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June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

WSBK-TV (10-16-66)
x WIHS-TV (9-25-63)
X W B C T

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Date first licensed 1-14-65 (OFF. # 583)

Call letters

Station Location: BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

NEW BOSTON TELEVISION, INC. (BAPLCT-69 7-15-65 EFF: 8-30-65)
Name of licensee x BOSTON CATHOLIC TELEVISION CENTER, INC.

0.33 miles East of Highland Ave. & Route 128, Needham, Mass. (BPCT-4232 8-13-69)
x PRUDENTIAL CENTER, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS (BMPCT-5926 1-28-64)
Transmitter location X Waltham Street, Zion Mountain, Woburn, Massachusetts

83 Leo Birmingham Parkway, Boston, Mass. (Ltr. 7-18-69; Eff: 7-14-69)
Main studio location x 25 Granby Street, Boston, Massachusetts

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	ERP Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BPCT-3156	5-15-63	CH.#38	V-1000 kw	U	7-15-63
AH: 440'	MSL:627'	614-620	A- 509 kw		1-15-64
CONSTRUCTION PERMIT FOR A NEW Comm. TV B/C Station.					
BMPCT-5926	1-28-64	CH.38	V-245 kw DA	U	7-15-63
BMPCT-5934	1-28-64	614-620	A-123 kw DA	AH:740'	7-28-64
Mod. of CP (BPCT-3156,)to chg. ERP,TL,type of ant.ant.sys. increase AH. extension of completion date. MSL: 844'					
WIRE	10-8-64	REURLET 5 & TENDERED LIC. APPLIC., AUTH. GR. OPER. WIHS-TV ON PROG. TEST ACCORD. SEC. 73.629 RULES & CP BMPCT-5986. ADVISE WHEN OPER. COMMENCES UNDER THIS AUTH. Began 10-12-64			
BMPCT-5986	7-28-64	same	same	same	7-15-63
Mod.of CP (BPCT-3156,as mod)to extend completion dt					1-28-65
BLCT-1409	1-14-65	CH.#38	V-214kwDA	U	1-14-65
AH:740'	MSL:844'	614-620	A-107kw		4-1-66
License to cover CP(BPCT-3156, as mod.)					
BPCT-3451	1-14-65	CH.#38	V-214kwDA	U	3-14-65
AH:740'	MSL:844'	614-620	A-107keDA		9-14-65
CP to change type of transmitter					
BAPLCT-69	7-15-65	Voluntary assignment of CP and License to New Boston Television, Inc. EFF: 8-30-65			
WIRE	8-4-65	RE TENDERED LIC. APPL. AUTH. GR. OPERATE WIHS-TV ON PROG. TEST ACCORD SEC.73.629 & CP BPCT-3451			
BRCT-583	3-24-66	CH.#38	V-214 kw DA	U	4-1-66
AH: 740'		614-620	A-107 kw DA		4-1-69
MSL:844'.		RENEWAL OF LICENSE			
BTC-5101	7-27-66	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corp. from Boston CatholicTelevision Center,Inc. to STORER BROADCASTING COMPANY. EFF: 8-24-66			
BLCT-1492	7-28-66	CH.38	V-214 kw DA	U	7-28-66
AH: 740'	MSL:844'	614-620	A- 42.7 kw DA		4-1-69
LICENSE to cover CP (BPCT-3451)which auth. chgs. in station					
WIRE	4-19-67	REURLET 19 PEND. FILTERPLEXER REPAIRS AUTH. GR. WSBK-TV MULTIPLEX AUR. SIGNAL ON VIS. CARRIER TEMP. PER. ENDING 5-19-67 SUBJECT CAUSING NO INTERFERENCE ANY OTHER AUTH. SERV. ADVISE WHEN NORMAL OPER. RESUMED.			
BPCT-4160	11-25-68		V-303 kw DA	U	1-25-69
AH:740'	MSL:844'		A-60.4 kw DA		7-25-69

CP to chg.ERP,type of transm.

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed _____

Call letters WSBK-TV

Station location Boston, Mass.

Name of licensee NEW BOSTON TELEVISION, INC.

Transmitter location SEE CARD #1

Main studio location _____

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To-
WIRE	12-10-68	RE TEND.	LICENSE APPL.	AUTH. GR.	OPER.
WSBK-TV ON	PROG. TEST	ACCORD.	SEC. 73.629	RULESAND	CP
BPCT-4160.					
LTR. BY COMM. 3-12-69 GR. WAIVER OF SEC. 73.651(c) FOR PERIOD END. 3-12-70 RE IN-SCHOOL PROGRAMMING.					
BRCT-583	3-26-69	(b)	RENEWAL OF LICENSE		4-1-72
BPCT-4232	8-1[illegible]-69	CH. 38	V-1260 kw	U	10-13-69
AH:1170' MSL:1349'		614-620	A- 251 kw		4-13-70
CP to chg.	ERP; TL;	type of	trans.	type antenna	AH.
WIRE	12-2-69	RETENDERED LIC.	APPLI.	AUTH. GR.	OPER
ON PTA ACCORD CP BPCT-4232 EXCEPT WITH VISUAL AND AURAL GE TT-62B TRANSMITTERS.					
WIRE	1-29-70	PENDING	REPAIRS TO	TRAPLEXER,	AUTH.
GR. OPER. TEMP. PER. END. 2-28-70 AT REDUCED POWER USING VISUAL ELECTRONICS TYPE 178 MULTIPLEXER SUBJECT TO CAUSING NO INTERFERENCE TO ANY AUTHORIZED SERVICES. ADVISE WHEN NORMAL OPERATION RESUMED.					
BLCT-1854	6-12-70	Ch. 38	V.1260kw	U	
BLCT-1939		614-620	A. 126		
BMLCT-701 AH: 1170' MSL: 1349'					4-1-72
Lic. (BPCT-4232 &BPCT-4160) for changes.					
WIRE	9-14-70	AUTH. TO OPER.	REMOTE CONTROL		
BPCT-4429	4-22-71	CP to install alternate Driver			6-22-71 10-22-72
WIRE	9-22-71	PENDING FIL.	LIC. APPLI.	AUTH. GR.	
OPER. ALTERNATE DRIVER AUTHORIZED IN OP. BPCT-4429 AS NEC. FOR TEMP. PER. END. 12-22-71					
WIRE	11-18-71	PENDING	COMPLETION	CONSTRUCTION	ACCORD
BMPCT-7329	AND FIL.	LIC. APPLI.	AUTH. GR.	OPER. TEMP.	PER.
END. 12-18-71 ACCORD STEPTS ONE AND THREE OF YOUR REQ.					
BMPCT-7329	11-8-71	MP (BPCT-4429) to remove alternate driver			10-22-72
MAIN TRANS. & ANT.					
WIRE	12-13-71	ABOVE AUTH. GR.	11-18-71 EXT. TO		2-18-72
WIRE	2-17-72	ABOVE AUTH. GR.	TO		4-18-72
WIRE	4-19-72	ABOVE AUTH. GR.	TO		5-18-72

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed _____

Call letters WSBK-TV

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
BMPCT-7329	Superseded 4-20-72 to correct type transmitters				
Wire Main Trans.	5-9-72 & Ant.	Re tend'd. lic. appl. auth. gtd. oper. PTA accord. 73.629 & BMPCT-7329.			
EBSA	5-15-72				
BRCT-583	6-29-72	RENEWAL OF LICENSE(S)			4-1-75
BRCTV-90	8-31-72	OPER. REMOTE CONTROL			
BLCT-2155	9-14-72	Ch-38	V-1260kw	Unl.	9-14-72
AH:1170' MSL:1349'		614-620	A-126kw		4-1-75
Lic. to cover (BPCT-4429 as mod.) for Alternate Driver.					
BRCT-583	5-19-75	Renewal of license (S)			4-1-78
WIRE	8-20-75	Pend. commission action on application for construction permit, BPCT-4861, auth. grtd. install and oper. RCA TFU-25G as replacement antenna for currently licensed TFU-35G. Auth. also grtd. install temp. RCA TFU-10J ant. to be operated on an interm basis during replacement of main antenna. Maximum effective radiated pwr. of either ant. may not exceed that proposed. This auth. expires 11-18-75. Advise when operation commences under either phase of this authority. If TFU-10J antenna to be retained on permanent basis, necessary file FCC Form 301 for CP.				
WIRE	11-24-75	Above auth. ext to 2-18-76.			
BPCT-4861	12-5-75	Ch. 38	V. 1170 kW	U	2-5-76
AH: 1180' MSL: 1349'		614-620	A. 117 kW		6-5-77
CP to chg ERP, trans. ant. & HAAT MAIN TRANS. AND ANT.					
BTC-7931	1-21-76	INVOL TC			
WIRE	2-18-76	Above wire ext. to 5-18-76.			

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COMMERCIAL TELEVISION

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters WSBK-TV

Station location .....

Name of licensee SEE CARD #1

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
WIRE	3-11-76	pend.	fil. of	lic. appl.	auth. grtd.
oper. WSBK-TV accord. your requested procedure and BPCT-4861. Effective radiated pwr. may not exceed that presently auth. Advise when oper. commences under each step. This auth. exp. 5-18-76.					
BTC-8018	5-25-76	VOL A/L			
WIRE RELET May 5, pending filing lic. application, auth. extend install and operate RCA TFU-25 G as replacement ant. for currently lic. TFU-35G. Accord. with BPCT-4861. Auth. also grted. install temp. RCA TFU-10J ant. to be oper. on an interm basis during replace. of main ant. Max. effec. radiated power of either ant. may not exceed that proposed. Advise when oper. commences under either phase of this auth. This auth. expires July 18, 1976.					
WIRE	7-16-76	Pending Filing lic. appl. auth.			
extended install & oper. RCA TFU-25G as replacement ant. for cur. lic. TFU-35G. Accord. with BPCT-4861. Auth. also grted install temp. RCA TFU-10J ant. to be oper. on an interm basis during replacement of main ant. Max. eff. rad. power of either ant. may not exceed that proposed. Further exten. on this auth. will require construction progress report. This auth expires 10-18-76.					
Wire	7-29-76	Same as above		Expires	10-18-76
WIRE	12-3-76	Above auth. extended to			1-30-77
WIRE	2-2-77	Re tend appl. auth. extended temp oper			
in accord. with BPCT-4861 except ant. mounted approx 20 feet lower also pending installation of proposed nine inch horizontal transmission line. This auth exp. 3-30-77					
BPCT-4963	11-18-76	Ch. 38	V1410 kW	U	1-18-77
AH: 1160' MSL: 1349'		614-620	A. 141 kW	-	5-18-78
CP TO CHG ERP					
BLCT-2556	9-30-77	Lic. to cover (BPCT-4861)			4-1-78
WIRE	3-24-77	PTA			

BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

CARD NO. 5

First licensed ....SEE CARD NO. 1.....

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Station Location ...SEE CARD NO. 1

Name .....SEE CARD NO. 1.....

Transmitter Location ....SEE CARD NO. 1.....

Main studio location ....SEE CARD NO. 1.....

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December 1978

Authorization Record

File No.	Granted	Facilities	Expires
BPCT-790628KG	10-30-79	CP TO CHG. ERP AH: 1160' MSL: 1349 V: 1170kW Unl A: 117 kW ch-38 FREQU: 614-620	4-30-79
BRCT-583	3-21-78	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	{S}4-1-81
BLCT-2600	3-14-79	Lic. to cover CP (BPCT-4963) for chgs.	4-1-81

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Commercial TV

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters ~~NEW~~ WIBS-TV W B C B

Name BOSTON CATHOLIC TELEVISION CENTER, INC.
c/o Rt. Rev. Walter L. Flaherty, 25 Granby St., Boston, Massachusetts

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-3156 Rec. & filed	2-16-63 2-19-63	Construction permit for a new Commercial Television B/C station: Ch: 38, 614-620 Mcs ERP: Vis. 1000 kw Aur. 501.2 kw Hours of Operation: Unlimited T-L: Zion Mt., Waltham St., Woburn, Mass. S-L: 25 Granby St., Boston, Mass. (Vis. & Aural - RCA, TTU-25B) AH: 440 ft. STATION LOCATION: Boston, Massachusetts McKenna & Wilkinson, Atty. George R. Townsend, P. O. Box 2210, Springfield, Mass.	GRANTED COMM. LETTER ADOPTED	5-15-63

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FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Comm. TV

Call Letters WTBS-TV

Name BOSTON CATHOLIC TELEVISION CENTER, INC.
Boston, Massachusetts

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-5926 Rec. & filed	11-14-63 11-18-63	Mod. of CP (BPCT-3156, which authorized a new Commercial Television station) to change ERP from Vis. 1000 kw, Aur. 509 kw to Vis. 245 kw, Aur. 122.5 kw; transmitter location to Prudential Center, Boston, Mass.; type of antenna to RCA, TFU-24DAS; make changes in antenna system; and increase antenna height above average terrain to 744 ft.	GRANTED Issued with BMPCT-5934	1-28-64
BMPCT-5934 R & F	12-6-63 12-9-63	Modification of CP (BPCT-3156, which authorized a new Comm. TV broadcast station) to extend completion date from 1-15-64 to 7-15-64.	GRANTED Issued with BMPCT-5926	1-28-64

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COMM.TV

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WHS-TV

NEW BOSTON TELEVISION, INC. 7-15-65
Name BOSTON CATHOLIC TELEVISION CENTER, INC.
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-5986 Recd. Filed	6-22-64 6-24-64 7-6-64	Mod. of CP (BPCT-3156, which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 7-28-64 to 1-28-65	GRANTED	7-28-64
BLCT-1409 Recd.&Filed	10-5-64 10-6-64	License to cover CP (BPCT-3156, as mod.) which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station.	GRANTED	1-14-65
BPCT-3451 Recd.&Filed	10-21-64 10-23-64	Construction Permit to change type of transmitters to RCA TTU-30A.	GRANTED	1-14-65
BAPLCT-69 Received $100.00 fee paid RESUBMITTED Recd.&Filed $30.00 FEE PAID	3-12-65 3-15-65 6-22-65 6-25-65	Voluntary assignment of construction permit and license to New Boston Television, Inc. no atty	RETURNED 3-24-65 at Request of applicant (& proposed assignee)- GRANTED EFF: 8-30-65	7-15-65

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COMM. TV

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call [redacted]
Letters [redacted]

NEW BOSTON TELEVISION, INC.
Name X BOSTON CATHOLIC TELEVISION CENTER, INC.
CH. 38 BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS zip 02215

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLCT-1492 Recd. FILED	7-29-65 8-2-65 8-18-65	License to cover CP (BPCT-3451,) which authorized changes in existing station. filed direct but attr. is D. Stevens of McKenna & Wilkinson	GRANTED	7-28-66
AMENDED Rec. & filed	11-23-65 11-26-65	Amended to change name of licensee to New Boston Television, inc.		
BRCT-583 R & F	12-15-65 12-20-65	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	3-24-66
BTC-5101 Rec'd Filed	5-10-66 5-11-66 5-13-66	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from Boston Catholic Television Center, Inc. to Storer Broadcasting Company PETITION FOR GRANT WITHOUT HRG filed simultaneously Atty for transferor - David Stevens for transferee - Warren Zwicky	GRANTED EFF:	7-27-66 8-24-66

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Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WSBK-TV

Name NEW BOSTON TELEVISION, INC.
CH. 38 BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-4160 R & F PRESS	10-22-68 10-24-68 OCT 31 1968	Construction Permit to change ERP to Vis. 301 kw (DA) Aural 60 kw (DA) and change type of transmitter to RCA TTU-30A.	$30.#467898 GRANTED Cond. back	10-24-68 11-25-68 of this card
BLCT-1854 R & F $30.#476399 PRESS DEC 12 1969	12-3-68 12-6-68 "	LICENSE (BPCT-4160) for changes.	GRANTED issued with BLCT-1939 and BMLCT-701	6-12-70
BRCT-583 R & F $150.#480223 PRESS PN Recd. JAN 16 1969	12-23-68 12-30-68 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	3-26-69

EPCT-4160 Condition: Operation with ERP in Excess of 1000 kw after 12-1-70, is subject to a further extendion of consent by CANADA.

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COMM. TV

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Call Letters WSBK-TV

Name NEW BOSTON TELEVISION, INC.
Ch. 38 Boston, Massachusetts

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-4232 Rec. & filed $150 #516000 PRESS PN RECD. PN RECD (Over)	5-16-69 5-19-69 5-19-69 MAY 23 1969 6-13-69 7-3-69	CP to chg. ERP to Vis. 1230 kw (Horz), Aur. 246 kw (Horz); transmitter location to .33 mi. E. of Highland Ave. & Rte. 128, Needham, Mass. (42 18 12 71 13 08); type of transmitter to GE TT62A; type of antenna to RCA TFU-35G; and increase ant. hgt. above average terrain to 1168 ft. Warren C. Zwicky, Atty.	GRANTED Commission action CONDITION BACK OF CARD	8-13-69
BLCT-1939 R & F $30 #559332 PRESS	11-25-69 " " DEC 10 1969	LICENSE (BPCT-4232) for changes. Amended 4-28-70 re engr. data.	GRANTED issued with BMLCT-701 and BLCT-1854	6-12-70
BMLCT-701 R & F #586907 $30 PRESS: ENGR. DATA FILED 7-7-70 ENGR. DATA FILED 7-13-70	3-19-70 3-23-70 3-23-70 MAR 27 1970	ML to reduce Aur. ERP to 123kw(H). Atty.: Warren C. Zwicky Ltr. 8-27-70 req. remote control authority.	GRANTED issued with BLCT-1854 and BLCT-1939	6-12-70

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

BPCTG4232

PETITION FOR WAIVER OF PICTURE IMAGE SEPARATION REQUIREMENT filed 7-24-69 by Warren Zwicky on behalf of WSBK-TV.

BPCT-4232 Condition: Authority to operate with visual effective radiated power in excess of 1000 kw may be terminated by the Commission after 8-1-71 in the event Canada refuses to consent to a further extension.

COMMERCIAL TV

Form BC-121 CARD #7
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WSBK-TV

Name NEW BOSTON TELEVISION, INC.
CH-38 BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-4429 R & F #680246 $50 AC: 062 PRESS	4-7-71 4-12-71 4-12-71 APR 22 1971	CP to install Alternate Driver. Atty.:WCZwicky	GRANTED	4-22-71
BMPCT-7329 R & F #016336 $50 AC: 062 PRESS: MAIN TRANS. & ANT.	7-7-71 7-13-71 7-13-71 AUG 3 1971	MP(BPCT-4429) to make chgs. in transmitting equipment. Atty.: Zwicky	GRANTED	11-8-71
BRCT-583 R & F PN REC PRESS	12-22-71 1-3-72 1-3-72 JAN 19 1972	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty: Warren Zqicky Amended 3-24-72 re Sec. IV-B Amended 3-29-72 re employment practices.	GRANTED	6-29-72

ERCT-583

RENEWAL OF PETITION TO DENY CONCERNING RENEWAL OF LICENSE OF STATION WSBK-TV BRIGHTON, MASSACHUSETTS, filed 5-11-72 by David Hare, Director of Research, Antioch College, on behalf of the New England Coastal Schaghticoke Indian Association, Inc., the United American Indians of New England and Princess Necia Hopkins.

Ltr. 3-23-72 from the Office of Communication of the United Church of Christ requesting a Commission inquiry "to determine whether there is actual intent to discriminate against minorities as against failure to carry out affirmative programs of equal employment opportunity . . ." DENIED 5-24-72, By Direction of the Commission ltr.

Affidavits submitted 5-31-72 to be associated with Petition to Deny.

Ltr. #79423 adopted 6-28-72 dismissing informal complaint filed by United American etc & PrincessNecia Hopkins

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OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 6-30-72 (United Church of Christ) by WSBK-TV

Memorandum Opinion and Order adopted 12-19-73, released 1-4-74 FCC 73-1349 07394: IT IS ORDERED, That the Petition for Reconsideration, filed June 22, 1972, as amended July 13, 1972, by the United Church of Christ and others IS GRANTED to the extent that the licensees of WHYN-TV, WWLP-TV, and WSBK-TV will be required to conduct additional affirmative action effots regarding full-time female employment in the upper four job categories and IS DENIED in all other respects. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the WHYN Stations Corporation, licensee of Station WHYN-TV, Springfield, Massachusetts; Springfield Television Broadcasting Corporation, licensee of Station WWLP-TV, Springfield, Massachusetts; and New Boston Television, Inc., licensee of Station WSBK-TV, Boston, Massachusetts: (i) Submit to the Commission within 45 days of the date of release of this Memorandum Opinion and Order a list of local women's organizations, agencies, local female community leaders, and educational institutions with which they will maintain systematic communication each time their stations seek to fill a job position in the upper four job categories; and (ii) Submit to the Commission, concurrent with the filing of their 1974 and 1975 annual employment reports (FCC Form 395), a detailed statement on the affirmative action undertaken to seek and encourage female applicants for each job opening in the upper four job categories filled during each twelve (12) month period preceding the pay period vocered by the filing of their stations' 1974 and 1975 annual employment reports, respectively, with female perdons designated.

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September 1968

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WSBK-TV

Name NEW BOSTON TELEVISION, INC.
Ch. 38 Boston, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCTV-90 Rec. &;filed $50 067346 AC: 069 Refunded	4-21-72 4-25-72 4-25-72 5-4-72 MAY 8 1972	Req. authority to operate remote control from 83 Leo Birmingham Parkway, Boston, Mass. Douglas N. Jones, Atty.	GRANTED	8-31-72
BILCT-2155 Received Filed #065637 $50 AC: 069 PRESS:	4-20-72 4-20-72 4-26-72 4-26-72 JUN 9 1972	Lic. to cover (BPCT-4429 as mod.) for an Alternate Driver. Atty.: Warren C. Zwicky	GRANTED Canadian	9-14-72 condition.

Canadian consent extended to 8-1-75.

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

PETITION TO TEMPORARILY STAY EFFECTIVENESS OF COMMISSION ORDER filed 2-4-74 by Warren Zwicky on behalf of New Boston Television, Inc.

PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 2-4-74 by Warren Zwicky on behalf of New Boston Television, Inc.

OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION OF NEW BOSTON TELEVISION, INC filed 2-21-74 by Earle K. Moore on behalf of the Office of Communication United Church of Christ.

REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION OF NEW BOSTON TELEVISION, INC. filed 2-26-74 by Judith A. Mitnick on behalf of New Bostn Television, Inc.

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September 1969

COMMERCIAL TELEVISION

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WSBK-TV

Name NEW BOSTON TELEVISION, INC.
CH-38 Boston, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action: Nature	Action: Date
BRCT-583 R & F PN Rec'd: PRESS: JAN 7 1975	11-25-74 12-2-74 12-2-74	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	5-19-75
BPCT-4861 R & F #423582 $100 AC: 058 PRESS AMENDED R & F	5-5-75 5-6-75 5-6-75 17 JUN 1975 6-11-75 6-11-75	CP to chg. ERP to Vis. 3090kW, Aur. 309kW; chg. type trans. to GE Composite; type ant. to RCA TFU-25G; and HAAT 1180 ft. AC AMENDED re financial	GRANTED	12-5-75 L-9-14

Canadian consent extended to 8-1-77

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WSBK-TV

Name NEW BOSTON TELEVISION, INC.

CH 38 BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BTC-7931 R & F PRESS: Form 316 For fee see WJW AM	1-12-76 1-13-76 JAN 1976	Involuntary transfer of control of Storer Broadcasting Company (parent corporation of licensee) from George B. Storer to Peter Storer and Stuart W. Patton, Executors of the Estate of George B. Storer, Deceased. Atty: Warren C. Zwicky	GRAN TED EFF:	1-21-76 7
BTC-8018 R & F #562224 $100 AC: 047 PRESS: (Form 316)	4-28-76 4-30-76 4-30-76 11 MAY 1976	Voluntary relinquishment of de facto control of Storer Broadcasting Company (parent corporation of licensee) by Peter Storer and Stuart W. Patton, Executors of the Estate of George B. Storer, Deceased, thru transfer of stock by the Executors to the licensee corporation; The Miami Heart Institute, Inc.; and The Detroit Bank and Trust Company. Atty.: Richard M. Riehl (Haley, Bader & Potts)	GRANTED EFF	5-25-76 7-21-76

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Canadian consent to 8-1-77

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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BPCT-4963 R&F #1916$100 AC: 001 PN RECD PRESS	10-6-76 10-6-76 10-6-76 22 OCT 1976	CP to chg. ERP to Vis. 3720kW(Max) 1410kW(H), Aur. 141kW(H). Atty.: Warren Zwicky (Wash. Council)	GRANTED	I 11-18-76 L 2-7-78
BLCT-2556 R & F #613168 $100. AC: 001 PRESS:	9-10-76 9-14-76 9-14-76 JUL 20 1977	License to cover (BPCT-4861) for changes.	I GRANTED	9-30-77
BRCT-583 R&F PN RECD PRESS	11-18-77 12-1-77 12-1-77 DEC 15 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty.: Warren C. Zwicky Amended 3-2-78 re legal	GRANTED	3-21-78

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BLCT-2600 R & F PRESS	2-1-78 2-7-78 78 0226	LIC. TO COVER CP(BPCT-4963) for chgs. ATTY. WARREN C. ZWICKY	GRANTED	3-14-79
BPCT-790628KG R & F PRESS:	6-28-79 6-28-79 9-25-79	CP to chg. ERP to Vis. 3090kW(M) 1170kW(H), Aur. 117kW(H).	GRANTED	10-30-79
BLCT-791017KF R&F PRESS	10-17-79	Lic. to cover CP(BPCT-790628KG) to chg. ERP: Alice T. Riehl, atty	gr	1-21-81
BRCT- 801201LD R & F PN REC'D	11-26-80 12-01-80 12-01-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE ATTY: WARREN C. ZWICKY {STORER B/C CO}	g	3-30-81

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.