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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 1-30-47

Call letters KIST
LOCATION: SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA

RADIO SANTA BARBARA (BML 11-30-70)

*WESTERN STATES RADIO (BAL 6-26-58 EFF: 8-1-58)
*RADIO KIST, INC. (AL 10-8-48; EFF: 11-1-48)

Name of licensee * HARRY C. BUTCHER

ltr 1-6-75
Balboa Building, 735 State Street, Santa Barbara, Calif. (Redescribed/
Transmitter location * Benjamin Franklin Bldg., 735 State St., Santa Barbara, Calif. (CP 10-2-46)

Balboa Building, 735 State Street, Santa Barbara, Calif. (Redesc. Ltr 1-6-75)
Zip 93101
Main studio location * Benjamin Franklin Bldg., 735 State St., Santa Barbara, Calif. (CP 10-2-46)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
B5-P-4615 Letter	4-26-46 6-18-46	1340	250w	U	subject to filing MP for approval of T site and antenna (Conditional Clause)
B5-P-4615 B5-P-2066	10-2-46 Mod.CP(4615)	1340	250w	U	12-2 6-2-47 for approval of antenna and (Conditional Clause)
B5-P-4615 B5-MP-2066	10-2-46	Superseded CP			to include Cond. Clause (Conditional Clause)
B5-L-2203 B5-Z-2019	1-30-47 Lic. to cover CP(4615 as mod.)	1340	250w	U	2-1 2-1- 47 50 for new station and determine operating power by direct method
BAL-776 EFF:	10-8-48 11-1-48	Vol. assignment of License from Harry C. Butcher to Radio KIST, Inc.			
BR-1381	1-25-50	1340	250w	U	2-1 2-1-53
BR-1381	1-7-53	1340	250w	U	2-1 12-1-53
BR-1381 TELEGRAM	11-12-53 11-30-56	Renewal of License Action on renewal deferred 11-28-56 and continued operation authorized until final determination on renewal			12-1 12-1-56
BR-1381	1-17-57	1340 250w	U		1-17 12-1-59
BAL-3049 EFF:	6-26-58 8-1-58	Vol. assignment license to Western States Radio.			
BR-1381	11-27-59	1340 250w	U		12-1 12-1-62
BTC-3428 EFF:	5-18-60 6-1-60	Voluntary transfer of control of license corporation from A.R. Ellman and A.C. Morici to J.P. Wardlaw, Jr.			
BP-12,664 (Cond'l)	7-6-61	Construction Permit to increase daytime power from 250w to 1kw and install new transmitter (Gates BC-IT)			9-6 3-6-62
BMP-9690 (1)	8-28-61	Mod. of CP(BP-12664) to change type transmitter (BAUER 707).			
BL-8885	3-8-62	1340kc 250w-1kw	U		3-8 12-1-62
		Lic. to cover CP (BP-12,664 as mod which auth incr. daytime power and install new trans(COND'L)			

Form BC 126

June 1954

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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-
BR-1381	11-8-62	Renewal of license			12-1 12-1-65
BR-1381	11-5-65	Renewal of License			12-1-1 12-1- (68)
BL-11,449	12-12-66	1340kc	250w	Aux	12-12 12-1-68
		Lic to use old main trans RCA BTA-250L at main trans loc to be operated on 1340kc 250w for aux. purposes only.			
BR-1381(S)	11-26-68	Renewal of License & NDEA (Main & Auxiliary)			12-1 12-1-71
BML-2337(1)	11-30-70	Mod. of license to change corporate name to RADIO SANTA BARBARA.			
BR-1381 (L)	1-31-72	Renewal of license & NDEA (Main & Aux.)			12-1-74
EBSA	5-25-72				
Ltr. 1-6-75	Studio and Transmitter location redescribed as Balboa Building, 735 State Street, Santa Barbara, Calif.				
BZ-8785(1)	3-14-75	Direct Measurement			
BR-1381(L)	1-27-78		RENEWAL		12-1-80
BR-1381(L)	1-27-78	Superseded to correct Main & Auxiliary Transmitters.			
BR-1381(L)	1-27-78	Superseded to correct Auxiliary.			
BR800801C2	11-17-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE(S)			13-1-83

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Name HARRY C. BUTCHER

~~(P.O. 4435 Garfield St., N.W., Washington, D.C.)~~
 (P.O. 312 Benjamin Franklin Bldg. Santa Barbara ~~Section~~ Calif.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
B5-P-4615	2-13-46	C.P. for a new Standard Broadcast Station to	GRANTED	4-26-46
Recd.	3-8-46	be operated on:	subject to filing MP	
Filed	3-18-46	Frequency - 1340 kc	for approval of T site	
		Power - 250w	and antenna and	
		Hours of operation - Unlimited time	Conditional re waiver	
		Transmitter location - to be determined,	3.55(b) and 3.60	
		Santa Barbara, Calif.	Letter 6-18-46	
		Studio location - to be determined,		
		Santa Barbara, Calif.		
		(Filed by Attys. Hogan & Hartson - Engr.		
		A. D. Ring)		
			Issued with MP-2066	

RCA BTA 250-L

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Name HARRY C. BUTCHER

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B5-MP-2066	8-2-46	Modification of c.p. (B5-P-4615, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for approval of antenna and for approval of transmitter and studio location at Benjamin Franklin Bldg., 735 State St., Santa Barbara, California	GRANTED	10-2-46
Rec'd	8-13-46		Conditional re waiver	
Filed	8-13-46		3.55(b) and 3.60 and provided proof of performance performance showing an unattenuated field at 1 mile or at least 75 mv/m is made	
		Corwin R. Lockwood, Att'y. A.D. Ring, Engr.		

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Name

HARRY C. BUTCHER

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B5-L-2203 Rec'd Filed	10-26-46 10-28-46 10-28-46	License to cover C.P. (B5-P-4615, as mod.,) which authorized a new standard broadcast station and Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antennapower.	GRANTED Effective	1-30-47 2-1-47
B5-Z-2019 Rec'd Filed	10-26-46 10-28-46 10-28-46			
BAL-776 Rec'd Filed	8-6-48 9-22-48 9-22-48	Voluntary Assignment of License from Harry C. Butcher <u>to</u> Radio KIST, Inc. (Filed by Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty.)	GRANTED EFF:	10-8-48 11-1-48

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1381 Rec'd	11-8-49 11-21-49	Renewal of license. (Lester Cohen, Atty.)	GRANTED	1-25-50
BR-1381 Rec'd Filed	10-30-52 11-3-52 11-8-52	Renewal of License	GRANTED	1-7-53
BR-1381 Rec'd Filed	8-31-53 9-2-53 9-2-53	Renewal of License	GRANTED	11-12-53
BR-1381 Rec'd Filed	9-1-56 9-7-56 9-7-56	Renewal of License	GRANTED	1-17-57
BAL-3049 Rec'd Filed	5-20-58 5-22-58 5-22-58	Voluntary assignment of license to Western States Radio. James O. Juntilla, Atty. for Assignor Ralph L. Walker, Atty. for Assignee	GRANTED EFF:	6-26-58 8-1-58

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Letters K I S TName WESTERN STATES RADIO

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-12,664 Rec'd Filed	11-25-58 12-12-58 12-12-58	Construction Permit to increase daytime power from 250w to 1kw and install new transmitter. (Gates BC-1T)	GRANTED (After Hearing D-13281) Cond'l reaccept interf. other existing Stations for inc. pwr. to 1kw	7-6-61
SEE BELOW FOR AMENDMENT		Engr. - Page, Creutz, Steel & Waldschmitt		
AMENDMENT	10-9-59	AMENDED to request waiver of Sec. 3.183(d) of		
R & F 9	10-9-59	Rules & also Sec. 3.28(c)(3) if applicable.		
BR-1381 Rec'd Filed	9-24-59 9-28-59 9-28-59	Renewal of License Ralph L. Walker, Atty.	GRANTED	11-27-59
BTC-3428 Rec'd Filed	4-4-60 4-15-60 4-15-60	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from A. R. Ellman and A. C. Morici to J. P. Wardlaw, Jr.	GRANTED EFF:	5-18-60 6-1-60
		Pierson, Ball & Dowd, Attys. for Transferor Jack P. Blume, Atty. for transferee.		
BP-12,664 (cont'd) AMENDMENT	8-15-60	AMENDED to reflect BTC-3428 gr 5-18-60		
Rec'd FILED(ORDER)	9-12-60 9-28-60			

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Letters K I S TName Western States Radio
Santa Barbara, Calif.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-9690 R&F	7-24-61 7-27-61	Mod of CP (BP-12664 which auth incr day power and install new trans) to chg type trans (Bauer 707). Atty: Fly, Shuebruk, Blume and Gaguine	GRANTED	8-28-61
BL-8885 R&F	10-12-62 10-18-61	Lic to cover CP (BP-12664 as mod which auth incr day power and install new trans).	GRANTED re: accept interference class IV inc. power	3-8-62
BR-1381 Rec'd Filed	8-15-62 8-24-62 8-24-62	Authority to determine operating procedure directly as determined by the FCC Renewal of license Peter Shuebruk, Atty.	GRANTED	11-8-62
BR-1381 Rec'd Filed	8-18-65 8-24-65 8-24-65	Renewal of license Atty - Fly, Shuebruk, Blume & Gaguine	GRANTED	11-5-65

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Santa Barbara, California 93101

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-11,449 Rec'd Resubmitted R & F	6/28/65 7/1/65 8/29/66 9/1/66	License to use old main transmitter RCA BTA 250L at main trans. location to be operated on 1340kc 250w for auxiliary purposes only.	RETURNED not signed by an officer (follow up 12-28-65) GRANTED	9-24-65 12-12-66
BR-1381 R.&F. #455200 \$135 OCT 8 1968	8-20-68 8-29-68 8-29-68	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) attys-Fly, <u>Shuebruk</u> , Blume and Gaguine	GRANTED <i>gr</i> <i>11-26</i>	11-26-68
By letter adopted 10-28-70 the Commission notified station KIST of apparent liability of \$1,000 forfeiture.				

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SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BML-2337 Rec'd Filed \$50-644047 PRESS: NOV 30 1970	11-5-70 11-16-70 11-16-70 11-16-70	Modification of license to change corporate name to RADIO SANTA BARBARA. Atty. Peter Shuebruk	GRANTED	11-30-70
4-29-71 Annual filing fee \$120.00 paid 12-2-70. #647259.				
BR-1381 R & F P.N. PRESS SEP 7 1971	8-20-71 8-31-71 8-31-71	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) Atty: Howard Abrahams (Fly, Shuebruk, ect.) AMENDED 1-3-72 re: programming; comm. policy	GRANTED	1-31-72
By Memorandum Opinion and Order adopted 9-8-71 the Commission ordered forfeiture of \$1000 for rule violations.			station KIST TO pay	

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Santa Barbara, California

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1381 R & F PRESS	7-19-74 8-1-74 SEP 6 1974	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) Atty.: Peter Shuebruk AMENDED 1-16-75 re: engineering (over)	GRANTED	1-27-78
BZ-8785 R & F DM PRESS MAR 1 1975	12-20-74 12-26-74 1-16-75	Direct Measurement Atty. Peter Shuebruk	GRANTED	3-14-75
BR800801C2 PRESS SEP 22 1980		Renewal of License Atty.: Peter Shuebruk	GRANTED	11-17-80
BAL810521FU Form 314 PRESS JUN 10 1981 PN filed 6-22-81		Vol AL to Kist Properties, a Limited Partnership, Kist Broadcasting LTD, (General Partner) Atty for assignor - George M. Malti Atty for assignee - David Meyers F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.		

BR-1381 AMENDED 2-18-75 re: programming

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION filed 8-1-77 as an amendment
to pending renewal application. (Main & Am.) FN 8-1-77
Atty.: Stuart A. Shorestein

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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. 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 – 3" by 5" filing cards – 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). The History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only one set is known to exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

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.

