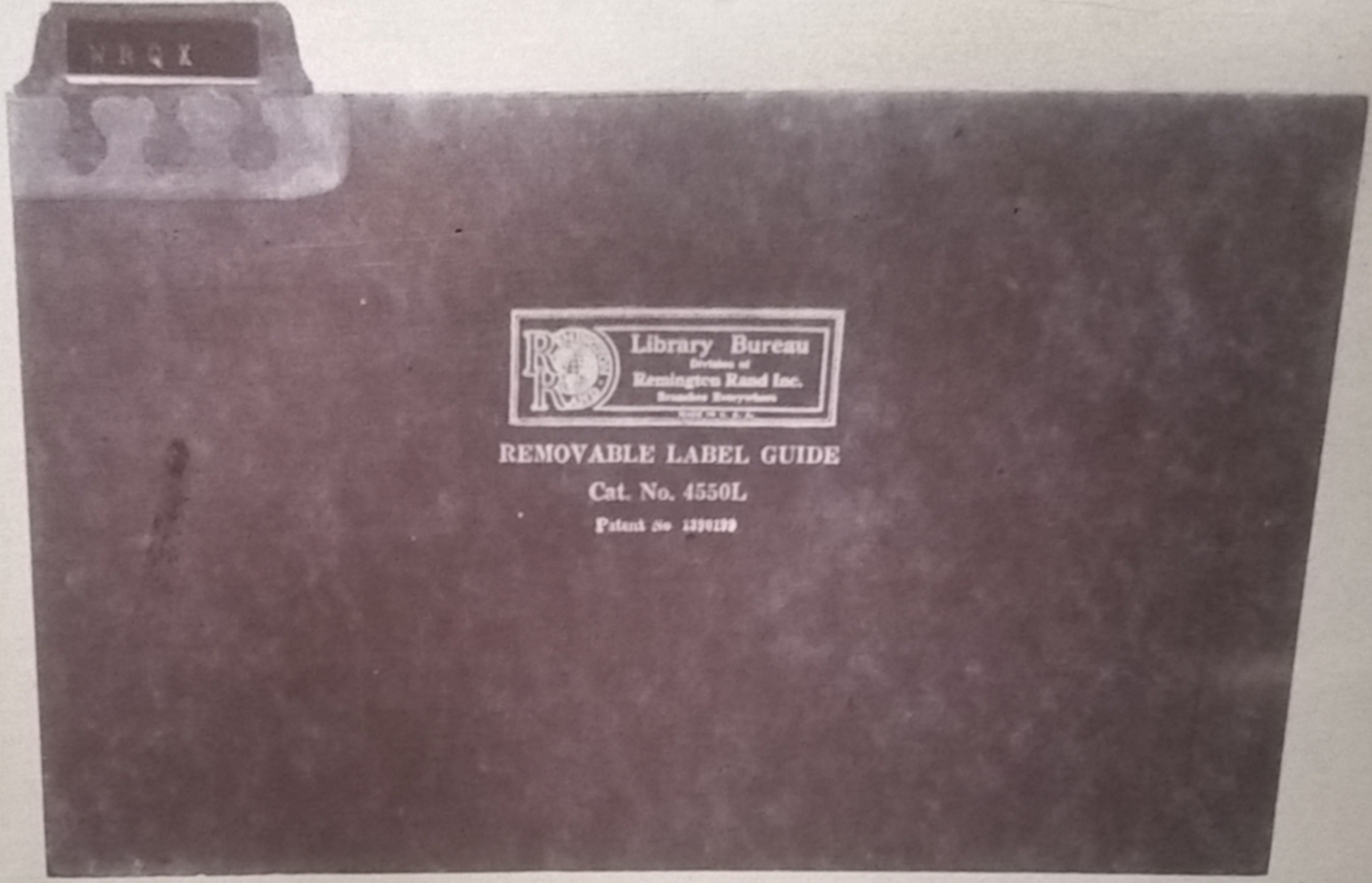
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B.S. #229

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

W R Q X 12-7-77

Date first licensed February 2, 1949

Call letters W.M.A.L.-FM

LOCATION: WASHINGTON, D. C.

WMAL, INC. (ALH gr 12/22/76 EFF: 3/4/77
xxWASHINGTON STAR COMMUNICATIONS, INC. (MLH 7-30-76)
x PERPETUAL CORPORATION OF DELAWARE (ALH gr 5/5/76 EFF:6/1/76

Name of licensee xTHE EVENING STAR BROADCASTING COMPANY

4010 Chesapeake St., N.W. Washington, D.C. (redescribe 10-31-78)

Transmitter location x Massachusetts and Nebraska Avenues, N. W., Washington, D. C.

20015 4400 Jenifer Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. (BRCH-9-12-73)

~~X Trans-Lux Building~~ X4461 Connecticut Ave, N.W. (Letter 9-19-52)

~~X 724 14th Street, N. W.~~

Main studio location x 3700 Massachusetts Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C.

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Mcs. Freq.	E.F.P. Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
B1-PH-108	9-5-46	94.1	20 kw	U	By 11-5-46
		No. 231			to 5-5-47.
C. P. for	per FM broadcast		station		
BMPH-252	3-31-47	94.1	20 kw.	U	By 11-6-46
Mod.	C.P. to change		completion	date	To 11-6-47
	6-13-47	107.3 (No. 237)			
	Exp. assignment		accord.	Do 6748	
BPH-925	10-14-47	107.3	20 kw	U	
	Ext. of		completion	date to	2-5-48
BMPH-1034	12-4-47	107.3	20 kw.	U	By 11-5-46
MOD. C.P.	change trans.		site, type	of trans.	To 2-5-48
antenna	height &	make changes	in	antenna	system
BMPH-1372	2-24-48	Ext. of	completion	date	to 5-5-48
BMPH-1781	4-19-48	Ext. of	completion	date	to 6-5-48
Telegram	5-10-48	Relet atty. 6, Auth. granted period ending June 5, 1948 operate 107.3 Mcs with facilities specified in CP BPH-108 as modified for purpose FM program service.			
Telegram	6-3-48	Relet atty. Auth. extended period ending July 5, 1948 operate 107.3 Mcs. using facilities specified in CP BMPH-1781 for purpose FM program service.			
BMPH-2051	6-8-48	Ext. of	completion	date to	9-5-48
Telegram	7-1-48	Relet atty. 28. Auth. extended interim operation period ending Sept. 5, 1948 in accordance BMPH-2051.			
BLH-288	2-2-49	107.3	20 kw.	U	2-2-49
Lic. to	cover C. P.	BPH-108	Terr.	475 ft.	to 12-1-50
BLH-288	2-2-49	107.3	20 kw	U	2-2-49
Lic. to	cover C.P.	BPH-108	Terr.	475 ft.	to 12-1-50
Superseding -		correcting	studio	location	
BRH-229	11-22-50	Renewal	of license.		12-1-50 to 12-1-53.
BRH-229	11-12-53	Renewal	of license	to	10-1-54
BRH-229	9-8-54	Renewal	of license	to	10-1-57
BPH-2037	6-10-55	changes	in antenna	and	8-10-55
Terr: to	450 feet;	type of	antenna	107.3mcs.	2-10-56

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters .....WMAL-TV.....

Name of licensee .....THE EVENING STAR BROADCASTING COMPANY.....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
Wire 9-20-55 RELST TTY 16. Auth. op accord BPH-2037 to 10-30-55					
WIRE BPH-2037	10-12-55 ---	relet 11. Auth EXT oper. facil of			TO 11-12-55
Wire 11-7-55 RELET ATTY 3. Interim op. ext. to 11-26-55					
WIRE 11-25-55 RELET Atty 8. Auth. ext. operate fac. in accordance with BPH-2037					to 12-17-55
BLH-1090	1-6-56	License to cover C.P. BPH-2037, to			10-1-57 (2)
BSCA-98	9-5-57	SCA Multiplex Subject to 3.250			to 10-1-57
BSCA-98	9-9-57	SCA to delete condition			to 10-1-57
BRH-229 BRSCA-98	9-25-57	Renewal of License And SCA			to 10-1-60
BRSCA-53	1-[illegible]-59	Modification of SCA to change sub-carrier frequencies to 26 and 65 kcs.,			
BRH-229	9-28-60	Renewal of License			10-1 10-1-63
BRSCA-98	9-28-60	Subsidiary Communications Authorization Multiplex Basis to			10-1-63
BRSCA-98	10-15-63	Subsidiary Communications Authorization on Multiplex Basis			to 10-1-66
BRH-229	10-15-63	Renewal of License			10-15 10-1-66
BPH-4453 HAAT:410'	6-10-64 (H&V)	107.3mcs Ch.#297	ERP:24.5kw(H&V) TPO:9.1kw		Unl. 8-10-64 2-10-65
	CP to install new ant. (Collins 37 M6/300-6, 12 secs.); incr. TPO & ERP and decr. HAAT.				
BMSCA-161	6-10-64	Mod. of SCA to delete 65kc & add 67kc.			
BLH-2680 HAAT:410'	3-11-65	107.3mcs Ch.#297	ERP:24.5kw(H)&(V) TPO:8.5kw		U 3-11-65 10-1-66
	Lic. to cover CP(BPH-4453) which auth. install new ant.; incr. TPO & ERP; and decr. HAAT; and show stereo trans. (Composite).				
BRH-229 BRSCA-98	9-1-66	Renewal of license Renewal of SCA			10-1 10-1-69
BPH-6747 HAAT:410'(H&V)	6-16-69	107.3mcs	TPO:17.5kw ERP:50kw (H&V)		8-16- 2-16-70
	CP install new trans, TPO, ERP, HAAT.				

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters .....

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
BPH-6748 HAAT:410'(H&V)	6-16-69 CP to install New Aux Trans. for Aux. Purposes Only.	107.3mc	TPO:8.5kw ERP:24.5kw(H&V)		8-16- 2-16-70
BMPH-10,938 (2)	1-30-70	MP(BPH-6748) ext. time Aux.			6-16-70
BMPH-10,937 (1)	1-30-70	MP(BPH-6747) ext. time Main			6-16-70
BRH-229 (S) BRSCA-98	1-15-70	Renewal of license Renewal of SCA			10-1-72
BMPH-11,060 (2) (MAIN)	6-1-70	MP(BPH-6747 as mod) ext. time			9-16-70
BMPH-11,061 (2) (AUX)	6-1-70	MP(BPH-6748 as mod) ext. time			9-16-70
BLH-4838(L) CANCELLED	8-24-70	Lic.(BPH-6748 as mod for new aux. Transmitter			10-1-72
BLH-4837(L)	8-27-70	Lic. (BPH-6747, as mod.) changes (Main)			10-1-72
BTC-6787	3-23-72	VOL. TC EFF: 3-27-72			
EBSA	5-22-72				
BPH-8093 HAAT: 590'	11-1-72 (H&V)	107.3mc #297 CP to install identical Alternate main Transmitter.	ERP: 32kw(H&V)		11-1-73
BPH-8092 HAAT: 590'	11-1-72 (H&V)	107.3mc #297 CP chg. TL, install new ant., make chgs. in antenna system (incr. hgt.) chg. TPO, ERP, HAAT.	ERP: 32kw(H&V)		11-1-73 (MAIN)
BRCH-1171 (1)	9-12-73	Mod. of license chg. studio & RC loc. to 4400 Jenifer St., N.W., Washington, D. C.			
BLH-5811 BLH-5831(S) 2	6-6-75	ML(BPH-8092)-Changes, Main (BPH-8093)-New Alt. trans.			

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June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 2-2-49

Call letters W M A L-FM

Station location WASHINGTON, D. C.

Name of licensee SEE CARD #1

Transmitter location SEE CARD #1

Main studio location SEE CARD #1

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BRH-229(L)	7-23-75	RENEWAL	(MAIN &	ALT. MAIN)	10-1-75
BRSCA-98	7-23 75	RENEWAL			10-1-75
BRH-229(S) BRSCA-98	9-12-75	Renewal of License & SCA (Main & Alt. Main Trans)			10-1-78
BTC-7601	1/21/76	Vol TC (de facto) EFF: 1/29/76			
BALH-2273 BASCA-740	5/5/76	Vol ALH & SCA EFF: 6/1/76			
COMTEL	5-25-76 Auth granted operate with RCA BTF-20E1 Alt Trans {2}; single Orban/ Broadcast Optimod 8000A stereo generato				
BMLH-5446	7-30-76	ML to change licensee name			
BSSCA-98	7-30-76	Mod of SCA to change licensee name			
BALH-2368 BASCA-778	12/22/76	Vol ALH & SCA EFF:3/4/77			"Cond'l"
EBSA	10-26-77				

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June 1975

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters W R Q X

Station location Washington, D.C.

Name of licensee WMAL, INC.

Transmitter location SEE CARD #1

Main studio location SEE CARD #1

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div	Period From To
BPH780717AI HAAT: 590' (L)	10-31-78 (H&V)	107.3mhz CP to chg. TPO & ERP		ERP: 36kW (H&V)	RC 10-31-79
BPH780717AI BRH-229(s)	10-31-78 11-30-78	SUPERSEDE TO CORRECT T/L. Renewal license & SCA			10-31-79 10-1-81
BLH-791012AE HAAT: 590 ft. (L)	2-11-80	107.3mHz ERP:36kW(H&V),TPO: 13.5kW. Lic. to cover (BPH-780717AI for chgs.)			10-1-81

Form 94 #1

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

HIGH FREQUENCY BROADCAST (FM

Call Letters W M A L - FM

Name THE EVENING STAR BROADCASTING COMPANY (See amendment (dated 2-25-42 filed 2-26-42 re name)

4461 Connecticut Ave. NW [illegible], Washington, D. C.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B1-FM-108	4-2-41	C.P. for new H.F.B. Station.	~~6-16-42~~	~~dismissed without prejudice Acc. Com. Memo. Opinion~~
Rec'd	4-2-41	Frequency: ~~[illegible]~~ Ch.#57, 99.3 mcs.		
Filed	4-2-41	Coverage: 5,600 sq. mi.		
		Population: 899,946	C. P. issued 9-5-46.	
		Location: xx & S - 3700 Massachusetts Avenue, Washington, D. C.		
Amended	2-25-42	~~([illegible])~~		
Rec'd.	2-26-42	(W.E. 506 A-1 Max.10kw)		
Filed	2-26-42	Re: Change in applicant's name from M.A. Leese Radio Corporation to The Evening Star Broadcasting Company.		
Reinstated pursuant to Comm.release 2-23-43	4-23-43			

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FM BROADCAST STATION

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WSM

Name THE EVENING STAR BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B1-PH-108 (cont'd) Amended Recd. Filed	10-6-45 10-8-45 10-8-45	Amended to change frequency from 47.1 mcs. to Ch.#57, 99.3 mcs. change trans. equipment, change transmitter site from 3700 Massachusetts Ave., Washington, D. C. to Nebraska Ave., Washington, D. C. and make changes in antenna system. Amended re Comm. letter of 9-7-45 recd.10-8-45 (Metropolitan)	C.P. issued 9-5-46	
BMPH-252 Rec'd Filed	3-10-47 3-10-47 3-10-47	Mod. of C. P. (B1-PH-108 which authorized a new FM broadcast station) to change completion date from 5-5-47 to 11-5-57. Filed by Corwin R. Lockwood, Attorney	GRANTED	3-31-47
BMPH-925 Rec'd Filed	10-3-47 10-7-47 10-7-47	Mod. of C. P. (B1-PH-108 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 11-5-47 to 5-5-48. Filed by Corwin R. Lockwood, Att'y	GRANTED	10-14-47

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

CARD #3

Call Letters WMAL-FM

Name THE EVENING STAR BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPH-1034 Rec'd Filed	10-29-47 10-30-47 10-30-47	Mod. of C. P. (B1-PH-108 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station to change transmitter site (geographic coordinates only); type of transmitter to RCA BTF-10A Max 10 kw; antenna height above average terrain to 475.5 feet and make changes in antenna system . Filed by Corwin R. Lockwood, Attorney	GRANTED	12-4-47
BMPH-1376 Rec'd Filed	1-13-48 1-20-48 1-20-48	Mod. of C. P. (B1-PH-108 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 2-5-48 to 3-5-48. Filed by Corwin R. Lockwood, Attorney	GRANTED Ext. only	2-24-48 to 5-5-48
BMPH-1761 Rec'd. Filed	4-6-48 4-6-48 4-6-48	Mod. of C. P. (B1-PH-108 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 5-5-48 to 6-5-48.	GRANTED	4-19-48

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CARD 4 of 5

Name THE EVENING STAR BROADCASTING COMPANY

Call Letters WMAL-FM

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPH- 2051 Recd. Filed	5-17-48 5-18-48 5-18-48	Mod. of C. P. (B1-PH-108 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 6-5-48 to 9-5-48. Filed by Corwin R. Lockwood, Attorney	GRANTED	6-8-48
BLH-288 Rec'd. Filed	9-3-48 9-3-48 9-3-48	License to cover construction permit (B1-PH-108 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station. Filed by Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty.	GRANTED	2-2-49
BRH-229 Recd & Filed	10-5-50 10-6-50	Renewal of license. Filed by Corwin Lockwood, Atty.	GRANTED	11-22-50
BRH-229 Recd. & filed	8-27-53 9-1-53	Renewal of license Corwin R. Lockwood, atty	GRANTED	11-12-53
BRH-229 Recd. & filed	6-28-54 7-1-54	Renewal of license Hogan & Hartson, atty	GRANTED	9-[illegible]-54

CARD 5

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WHAL-FM

Name THE EVENING STAR B/CG. CO.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-2037 Recd. & filed	5-24-55 5-25-55	C. P. to make changes in licensed station to change ant. ht. above average terr to 44[illegible] ft. & change antenna system. C. Lockwood, atty	GRANTED	6-10-55
BLH-1090 Recd & filed	11-23-55 11-25-55	License to cover the above Hogan & Hartson, atty	GRANTED	1-6-56
BSCA-98 Recd & filed	6-26-57 6-28-57	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization. Multiplex Basis. Corwin R. Lockwood, atty	GRANTED	9-5-57
BRH-229 Rec'd Filed	6-25-57 7-1-57 7-1-57	Renewal of license. Hogan & Hartson, Attys.	GRANTED	9-25-57
BRSCA-98 Rec'd Filed	8-16-57 8-17-57 8-17-57	Renewal of Subsidiary Communications Authorization.	GRANTED	9-25-57

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WMAL-FM

Name THE EVENING STAR BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMSCA-53 Rec'd Filed	11-25-58 11-26-58 11-26-58	Modification of SCA (BSCA-98) to change Sub-carrier frequencies to 26kc & 65kc.	GRANTED	1-6-59
BRSCA-98 Rec'd Filed	7-6-60 7-8-60 7-8-60	Renewal of subsidiary communications authorization.	GRANTED	9-28-60
BRH-229 Rec'd Filed	7-6-60 7-8-60 7-8-60	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	9-28-60
BRH-229 R & F BRSCA-98 R & F	7-1-63 7-3-63 7-1-63 7-3-63	Renewal of license. (Main) Atty. Lester Cohen RENEWAL OF LICENSE (SCA)	GRANTED GRANTED	10-15-63 10-15-63
BMSCA-161 R & F	5-13-64 5-18-64	Mod. of SCA to delete sub-carrier freq. 65kc and add freq. 67kc. Atty: Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED	6-10-64

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WMAL-FM

Name THE EVENING STAR BROADCASTING COMPANY
WASHINGTON, D. C.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-4453 R & F	5-13-64 5-18-64	CP to install new ant (COLLINS-37 Mt/300-6, 12 sect); incr ERP to 24.5kw(vert & hor); decr HAAT to 411'(hor) & 407'(vert); and incr TPO to 9.05kw. Atty: Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED	6-10-64
BLH-2680 Received Resubmitted Filed	9-17-64 9-22-64 12-22-64 12-22-64	License to cover CP (BPH-4453) which authorized install new ant; increase ERP and TPO; and decrease HAAT. Atty: Hogan & Hartson	~~Retd 12-18-64 re Form dtd incorrectly.~~ GRANTED	3-11-65
BRH-229 R & F BRSCA-98 R & F	6-28-66 7-5-66 6-28-66 7-5-66	Renewal of license Renewal of SCA Atty- Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED	9-1-66

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters W M A L-FM

Name The Evening Star Broadcasting Company
Washington, D.C.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-6747 R & F #519297 $30	5-27-69 6-4-69 6-4-69	CP install new trans(RCA-BTF-20B1); chg. horiz. & vert. ERP: 50kw; operate with vert. HAAT: 410 ft. and chg. TPO: 17.5kw(Main) Atty: Howard F. Roycroft(Hogan & Hartson) Engr.:Jansky & Bailey	GRANTED	6-16-69
BPH-6748 R & F #519298 $30	5-27-69 6-4-69 6-4-69	CP to install new Auxiliary Trans(RCA-BTF-10B); at Main Trans. loc., to be operated on 107.3mc. ch#297, TPO: 8.5kw; ERP: 24.5kw(h&v) and HAAT: 410 ft., For Auxiliary Purposes Only. Atty: Howard F. Roycroft(Hogan & Hartson) Engr.: Jansky & Bailey	GRANTED	6-16-69
BRSCA-98 BRH-229 R & F #526003 $105. P.N. filed	6-19-69 6-26-69 7-1-69 7-1-69 7-1-69	Renewal of SCA Renewal of license Atty-Hogan & Hartson(Howard L. Roycroft) AMENDED 7-31-69 re: Engineering statement AMENDED 8-11-69 re: Programming	GRANTED	1-15-70

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

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WMAL-FM

Name The Evening Star Broadcasting Company
Washington, D. C.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPH-10,937 R & F #570093 $30 PRESS:	1-13-70 1-14-70 1-14-70	MP(BPH-6747) ext. time to _____(FOR CHGS.) (MAIN TRANSMITTER) Atty -Hogan & Hartson(Howard F. Roycroft)	GRANTED	1-30-70
BMPH-10,938 R & F #570094 $30 PRESS: JAN 27 1970	1-13-70 1-14-70 1-14-70	MP(BPH-6748) ext. time to _____(FOR CHGS.) (Auxiliary Transmitter) Atty - Hogan & Hartson(Howard F. Roycroft)	GRANTED	1-30-70
BMPH-11,060 R & F #601268$30. PRESS:	5-12-70 5-13-70 5-13-70	MP(BPH-6747) ext. time to_____(FOR CHGS.) (MAIN TRANSMITTER) Atty - Hogan & Hartson(Seymour S. Mintz etc.)	GRANTED	6-1-70
BMPH-11,061 R & F #601271$30. PRESS:	5-12-70 5-13-70 5-13-70 25 MAY 1970	MP(BPH-6748) ext. time to_____(FOR CHGS.) (AUXILIARY TRANSMITTER) Atty - Hogan & Hartson(Seymour S. Mintz etc).	GRANTED	6-1-70

PTA-7-31-70 (r. [illegible]

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

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

107.3mc

Call Letters [illegible]

Name THE EVENING STAR BROADCASTING COMPANY
Washington, D. C.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLH-4837 Rec'd #616951 $30. Filed PTA PRESS	7-16-70 7-20-70 7-20-70 7-23-70 7-31-70	Lic.(BPH-6747, as mod.) for changes. Atty: C. R. Lockwood(Hogan & Hartson)	GRANTED	8-27-70
BLH-4838 Rec'd #616952 $30. Filed PTA PRESS	7-16-70 7-20-70 7-20-70 7-23-70 7-31-70	Lic.(BPH-6748, as mod.) for new Auxiliary Transmitter. Atty: C. R. Lockwood(Hogan & Hartson)	GRANTED	8-24-70
BTC-6787 R & F FEE PD: $250 #039761 CODE 054(ALSO SEE AM etc) FORM 316	2-7-72 2-8-72 AUG 14 1970 FEB 14 1972	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from The Evening Star Newspaper Company to Washington Star Communications, Inc. (SEE AM FOR AMENDMENTS ETC) Atty - Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED EFF:	3-23-72 3-27-72

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

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107.3 mc

APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

Call Letters WMAL-FM

Name THE EVENING STAR BROADCASTING COMPANY
WASHINGTON, D. C.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-229 BRSCA-98 R & F PN Recd. PRESS JUL 31 1972	6-29-72 " 6-30-72 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) RENEWAL OF SCA Howard F. Roycroft, Atty. (Hogan & Hartson) (See WASH(FM) for PETITION) (See WMAL for PETITION) AMENDED 1-30-73 re: dismissal of complaint (over)	AUX. CANCELLED GRANTED	6-18-73 7-23-73
BPH-8092 R & F #113264 $50 Code 061 Press OCT 24 1972	9-21-72 9-27-72 9-27-72	CP to chg. TL to: 4010 Chespeake St., N. W., Washington, D. C.; install new ant. (RCA BFC-6B, 6 sects. (H&V); make chg. ant. system (increase height); chg. TPO; ERP: 32.4KW (H&V); HAAT: 590.1' (H&V). (38° 57' 01" - 77° 04' 47") Atty: Richard S. Rodin	GRANTED	11 1-72
BPH-8093 Rec'd Filed #119105 $50 Code 061 Press OCT 24 1972	9-21-72 9-27-72 10-16-72 10-16-72	CP to install identical Alternate Main Transmitter (RCA BTF-20E1). Atty: Richard S. Rodin	GRANTED	11-1-72

PRESS WASHINGTON, D. C.

BRH-229 SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION filed 6-2-75 as an amendment to pending renewal. (Main & Alt. Main) PN 6-2-75 JUL 9 1975

PHASE 1 REFUND ACTION

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TRANS. CODE	DATE
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AMT.	INITIALS
$10.00	DHT.

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

107.3mhs.

Call Letters WMAL-FM

Name THE EVENING STAR BROADCASTING COMPANY
Washington, D. C.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLH-5811 R & F W 150070-$50 PTA PRESS	1-31-73 2-1-73 2-1-73-AC-068 2-5-73 MAY 18 1973	Lic.(BPH-8092) for changes of Main trans. Atty: Hogan & Hartson(H. F. Roycroft)	GRANTED CONDITIONAL RE RENEWAL	6-6-75
BLH-5831 R & F W 179316-$50 PTA PRESS	4-26-73 4-27-73 4-27-73-AC-068 5-10-73 MAY 30 1973	Lic.(BPH-8093) for Alternate transmitter. Atty: Hogan & Hartson(C. R. Lockwood)	GRANTED issued w/BLH-5811	6-6-75
BRCH-1,171 R & F #225356 $50 CODE: 057 PRESS: SEP 11 1973	8-13-73 8-20-73 8-21-73	Mod. of license to change studio loc. to: 4400 Jenifer St., N. W., Washington, D. C. and operate by remote control from the proposed studio site.(Main & Alt. Main TRANSMITTER) Atty - Hogan & Hartson(Marvin J. Diamond)	GRANTED	9-12-73

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

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APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

Call Letters WMAL-FM

PERPETUAL CORPORATION OF DELAWARE
Name xTHE EVENING STAR BROADCASTING COMPANY
Washington, D. C.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BTC-7601 R & F FEE PD: $1000 # 365926 CODE 049(ALSO SEE AM ETC) DEC 5 1974 PUB. NOTICE FILED: 12-17-74	11-18-74 11-18-74	Voluntary transfer of de facto control of Washington Star Communications, Inc.(parent corp of licensee) from Crosby N. Boyd, Godfrey W. Kauffmann, John M. Kauffmann, Willmott Lewis, Jr., et al, to Perpetual Corporation of Delaware REQUEST WAIVER SECTION 73.240 SEE AM FOR PETITIONS, AMENDMENTS ETC Atty for transferor - Hogan & Hartson for transferee - Pierson, Ball & Dowd	Designated for Hearing JUL 28 1975 Win. GRANTED EFF: FEE REQ:	26339 1/21/76 1/29/76 Fee Pd 2/26/76 W 534565
BRH-229 BRSCA-98 R & F PRESS	5-30-75 6-2-75 " 7-9-75	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & ~~AUXILIARY~~ ALT-MAIN) RENEWAL OF SCA M.J.Diamond,Atty.(Hogan & Hartson)	GRANTED	9-12-75
BALH-2273 BASCA-740 R & F See WLVA for fee pd(TC) Code 047 (FORM 316) Also see WMAL(AM)	4/28/76 4/29/76 MAY 3 1976	Voluntary assignment of license and SCA to PERPETUAL CORPORATION OF DELAWARE Atty - Henry Goldberg	GRANTED EFF: NO FEE:	5/5/76 6/1/76

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

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APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

Call Letters WMAL-FM

Name WMAL, INC.
x Washington Star Communications, Inc.
x PERPETUAL CORPORATION OF DELAWARE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMLH-544 R & F #587442$100 Code 001 Press	6-23-76 6-24-76 7-6-76	Mod. of license to change licensee name to: WASHINGTON STAR COMMUNICATIONS, INC. Atty: Thomas J. Keller (Verner, Liipfert, et al)	GRANTED	7-30-76
BALH-2368 BASCA-778 R & F SEE AM FOR FEE PD NOV 11 1976	11-5-76 11-5-76	Voluntary assignment of license and SCA to WMAL, INC. Atty for assignor - Henry Goldberg for assignee - R.Coll(McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner)	GRANTED EFF: FEE REQ:	I2/22/76 3/4/77 "Cond'l"

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WRQX

Name WMAL, INC.
Washington, D. C.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-229 R & F PRESS	5-26-78 6-1-78 JUN 30 1978	Renewal of License (Main & Alternate Main) Robert W. Coll, Atty.	GRANTED	11-30-78
BRSCA-98 R & F	7-12-78 7-19-78	Renewal of SCA (OVER)		
BPH-780717AI R & F PRESS:	7-12-78 7-17-78 AUG 1 1978	CP to chg. TPO & ERP: 35.5kw (H&V) Atty: Vernon L. Wilkinson Engr:----	GRANTED	10-31-78
BLH-791012AB PRESS	JAN 24 1980	License to cover (BPH-780717AI) for changes. Atty: Robert W. Coll	GRABTED	2-11-80.

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

(BRH-229) Atty. was called 6-27-78 re: SCA - will file an amendment requesting renewal of SCA

(BRH-229) STIPULATION AND ORDER AND FINAL JUDGMENT filed 11-26-80

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: WRQX

Name: WMAL, INC.

Station Location: Washington, D. C.

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRH-810601F5 BRSCA-810601F5 Press: AUG 5 1981		Renewal of License Renewal of SCA Atty: Robert W. Coll	Granted 10-22-81

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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.

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.