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COMM. TV B/C

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

First C.O. 8-18-55 (Started 9-1-55)

KSNW(TV) NDEA
EFF:8-16-82 KARD-TV (7-11-55)

Date first licensed 4-25-58(Off. No. 423)

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Call letters ~~KTVR~~

(Station location: Wichita, Kansas)

KANSAS STATE NETWORK, INC. (3-29-66)

Name of licensee X WICHITA TELEVISION CORPORATION, INCORPORATED

Transmitter location 1 1/8 miles East & 3/8 mile south of Colwich, Near Wichita, Kansas

833 N. Main St., Wichita, Kansas (LTR. 5-1-70)
X918 N. Broadway, Wichita, Kansas(Lic. 5-25-58)
X8th & Main Streets, Wichita, Kansas

Main studio location

FCC-65

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BPCT-961	6-8-55	CH 3	Vis.100 kw	U	8-8-55
AH 1000 feet.		60-66	Aur-50 KW		2-8-56
CP for a new Comm. TV B/C Station.					
WIRE	8-18-55	STA Opr.	Comm. basis accord. CP BPCT-961		
except Ant. overall height above ground 1064 ft. Auth. expires 2-8-56					
BMPCT-3687*	1-12-56	same	same	same	8-8-55
Mod. of CP(BPCT-961)to extend completion dt.					8-8-56
WIRE	1-17-56 pending completion of construction,ext. of authority gr. opr. KARD-TV temp. Per.End. 8-8-56 Comm.basis accord.CP BMPCT-3687,except ant. overall height above ground 1064 ft.				
t (1)	* 2-10-56 Petition for Review filed by Wm. C. Koplovitz and Frederick H. Walton, Jr., behalf Radio Station KFH Company				
(3)	2-27-56 Reply to Opposition to Petition filed by Wm. C. Koplovitz and Frederick H. Walton, Attys., behalf				
(2)	2-20-56 Opposition to Pet. for Review filed by Bernard Koteen, etc., behalf KARD-TV				
(DENIED Memo. Opinion & Order 3-14-56)					
COMMISSION ORDER ADOPTED 3-12-58 IN DOCKET # 10261, TO EFFECT THAT COMM. ACTION OF JUNE 8, 1955 GRANTING BPCT-961 IS REAFFIRMED. PETITIONS FOR REHEARING DISMISSED. PROCEEDINGS TERMINATED; PROVIDED HOWEVER, that nothing contained herein shall be construed as Comm. approval of that portion of the said agreement quoted supra.					
BLCT-495	4-25-58	CH# 3	V-100 kw	U	4-25-58 6-1-59
AH: 1000'		60-66	A-50 kw		
License to cover CP (BPCT-961, as mod).					
BRCT-423	5-27-59	same	same	same	6-1-59/6-1-62
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BRCT-423	5-4-62	same	same	same	6-1-62 6-1-65
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BRCT-423	6-30-65	CH. 3	V-100 kw	U	6-30-65
AH: 1000'		60-66	A- 50 kw		6-1-69
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					

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June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters KARD-TV

Station location .....

KANSAS STATE NTEWORK, INC (3-29-66)

Name of licensee X WICHITA TELEVISION CORPORATION, INCORPORATED.

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BMLCT-441	1-25-66	CH.#3	A-20 kw	U	1-25-66
Mod of CP to reduce Aural ERP		60-66	V-100 kw		6-1-68
BMLCT-603	3-29-66	same	same	same	1-25-66 6-1-68
Mod. of Lic. to change name.					
BRCT-423	5-28-68	RENEWAL OF LICENSE & NDEA			6-1-71
BRCT-423	5-27-71	(S) RENEWAL OF LICENSE & NDEA			6-1-74
BPCT-4472 AH: 1000' MSL:-	2-18-72	Ch. 3 60-66	V. 100 kw A. 20 kw	U	4-18-72 8-18-73
CP install alternate driver					
WIRE OPER. ON PTA ACCORD	3-17-72	RE TENDERED LIC. APPLI. AUTH. GR. CP BPCT-4472.			
BLCT-2146	4-5-72	Lic. to cover (BPCT-4472) for chgs.			6-1-74
EBSA	5-15-72				
BRCT-423	5-31-74	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			6-1-77
BPCT-4730	6-10-74	CP FOR PRECISE FREQUENCY CONTROL EQUIPMENT			8-10-74 12-10-75
BMPCT-7546	9-13-74	MF (BPCT-4730) to chg trans.			8-10-74 12-10-75
Wire	9-21-75	Re tendered lic. appl. auth. grtd.			
oper. PTA accord. 72.629 & BMPCT-7546					
BLCT-2626 AH: 1000' MSL: ---	3-31-77	Ch. 3 60-66	V. 100 kW A. 20 kW	U	6-1-77
(1st (BPCT-4730 as mod) for chgs.					
BRCT-423	6-22-77	Short Term Renewal to 8-1-78 (S)			
BRCTV-366	9-27-77	Remote control authority.			
BTCCT-800131KP 12-30-80 VOL. TC					
BTCCT-800131KK					

CARD #1 COMM. TV B/C

FORM A-170
FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters ~~WTVH~~ NEW KARD-TV

Name WICHITA TELEVISION CORPORATION, INCORPORATED
x ~~(P. O. Suite 530 Fourth National Bank Bldg., Wichita, Kansas)~~
~~(P. O. Suite 100 Insurance Building, Wichita, Kansas)~~
PO: 833 North Main Street, Wichita 5, Kansas LETTER 5-21-58

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-961 Rec'd. Filed	6-27-52 7-2-52 7-2-52	Construction permit for a new Comm. TV B/C station FREQ: Ch. #3, 60-66 Mcs. ERP: Vis. 100 kw., Aur. 50 kw. Hours of operation: Unlimited S-L: ~~1700 E. Douglas Ave., (Douglas and Hydraulic)~~ Wichita, Kansas T-L: ~~Hydraulic and Victor St., (Rear of 1700 E. Douglas) Wichita, Kansas.~~ (Vis. & Aur. RCA TT25BL) ~~(6761)~~ Filed by Arthur H. Schroeder, Atty.	GRANTED 6-8-55 DECISION IN DOCKET # 10261. SEE: BUFF CARD.	
AMENDED BPCT-961 Recd Filed	 9-19-52 9-23-52 9-30-52	Amended re stock and stockholders, change in officers, financial status, programming and employees. Studio location changed from 1700 E. Douglas Avenue, Wichita, Kansas to 8th and Main Sts., Wichita, Kansas, T-L: changed from Hydraulic and Victor Street, Wichita, Kansas to 1 1/8 mile East and 3/8 mile South of Colwich, Kansas. Change antenna height above average terrain from 676' to 904' and make other equipment changes. Filed by Arthur H. Schroeder, Atty.		

George C. Davis, Engr.

Card # 2

FORM A-170

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KARD-TV KTVR NEW

Name WICHITA TELEVISION CORPORATION, INCORPORATED
Wichita, Kansas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-961 AMENDED Recd Filed	 10-17-52 10-20-52 10-20-52	Amended to change ERP from V's 100 kw, Aur. 50 kw to V's 100 kw, Aur. 50.12 kw, change antenna height above average terrain from 904' feet to 1000' and other equipment changes. Filed by Bernard Koteen, Atty.	GRANTED DECISION	6-8-55 DOCKET 10261
BMPCT-3687 Recd.&filed Ext.#1	1-4-56 1-9-56	Mod. of CP(BPCT-961,which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Sta.)to extend completion date from 2-8-56 to 8-8-56. Filed by Bernard Koteen,Atty.	GRANTED	1-12-56
BLCT-495 Recd.&Filed	7-12-56 7-16-56	License to cover C.P. (BPCT-961, as mod.) which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station. Filed by Bernard Koteen, Atty.	GRANTED	4-25-58
BRCT-423 Recd & filed	2-24-59 3-3-59	Renewal of license Filed by Bernard Koteen	GRANTED Ltr. adopted	5-27-59
BRCT-423 Recd.&Filed	2-20-62 3-5-62	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Alan Y. Naftalin,Atty.	GRANTED	5-4-62

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FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KARD-TV

KANSAS STATE NETWORK, INC. (3-29-66
Name WICHITA TELEVISION CORPORATION, INCORPORATED
CH.3 WICHITA, KANSAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCT-423 Recd.&Filed	2-20-65 3-3-65	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Koteen & Burt, Atty	GRANTED	6-30-65
BMLCT-441 Rec. & filed	12-29-65 1-12-66	Mod. of license to reduce aural ERP from 50 kw to 20 kw. Koteen & Burt, Atty.	GRANTED	1-25-66
BMLCT-603 R & F	3-8-66 3-10-66	Modification of license to change name to Kansas State Network, Inc. Koteen and Burt-atty	GRANTED	3-29-66
BRCT-423 R & F MAR 12 1968	2-15-68 3-1-68	RENEWAL OF LICENSE & NDEA Arthur B. Goodkind, Atty. (KOTEEN & BURT)	GRANTED	5-28-68
ENGR. DATA filed 5-6-70				

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Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KARD-TV

Name KANSAS STATE NETWORK, INC.
Ch. 3 Wichita, Kansas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCT-423 Rec. & filed PN Recd PRESS	2-28--71 3-3-71 3-3-71 MAR 17 1971	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Victor E. Ferrall, Jr. (Koteen & Burt) Amended 4-2-71 re other business interests.	GRANTED	5-27-71
BPCT-4472 R & F #010917 $50 AC: 062 PRESS	9-30-71 10-8-71 10-8-71 OCT 20 1971	CP to install an Alternate Main Driver (RCA TT-10AL). Atty.: Alan Y. Naftalin (Koteen & Burt)	GRANTED	2-18-72
BLCT-2146 R & F #048627 $50 AC: 069 PRESS:	3-6-72 3-8-72 3-8-72 MAR 24 1972	Lic. to cover (BPCT-4472) for chgs. Atty.: Herbert D. Miller, Jr. (Koteen & Burt)	GRANTED	4-5-72

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Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KARD-TV

Name KANSAS STATE NETWORK, INC.
CH-3 WICHITA, KANSAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCT-423 R & F PN Rec'd PRESS:	2-28-74 3-4-74 3-4-74 MAR 12 1974	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty: Herbert D. Miller (Koteen & Burt) Amended re Public Notice	GRANTED	5-31-74
BPCT-4730 R & F #302280$50 AC:058 PRESS:	4-8-74 4-11-74 4-11-74 APR 26 1974	CP to install precise frequency control equipment. Atty: Herbert D. Miller, Jr. (Koteen and Burt)	GRANTED	6-10-74
BMPCT-7546 R & F #317553 $50 AC: 058 PRESS:	6-18-74 6-20-74 6-20-74 AUG 1 1974	MP(BPCT-4730) to chg. type trans. to RCA TT-30FL. Atty.: Herbert D. Miller, Jr. (Koteen & Burt)	GRANTED	9-13-74

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Form BC-121
May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KARD-TV

Name KANSAS STATE NETWORK, INC.
Ch-3 WICHITA, KANSAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLCT-2525 R&F 398752$50 & 404422$50 PRESS AC: 058	2-28-75 3-20-76 3-20-76 20 DEC 1976	Lic. to cover (BPCT-4730 as mod.) for chgs. Atty.: Herbert D. Miller, Jr. (Koteen & Burt)	GRANTED	3-31-77
BRCT-423 R&F PN RECD PRESS	1-31-77 2-1-77 2-1-77 FEB 25 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty.: Margot Smiley Humphrey (Koteen & Burt) Amended 2-24-77 re equal employment	GRANTED Term to	6-22-77, Short 8-1-78
BRCTV-366 R & F Press:	7-1-77 7-7-77 AUG 9 1977	Request for authority to operate transmitter by remote control from: 833 N. Main, Wichita, Kansas Herbert D. Miller, Jr., Atty. (Koteen & Burt)	GRANTED	9-27-77

BRCT-423: BY DIRECTION OF THE COMMISSION ltr. 6-22-77 FCC 77-447 70487: In view of the foregoing, the Commission has been unable to determine that the renewal of the license for Station KARD-TV for a full three-year term would serve the public interest, convenience and necessity. It is, therefore, granting renewal of the license for Station KARD-TV for a term ending August 1, 1978. During that term, the Commission expects that the licensee will take necessary measures to prevent a recurrence of the incidents recited above.

Form BC-121
May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

Call Letters KARD-TV

Name KANSAS STATE NETWORK, INC.
CH-3 WICHITA, KANSAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCT-423 R&F PN RECD PRESS	3-31-78 4-3-78 4-3-78 APR 13 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (Short Term Renewal) Atty.: Margot Smiley Humphrey (Koteen & Burt)		
BTCCT-- 800131KK R&F PN REC'D (FORM 316) PRESS	1-28-80 1-31-80 3-18-80	Voluntary transfer of control oflicensee corp. from Standard Communications, Inc. to The Standard Corporation and Communications & Investment Corporation William J,Potts, Jr., Atty (Haley, Bader, Potts)	GR.	12-30-80
BTCCT- 800131KP R&F PN Rec'd (form 315) PRESS	1-29-80 1-31-80 3-18-80	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corp. from KANSAS PROPERTIES,INC., Media Investment, Inc., E.F. Hutton & Co.,Inc., Et AL (All Stockholders) to Standard Communications, Inc. Herbert D. Miller,Jr.,atty (Koteen & Burt) -Assignor Wm. Potts, Atty. (Haley, Bader & Potts) -Assignee AMENDED 11-20-80 re legal AM. 12-5-80 re legal,fin-prp. EEO	GR.	12-30-80

CARD 7

APPLICATION RECORD BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TV

Call Letters: X KARD-TV
KSNW{TV}
EFF: 8-16-82.

Name: KANSAS STATE NETWVRK, INC.
CH-3

Station Location: WICITA, KANSAS

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRCT-423 R & F PN REC'D PRESS	1-29-80 2-1-80 2-1-80	RENEWAL VF LICENSE-SUPPLEMENTAL ATTY: HERBERT D. MILLER, JR. {KVTEEN & BURT}	GRANTED 12-30-80.

Form BC-121
March 1979

LETTER 10-20-80 by John S. Weir for Kansas State Network, informing that Mid-American B/Cing. Inc., is wholly owned subsidiary of Kansas State Network, Inc.

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 radio 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.

TV History Cards were initiated in the early 1940s, with the authorization of the earliest TV stations. 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 television station history.