ...K.O.T.M.....

AMERICAN RADIO CORPORATION

Name X...RBC, INC.....
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BTC-7315 R & F FEE PD: $250 #258942 CODE 049 (Form 316) DEC 1 1 1973	12-4-73 12-7-73	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of lic corp by Loyd Benefield thru purchase of stock from Jean I. Everest Atty - Fly, Shurbruk, Blume & Gaguine	DISMISSED Req. of atty	4-4-74
BRH-1793 BRSCA-596 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	2-25-74 " 3-4-74 " 8 MAR 1974	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA A.G.House,Atty.(Fly & Gaguine)	GRANTED	5-31-74
BALH-2016 BASCA-641 R & F FEE PD: $1000 #315389 CODE 049 Pub.notice filed 7-8-74 JUL 1 9 1974	6-6-74 6-14-74	Voluntary assignment of license and SCA to AMERICAN RADIO CORPORATION Atty for assignor - Fly, Shuebruk etc for assignee - Miller & Schroeder AMENDED 8-13-74 re: Financing AMENDED 9-13-74 re: Financial data AMENDED 9-23-74 - financial data	GRANTED GRANT FEE: $ 9,150.00 EFF: 10-8-74 050 PD 10-16-74 W 355101	9-26-74

Form BC-121 #6
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FM

Call Letters K.O.F.M.

Name AMERICAN RADIO CORPORATION
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BTC-7774 R & F FEE PD $50 # 429556 CODE 049(FORM 316) ALSO SEE: MBUL ETC 1975	5-15-75 5-19-75	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Robert D. Freeman, Lowell D. Denniston and Frank L. Carney to American Media, Inc. Atty - Miller & Schroeder(J. Kenkel) AMENDED 6-30-75 - financial data	GRANTED EFF: No gr fee req	7/8/75 7/10/75
BRH-1793 BRSCA-596 R & F P.N. PRESS MAR 14 1977	1-20-77 1-20-77 1-28-77 1-28-77	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA Atty. John B. Kenkel (Miller & Schroeder)	GRANTED	5-20-77
BTCH-790730HX FORM 316 PRESS AUG 8 1979		Vol TC from American Media, Inc. to Lowell D. Denniston, Frank L. Carney and Robert D. Freeman (over) Atty - John B. Kenkel	GRANTED EFF:	8-20-79 8-24-79

Form BC-121 #7
May 1976 KOFM, INC.

APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

Call Letters K O F M

xx THE WHYN STATIONS CORPORATION
Name x AMERICAN RADIO CORPORATION
Oklahoma City, Okla.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BALH791009FB FORM 314 PRESS: OCT 25 1979 PN FILED	11-14-79	Vol AL to THE WHYN STATIONS CORPORATION (INCLUDE SCA) (SEE OVER) Atty for assignor - John B. Kenkel for assignee - Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED EFF:	1-30-80
BALH800304HJ Form 316 PRESS MAR 14 1980 PN FILED	2-27-80 2-19-80	Vol. AL and SCA to KOFM, INC. (over) Atty - Alan Campbell (Dow, Lohnes &Albertson)	GRANTED EFF:	3-21-80 4-1-80
BRH 800123 UE PBRSCA " MAR 25 1980		RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA John B. Kenkel, Atty. AMENDED 4-22-80 to change name of applicant to "KOFM, INC."	GRANTED	5-22-80

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

RE: BALH/FB - Ref to WHYN(AM) FOR ARTICLES ETC.
NOTED: Assig ee is Maine corp - Cert of auth for Okla nec?
AMENDED 12-27-79 re: Auth. tdb in Oklahoma
AMENDED 2-7-80 re: Plan of financing

BALH800304HJ Amended 3-7-80 re: Auth. tdb in Oklahoma

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.

FM History Cards were initiated in the early 1940s, with the authorization of the earliest FM stations in the FM band, then at 42 to 50 MHz. (The band was shifted to its present location, 88 to 108 MHz, in 1946.) 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 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). Prior to that move, 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.

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.