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June 1954

FREQUENCY MODULATION

OFFICIAL NO. 1804

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

3-13-70. Authority for "On-The-Air" identifications Dardanelle, Russellville, K W K K (Eff 5-6-74)

Date first licensed January 26, 1966

Call letters x K C A B-FM

Station location DARDANELLE, ARKANSAS

Name of licensee CENTRAL ARKANSAS BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

Transmitter location 0.8 mile West of Dardanelle business center at junction of Highways #22 and #7, Dardanelle, Arkansas (PH 3-31-65)

Main studio location 1808 North Second Street, Dardanelle, Arkansas (BSH-8-24-76)
x 103 Locust, Dardanelle, Arkansas (ERCH 10-21-65)
X 0.8 mile West of Dardanelle business center at junction of Highways #22 and #7, Dardanelle, Arkansas (PH 3-31-65)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH-3719 HAAT:260'	3-31-65	102.3mcs Ch.#272	ERP:3kw TPO:1kw	Unl.	5-31-65 11-30-65
	CP for a new Class A FM broadcast station.				
BRCH-655 (1)	10-21-65	Mod. of CP(BPH-3719) to change studio location to 103 Locust Street, Dardanelle, Arkansas and operate transmitter by remote control from studio.			
BLH-2982 HAAT:260'	1-26-66	102.3mc. ch.# 272	ERP: 3kw TPO1kw	Unl.	1-26-66 6-1-67
	Lic. to cover CP(BPH-3791) which authorized a new FM broadcast station.				
BRH-1804	5-22-67	Renewal of License			6-1 6-1-70
BTC-5864	4-23-69	Vol. TC			
RH-1804(S)	5-27-70	Renewal of license			6-1-73
EBSA	5-22-72				
BTC-6824	5-31-72	Vol TC			
BRH-1804(S)	5-31-73	RENEWAL			6-1-76
BSH-1804(1)	5-6-74	ML to change call letters			
EBSA	5-6-74				
BRH-1804(L)	5-12-76	RENEWAL			6-1-79
BSH-1804(1)	8-24-76	ML to change SL and RC			
BTC-8281	4/7/77	Vol TC EFF:4-11-77			
BPH780810AH HAAT: 260' (L)	12-6-78 (H&V)	102.3mhz Unl.	ERP: 3kw (H&V) TPO: 1.9kw	RC Class: A	12-6-79 CP to
	install new trans., install new Antenna				
BLH-790319AH (L)	8-16-79	Lic.(BPH-780810AH) FOR CHGS.			6-1-82
BRH790201WC	5-18-79	not issued			

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters ~~[illegible]~~ K C A B-FM

Name CENTRAL ARKANSAS BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
DARDANELLE, ARKANSAS (P.O. ~~William C. Murphy, 101 East Main, Russellville, Ark.~~)
103 Locust St, Dardanelle, Ark

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-3719 Rec'd Resub R&F	2-20-62 2-23-62 4-4-62 4-6-62	CP for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - ~~104.3mc CH 282~~ 102.3mc CH 272 ERP ~~2.8kw~~ 3kw Collins 37M4 Type Antenna - ~~Gates FM A4~~, 4 sections ~~Jampro JA-4 (4 Bay)~~ HAAT 260 feet Type transmitter - ~~Gates FM 1B~~ Collins 830D-1A TPO 1kw Trans. location - 0.8 mi. west of Dardanelle business center at Jct. of Hwy.22 & 7 Dardanelle, Arkansas Studio location - Same as transmitter	~~Ret'd~~ ~~Notarized by officer~~ GRANTED	~~3-16-62~~ 3-31-65
Amendment Rec'd	12-27-62 12-31-62	Eng. Vir N. James, Denver, Colorado Amend rec'd to change freq. to 96.9mc CH 245; ERP 15kw; change type trans(GATES FM 5C) See page 2 for amendment	AMEND. RET'D 1-7-63 re "Freeze" (revised Sec 1.356)	

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name CENTRAL ARKANSAS BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
DARDANELLE, ARKANSAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-3719 AMENDMENT R & F	Continued 8-20-63 8-22-63	AMENDED to change frequency to 102.3mc CH 272; increase ERP to 3kw; change type antenna to Gates FM A4, 4 sections.	SEE	CARD#1
AMENDED R. & F.	10-15-63 10-21-63	AMENDED to chg. type trans.(Collins 830D-1A) and type antenna (Collins 37M-4, 4 sect.)		
AMENDED R&F	4-30-64 5-8-64	AMENDED to reflect pending transfer of control BTC-4429		
BTC Rec'd (form 316)	7-31-65 8-16-65	Voluntary transfer of stock of permittee corp. from Pat Lea to James K. Sanford	RET'D (to be filed on 323)	8-31-65 unnec.
BTC- Rec'd (Form 316)	8-11-65 8-16-65	Voluntary transferof stock of permittee corp. from Duard Finkenbinder to Parker Parker	RET'D (to be filed on 323)	8-31-65 unnec.

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KCAB-FM

Name CENTRAL ARKANSAS BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
DARDANELLE, ARKANSAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLH-2982 Received Filed	8-25-65 8-27-65 9-3-65	License to cover CP (BPH-3719) which authorized a new FM broadcast station.	GRANTED	1-26-66
BRCH- 655 Rec'd Resub. R & F	9-27-65 9-29-65 10-11-65 10-13-65	Modification of CP(BPH-3719)to change studio location to 103 Locust Street, Dardanelle, Arkansas and operate transmitter by remote control from studio1.	~~RETURNED 10-6-65 Signed by General Manager, and no Fee.~~ GRANTED	10-21-65
BTC- Rec'd (Form 316)	2-8-66 3-14-66	Voluntary transfer of stock of lic. corp. from Cleo Neuhart, Matt Koch, Mary Sue Jones and Daniel Scott to James K. Sanford and Parker Parker	RET'D Form 323 applic.	3-23-66 unnec. filed with sufficient
BRH-1804 R & F	3-3-67 3-7-67	Renewal of license	GRANTED	5-22-67
BTC Rec'd (Form 316)	6-2-67 6-15-67	Voluntary transfer of stock from William O. Blackwell to Parker Parker	RET'D 7-10-67 Form 323 applic.	unnec. filed with sufficient

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Name CENTRAL ARKANSAS BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
Dardanelle, Arkansas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BTC Rec'd	1-16-68 1-22-68	Voluntary transfer of stock from Walter Mark Kinslow to Parker Parker	RET'D 1-30-68 unnec. Form 323 retained	
JAN 31 1968				
BTC- Rec'd	9-19-68 10-11-68	Voluntary transfer of stock from William G. Blackwell to Bill Berry	RET'D 10-23-68 unnec to be filed on 323	
BTC-5864 Rec'd Filed FEE PD: $30 - 488125 (also see KCAB FEB 8 1969	1-6-69 1-10-69 2-6-69	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of lic. corp. by Parker Parker thru purchase of stock from Johnny Luker (form 316)	GRANTED Eff:	4-23-69 4-29-69
BTC Rec'd (FORM 316 - no fee pd)	9-26-69 10-13-69	Vol. transfer of stock from Bill Berry to Parker Parker	RET'D 11-17-69 unnec. 323 retained for files	
BTC Rec (Form 316 - no fee pd)	1-20-70 1-23-70	Vol. transfer of stock (5 shares) from Johnny Blackford to Parker Parker	RET'D 2-5-70 Unnec 323 to be filed	

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

102.3mc

Call Letters K W K K
x KCAB-FM

Name CENTRAL ARKANSAS BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
Dardanelle, Arkansas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-1804 R & F #581290 $75. P.N.	2-25-70 2-27-70 2-27-70 2-27-70	Renewal of License AMENDED 3-19-70 re: to show correct station location MAR 1970 AMENDED 4-3-70 re: clarify type trans.	GRANTED	5-27-70
BTC-6824 R & F FEE PD: $1000 #050998 CODE 049(also see am) MAR 27 1972 Pub. notice filed 3-30-72	3-10-72 3-15-72	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Parker Parker to G. Ronald Rye Atty - Fisher, Wayland etc(M. Leader)	GRANTED Req. grant fee $3,600.00 (Includes AM) Grant Fee Paid: 063, 7-7-72, W 089258	5-31-72
BRH-1804 R & F PN Recd. PRESS APR 4 1973	2-27-73 3-5-73 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	5-31-73

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FM 102.3 mc

Call Letters K W K K

Name CENTRAL ARKANSAS BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
DARDANELLE, ARKANSAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-1804 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	1-19-76 2-2-76 " MAR 11 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	5-12-76
BTC-8281 R & F Also see KCAB(AM) FORM 316 MAR 17 1977	3/4/77 3/7/77	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from G. Ronald Rye to United Media, Inc. Atty - Fisher,Wayland,etc(Martin Leader)	GRANTED EFF:	4/7/77 4-11-77
BPH-780810AH PRESS:	SEP 18 1978	CP install new Trans. (ROCKWELL-COLLINS 831D-2); install new Ant. (ROCKWELL-COLLINS, G5CPM-4E, 4 sects H&V); chg. TPO; ERP: 3kw (H&V) & HAAT: 260' (H&V) Atty: Kathryn R. Schmeltzer (Fisher, Wayland, etc.) Engr: Bernard R. Segal	GRANTED	12-6-78

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May 1976
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters K W K K

Name CENTRAL ARKANSAS BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
DARDANELLE, ARKANSAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH 790201 VC PRESS MAR 14 1979		RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED Not issued	5-18-79
BLH-790319AH PTA: PRESS: JUN 25 1979	3-28-79	License to cover (BPH-780810AH) for CHANGES Atty: Jeffrey D. Southmayd	GRANTED	8-16-79

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.