



REMOVABLE LABEL GUIDE

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Form BC 126  
June 1954

FIRST CO: 2-1-54 started 2-22-54  
PTA: 2-11-59

Commercial TV  
Satellite of WTEN

19  
**BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD**

Date first licensed 5-25-59 (472)

Call letters WCDC

Station location Adams, Massachusetts

KNIGHT-RIDDER BROADCASTING, INC. (ML 6-20-78)

X POOLE BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 10-31-73; Eff: 11-15-73)

X ALBANY TELEVISION, INC. (BALCT-410 2-24-71 EFF: 4-27--71)

Name of licensee X CAPITAL CITIES BROADCASTING CORPORATION (BMOCT-74, 3-23-60)

Transmitter location Mt. Greylock, 2.5 miles NW of Adams, Massachusetts (BMPCT-5087 10-13-58)

Main studio location None



## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

PE 368-1251 AUTH. 2-11-59

FIRST C. O. (2-1-54) (Started 2-22-54)

(Suspended ~~see wire~~ 3-26-56)

STA to resume gr 11-29-56, Resumed 2-21-57 W C D C (2-21-57)

Date first licensed 5-25-59 (#472)

Call letters ~~XW M G T~~(Sta. Loc. ~~Adams, Mass.~~) STATION

CAPITAL CITIES BROADCASTING CORPORATION (BMCT-74, 3-23-60)

LOCATION: ADAMS, MASSACHUSETTS

CAPITAL CITIES TELEVISION CORPORATION (BMCT-4954 12-18-57)

X CAPITAL CITIES TELEVISION CORPORATION (BMCT-4928 11-20-57)

X HUDSON VALLEY BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. (BAPCT-207 2-6-57 EFF: 2-21-57)

Name of licensee X GREYLOCK BROADCASTING COMPANY

Mt. Greylock, 2.5 miles NW of Adams, Near Adams, Massachusetts (BMCT-5087 10-13-58)

X Mt. Greylock, 2.5 miles <sup>N.E.</sup> N.W. of Adams, <sup>Near Adams,</sup> Massachusetts (BMCT-1194, 7-10-53)

X-Mt. Greylock, Nr. North Adams (BMCT-1074 gr. 5-29-53) (not a move)

Transmitter location Mohawk Trail, Nr. Strykers Road, North Adams, Mass. Trans. Loc. corrected

BMCT-2656 (4-6-55)

NONE (BMCT-5087, 10-13-58)

X 8 Bank Row, Pittsfield, Mass. (BMCT-2656 (4-6-55))

X To be determined -- Adams, Massachusetts (BMCT-1194, 7-10-53)

Main studio location X-To be determined, North Adams, Massachusetts



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPCT-1259	2-18-53	Ch. 74	V- 1.0kw	U.	4-18-53
		830-836 mcs.	A-0.5 kw		10-18-53
<u>Construction permit for a new Commercial TV B/C Station</u>					
BPCT-1074	5-29-53	Same	V-300 kw	U	7-29-53
			A-155 kw		1-29-54
Mod. of CP(BPCT-1259 etc.) to change ERP, T-L, install new antenna system and change type of transmitters; also ant.hgt					
BPCT-1194	7-10-53	same	same	same locations	7-29-53
Mod. C.P.(BPCT-1259) to change desc. of S-L & T-L/					
					1-29-54
BTC-1590	10-21-53	Voluntary relinquishment of positive con-			
	10-22-53	trol of permittee corporation by Leon			
		Podolsky to Gardner S. Morse, et al.			
BPCT-1675	1-5-54	same	same	same	7-29-53
Mod. CP(BPCT-1259, as mod) to extend compl. date					
					4-15-54
2-1-54 STA, Opr. Comm. basis exact accordance CP BPCT-1675 except using RCA TPU-27DH Antenna, same overall height above ground and antenna marking specifications as previously supplied. Period Ending 4-15-54					
2-2-54 STA hereby gr. to opr. TV STL Sta. KDD-91 in conjunction with WGT, Adams, Mass. pending filing of application for license to cover CP BPTB-87, & notification of program tests in accordance with Section 4.17.rules. Period Ending 2-15-54					
BPCT-1994	3-25-54	same	same	same	7-29-53
Mod CP(BPCT-1259, as mod) to extend completion dt					
					10-15-54
4-7-54 EXT STA Opr. Comm basis accordance CP BPCT-1994 except using RCA TPU-27DH Ant. Per.End. 10-15-54					
Gr. Auth. originate majority of local programs from auxiliary studio in Pittsfield, Mass. Per End. 10-15-54					
BPCT-2483	9-17-54	same	same	same	7-29-53
Mod. of CP(BPCT-1259, as mod.) to ext. comp. date					
					4-15-55
Wire 9-22-54 EXT STA Opr. Comm. basis accord CP BPCT-2483 except using RCA TPU-27DH Ant. Auth.gr. originate majority of local programs fr. Aux. studio in Pittsfield, Per End 4-15-55					
Report 10-20-54 Ch. No. 19 (500-506 Mcs.)					
					4-23-54
& Order (Doc. 11190) Change Freq. only					
					4-15-55
Mod. of C.P. to be issued later on					
(See BPCT-1994, granted 7-6-55)					



B.S.

# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

CARD #2

COMM TV B/C  
W C D C

Date first licensed

Call letters

X W M G T

GREYLOCK BROADCASTING COMPANY

Name of licensee (SEE CARD #1 for further particulars)

Transmitter location

Main studio location



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To
BMPCT-2969	3-30-55	SAME	SAME	SAME	7-29-53
Mod. of C.P. (BMPCT-1259, as mod.) to extend completion date					10-15-55
BMPCT-2656	4-6-55	Ch. #19	V-115	U	7-29-53
500-506 mc 4-67.6 kw (See Report & Order 10-26-54)					10-15-55
Mod. of C.P. (BMPCT-1259, as mod.) to change Station Loc. to Adams, Mass., WPP, correct des. of Trans. Loc. to make ant. & other equip. changes. (2120')					From N.H. to N.J.
WIRE	4-7-55	Mod. & EXT	STA Opr.	Comm. basis accord	CP BMPCT-2656 pending filing of Lic. appl. Auth. expires
BMPCT-2656	10-15-55				
BMPCT-3416	9-20-55	same	same	same	7-29-53
Mod. CP (BMPCT-1259, as mod.) to extend completion date					4-15-56
WIRE	9-23-55	EXT. STA	Opr. Comm.	basis accord.	CP BMPCT-3416 pending filing of Lic. Appl. Auth. expires 4-15-56
WIRE	2-27-56	REGRET TO ADVISE HURRICANE FORCE WINDS DESTROYED WMT tower & antenna on Mt. Greylock approx. 730 pm 2-25-56 WILL be off air indefinitely will advise further			
WIRE	3-26-56	No obj. WMT remaining silent per. ending 4-15-56, pending restoration ant. system.			
BMPCT-3811	3-23-56	same	same	same	7-29-53
Mod. CP (BMPCT-1259, as mod.) to extend completion date					9-1-56
BMPCT-4135	8-9-56	same	same	same	7-29-53
Mod. CP (BMPCT-1259, as mod.) to extend completion date					2-2-57
WIRE	11-29-56	Pending completion of construction, auth. granted to operate temp. for period ending 2-2-57 Comm. Basis accord. CP (BMPCT-4135), except using 100-foot antenna in lieu of 200-foot antenna.			
BAPCT-207	2-6-57	Voluntary assignment of construction permit to Hudson Valley Broadcasting Company, Inc. EFF: 2-21-			
WIRE	2-20-57	PENDING COMPLETION CONSTRUCTION AUTH. OPR. COMM. BASIS ACCORD. MPCT-4482 except ant. to			
WIRE	6-19-57	PENDING COMPLETION CONSTRUCTION EXT. AUTH. BASIS ACCORD. MPCT-4727 except ant. to			
	10-1-57				



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June 1954

COMM. TV

# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters WCDC

Station location Adams, Mass.

Name of licensee HUDSON VALLEY BROADCASTING COMPANY, 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
BMPCT-4727	8-12-57	same	same	same	7-29-53
Mod. CP(BPCT-1259, as mod) to extend completion dt 10-1-57					
L.F. to show change of name.					
BMPCT-4849	9-17-57	same	same	same	7-29-53
Mod. CP(BPCT-1259) to extend completion dt to 2-15-58					
as mod					
WIRE	9-18-57	PENDING COMPLETION CONSTRUCTION, EXT.			
AUTH. OPR. COMM. BASIS ACCORD. MPCT-4849 Except					
Ant. to 2-15-58					
BMPCT-4928	11-20-57	same	same	same	7-29-53
Mod. CP(BPCT-1259, as mod) to change name to					
CAPITOL CITIES TELEVISION CORPORATION.					
BMPCT-4954	12-18-57	CH.#19	V-115 kw	U	7-29-53
AH 2120'		500-506	A-67.6 kw		2-15-58
Mod. CP(BPCT-1259, as mod) to change name to CAPITAL CITIES					
TELEVISION CORPORATION (long form)					
BMPCT-5001	2-14-58	same	same	same	7-29-53
Mod. of CP(BPCT-1259, as mod) to extend complet. dt. 8-15-58					
WIRE	2-14-58	PENDING COMPL. CONSTRUCTION EXT. AUTH.			
OPER. COMM. BASIS ACCORD. MPCT-5001, EXCEPT USING 100-FOOT					
ANT. IN LIEU OF 200-FOOT ANT.: PERIOD ENDING 5-15-58					
WIRE	4-29-58	PENDING COMPLETION OF CONSTRUCTION, EXT.			
AUTH. GR. TO OPR. WCDC, ADAMS, MASS. TEMP. COMM. BASIS					
ACCORD. CP BMPCT-5001, EXCEPT USING 100-foot ANTENNA.					
PERIOD ENDING 8-15-58.					
BMPCT-5144	8-13-58	same	same	same	7-29-53
Mod. of CP(BPCT-1259, as mod.) to extend comp. date 2-15-59					
WIRE	8-15-58	PENDING COMPLETION OF CONSTRUCTION, EXT.			
AUTH. GR. TO OPR. WCDC, ADAMS, MASS. TEMP. COMM. BASIS ACCORD.					
CP BMPCT-5144 EXCEPT USING 100-FOOT ANTENNA TOWER.					
PERIOD ENDING 11-15-58.					
BMPCT-5087	9-10-58	CH # 19	V-122kw	U	7-29-53
AH: 2000'		500-506	A-61.7kw		2-15-59
Mod. CP(BPCT-1259, as mod.) chg. ERP, Ant. sys., other equip.					
ant. hght.: delete Studio location					
WIRE	11-10-58	PENDING FILING OF LIC. APPL. EXT. AUTH.			
GR. TO OPR. WCDC, ADAMS, MASS. TEMP. FOR PER. END. 2-15-59,					
ACCORD. CP BMPCT-5087.					



June 1954

## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters WCDC .....

Station location ADAMS, MASS. ....

Name of licensee CAPITAL CITIES TELEVISION CORPORATION .....

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
WIRE ADAMS, MASS. ON PROGRAM TEST ACCORD. SECTION 3.629 RULES & CP BMPCT-5087.	2-11-59	RE LIC. APPL. BLCT-905, AUTH. GR. OPR. WCDC,			
BLCT-905	5-25-59	CH# 19	V-122kw	U	5-25-59
AH: 2000'		500-506	A-61.7kw (MSL: 3598')		4-1-60
Lic. to cover CP (BPCT-1259 as mod) to aut. a new Comm. TV Str					
BMLCT-74	3-23-60	same	same	same	5-25-59 4-1-60
Mod. of License to chg. name to CAPITAL CITIES BROADCASTING CORPORATION.					
BRCT-472	3-30-60	CH #19	V-122kw	U	4-1-60 4-1-63
AH: 2000'		500-506	A-61.7 kw MSL: 3598'		
Long Form new name		RENEWAL OF LICENSE			
BRCT-472	4-18-63	Same	Same	Same	4-18-63
		RENEWAL OF LICENSE			4-1-66
BPCT-3240	10-9-63	CH. 19	V-116 kw	U	12-9-63
AH: 2100'		500-506	A- 58 kw		6-9-64
Construction permit to chg. ERP, AH.					
WIRE WCDC ON PROGRAM TEST ACCORD. SECTION 3.629 RULES & CP BPCT-3240.	11-6-63	RE TENDERED LIC. APPL. AUTH. GR. OPERATE			
BLCT-1322	9-4-64	CH. #19	V-116kw	U	9-4-64
AH: 2100' MSL: 3698'		500-506	A-58kw		4-1-66
License to cover CP (BPCT-3240)					
BMLCT-396	1-12-66	CH. #19	V-116 kw	U	1-12-66
AH: 2100'		500-506	A-22.9 kw MSL: 3698'		4-1-66
Mod. of License to reduce Aural ERP.					
BRCT-472	4-22-66	same	same	same	4-22-66
		RENEWAL OF LICENSE			4-1-69
BRCT-472	1-28-70	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			4-1-72
BALCT-410	2-24-71	Vol. A/L			
BRCT-472	4-14-72	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (L)			4-1-75
EBSA	5-15-72				
BALCT-528	10-31-73	Voluntary assignment of license.			
BPCT-4758	9-20-74	CH. 19	V. 316 kw		11-20-74
AH: 2090 MSL: 3688'		500-506	A. 63. kw		3-20-76
CP to chg. ERP, trans, ant & RAAT					



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Comm TV B/C

## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters W C D C

Station location ADAMS, MASS.

Name of licensee POOLE BROADCASTING COMPANY

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
BRCTV-215	9-13-74	Remote control authority	(L)		4-1-75
BRCT-472	5-8-75	Renewal of License	(S)		4-1-78
WIRE	8-20-75	Pend. completion of construction and filing lic. appl. auth. grtd. oper WCDC etemp. per. end. 9-19-75 in accord. steps one thru four of your request. Advise when operation commences under each step of this authority.			
WIRE	9-25-75	Re tendered lic. appl., auth. grtd oper. WCDC on program test accord. Sect. 73.629 rules and CP BPCT-4758.			
BLCT-2446	3-31-76	Ch. 19	V. 316 kW		4-1-78
AH: 2000' MSL: 3688'		500-506	A. 63.1 kW		
Lic(BPCT-4758) for chgs.					
BMLCT-856	6-20-78	ML to change name			
BRCT 472	6-20-78	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			
					4-1-81



CARD #1

FORM A-170

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM. TV B/C

Call WMGT

Letters (U)

Name GREYLOCK BROADCASTING COMPANY,  
(P.O. 8 Bank Row, Pittsfield, Massachusetts)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPCT-1259	6-28-52	Construction permit for a new Comm. TV B/C station		
Rec'd	6-30-52	FREQ: Ch. #15, 476-482 mcs.	GRANTED	2-18-53
Filed	6-30-52	ERP: Vis. 9.24 kw, Aur. 5.02 kw Hours of operation: Unlimited S-L: To be determined, North Adams, Mass. ✓ T-L: Top of Mtn. nr Williamstown, Mass. (Vis. & Aur. GE TT-20-A) (263.2') Filed by Vernon L. Wilkinson, Atty.		
AMENDED	10-20-52	To change freq. from Ch. #15, 476-482 mcs. to		
Rec'd	10-20-52	Ch. #74, 830-836 mcs; ERP from Vis. 9.24 kw,		
Filed	10-20-52	Aur. 5.02 kw to Vis. 1.0 kw, Aur. 0.5 kw; type of transmitter from GE TT-20-A to GE TT-24-A; transmitter location from Top of Mtn. nr Williamstown, Mass. to Mohawk Trail nr Strykers Rd., North Adams, Mass.; antenna height above terrain from 263.2' to 570'; changes in antenna system and coordinates. (Vernon L. Wilkinson) atty.		



James C. McNary, Engr.



CARD #2

FORM A-170

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

Call  
Letters W M G TName GREYLOCK BROADCASTING COMPANY  
North Adams, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPCT-1074 Rec'd Filed	4-4-53 4-6-53 4-6-53	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1259 as amended which authorized a new Commercial TV B/C Station) to change ERP from Vis. 1 kw, Aur. 0.5 kw to Vis. 300 kw, Aur. 155 kw, change transmitter location from Mohawk Trail, near Strykers Road, North Adams, Mass. to On Mt. Greylock, 2.6 mi. NW of Adams, Mass., install new antenna system and change type of transmitters. (2063') (Vis. & Aur. GE-TT-25-A) Filed by Vernon L. Wilkinson, Atty.	GRANTED	5-29-53
BMPCT-1194 Recd & filed	6-20-53 6-22-53	Modification of CP (BPCT-1259 as modified which auth. a new Commercial TV b/c station) to change description of transmitter site from Mt. Greylock, near North Adams, Mass. to Mt. Greylock, 2.5 miles NW of Adams, Mass. (not a move) and studio location from "To be determined" - North Adams, Mass. to "To be determined", Adams, Mass. Filed by Vernon L. Wilkinson, Atty.	GRANTED	7-10-53



CARD #3

COMMERCIAL TV B/C

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORM A-170  
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Letters **W M G T**Name **GREYLOCK BROADCASTING COMPANY**  
**North Adams, Mass.**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-1590 Rec'd Filed	9-21-53 9-21-53 9-21-53	Voluntary relinquishment of positive control of permittee corporation by Leon Podolsky thru issuance of new treasury stock. Filed by Vernon L. Wilkinson, Atty.	GRANTED EPF:	10-21-53 10-22-53
BMPCT-1675 Recd. Filed	12-18-53 12-22-53 12-22-53	Mod. of CP(BPCT-1259, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 1-29-54 to 4-15-54. Filed by Leonidas P. B. Emerson, Atty.	GRANTED	1-5-54
BMPCT-1994 Recd. Filed	3-20-54 3-22-54 3-22-54	Modification of CP(BPCT-1259, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 4-15-54 to October, 1954. Filed by Vernon L. Wilkinson, Atty.	GRANTED	3-25-54
BMPCT-2483 Recd & filed	9-7-54 9-8-54	Modification of CP (BPCT-1259 as modified, which auth. a new commercial TV b/c station) for extension of completion date from 10-15-54 to March 1955 Filed by Leonidas P. B. Emerson, Atty.	GRANTED	9-17-54



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COMM. TV B/C

FORM A-170

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call  
Letters WMGT

GREYLOCK BROADCASTING COMPANY

Name  
North Adams, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPCT-2656	11-22-54	Modification of CP (BPCT-1259, as modified, which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to specify Ch. # 19, 500-506 mcs pursuant to Report & Order 10-20-54 and to change ZPF from Vis. 300 kw, Aur. 155 kw to Vis. 124 kw, Aur. 67.3 kw, change type of antenna and make other equipment changes. (2116')	GRANTED (Commission Action)	4-6-55
Recd.	12-6-54			
Filed	12-6-54			
Amended	1-13-55	Filed by Vernon L. Wilkinson, Atty. Amended to change studio location from "To be determined, Adams, Mass., to 8 Bank Row, Pittsfield, Mass., and request waiver of Sec. 3.613 of the Commission's Rules. Filed by Vernon L. Wilkinson, Atty.		
Recd & Filed	1-13-55			



FORM A-170

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

Call  
Letters WJCTName GREYLOCK BROADCASTING COMPANY  
North Adams, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPCT-2999 Recd & filed Ext # 5	2-28-55 3-3-55	Modification of construction permit (BPCT-1259 as mod., which auth. a new comm. TV b/c station) to extend completion date from 4-15-55 to 10-15-55 Filed by Leonidas P. B. Emerson, Atty.	GRANTED	3-30-55
BMPCT-3416 Recd. & filed Ext. # 6	9-7-55 9-14-55	Mod. of CP (BPCT 1259, as mod., which auth. a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 10-15-55 to 12-31-55. Filed by L P.B. Emerson, Atty.	GRANTED	9-20-55
BMPCT-3811 Recd & Filed Ext. #7	3-5-56 3-8-56	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1259, as mod., which auth. a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 4-15-56 to 9-1-56. Filed by Vernon L. Wilkinson, Atty.	GRANTED	3-23-56
BMPCT-4135 Recd. & Filed Ext. # 8	7-20-56 7-27-56	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1259, as mod., which auth. a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 9-1-56 to 2-2-57. Filed by Ed. R. McNamee, Atty.	GRANTED	8-9-56



FORM BC-121

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Aug. 1955

HUDSON VALLEY BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

Call

W C D C (2-21-57)

Letters

X W M G T

Name X GREYLOCK BROADCASTING COMPANY

(Adams, Mass.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAFCT-207 RECD & FILED	12-6-56 12-6-56	Voluntary assignment of construction permit to Hudson Valley Broadcasting Company, Inc. Filed by Parker D. Hancock, Atty. for Assignee.		2-6-57 2-21-57
BMPCT-4482 Recd & Filed Ext. #9	1-2-57 1-4-57	& " " Edward R. McKenna, Atty. for Assignor. Mod. of CP(BPCT-1259, as mod., which auth. a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 2-2-57 to 7-2-57. Filed by Edward R. McKenna, Atty.		1-21-57
BMPCT-4727 Recd. filed Ext. # 10	5-31-57 6-7-57	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1259, as mod., which auth. a new Comm. TV B/C Sta) to extend completion date from 7-2-57 to 10-1-57. Filed by Parker D. Hancock, Atty.	GRANTED	6-12-57
BMPCT-4849 Recd. & filed Ext. # 11	8-30-57 9-3-57	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1259, as mod., which auth. a new Comm. TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date from 10-1-57 to 2-15-58. Filed by P.D. Hancock, Atty.	GRANTED	9-17-57



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

AUG. 1955

NAME **CAPITAL CITIES TELEVISION CORPORATION**  
**X HUBSON VALLEY BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.**  
**Adams, Massachusetts**

Call  
 Letters **W C D C**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPCT-4928 Rec. & filed	11-4-57 11-5-57	Modification of CP (BPCT-1259 as mod. which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to change name to Capitol Cities Television Corporation. Hogan & Hartson-attys.	GRANTED	11-20-57
BMPCT-4954 "ecd." filed	12-10-57 12-11-57	Modification of CP (BPCT-1259 as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Sta) to change name to CAPITAL CITIES TELEVISION CORPORATION. Filed direct.	GRANTED	12-18-57
BMPCT-5001 "ecd." filed Ext. # 12	1-15-58 1-16-58	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1259, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date from 2-15-58 to 8-15-58. Filed by P.D. Hancock, atty.	GRANTED	2-14-58



Aug. 1955

Call  
Letters WCDCName CAPITAL CITIES TELEVISION CORPORATION  
Adams, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPCT-5087	4-16-58	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1259, as mod) to chg. <del>S-I</del> <del>from 8 Bank Row, Pittsfield, Mass., to N.</del> <del>Greenbush, N. Y., ERP from V. 115 kw, A. 67.6</del> kw to V. 122 kw, A. 61 kw, make chg. in ant. system and other equipment and chg. ant. hgt above aver. terr. in from 2120 to 2004 ft. Parker Hancock, Atty. Kear & Kennedy, Engrs.	GRANTED	9-10-58
Recd & filed	4-18-58			
Amended	8-20-58	Amended to delete studio location and specify as none. (WCDC maintains no studio since it completely duplicates programs of WTEN)		
Recd & filed	8-22-58			



AUG. 1955

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Call

Letters WDCB

CAPITAL CITIES BROADCASTING CORPORATION(3-23-60)

Name Capital Cities Television Corporation

Adams, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPCT-5144 Recd & filed Ext # 13	7-8-58 7-10-58	Modification of CP (BPCT-1259 as mod., which auth. a new comm. TV b/c station) to extend completion date from 8-15-58 to 2-15-59 Filed by Parker D. Hancock, Atty.	GRANTED	8-13-58
BLCT-905 Recd & filed	2-7-59 2-10-59	License to cover CP (BPCT-1259 as mod.,) which auth. a new commercial TV b/c station Filed by Parker D. Hancock, Atty	GRANTED	5-25-59
BMLCT-74 R & F	12-30-59 1-8-60	Mod. of License to change corporate name to CAPITAL CITIES BROADCASTING CORPORATION Hogan & Hartson, Attys	GRANTED	3-23-60
BRCT-472 R & F	12-30-59 1-7-60	Renewal of license Filed by Parker D. Hancock, Atty	GRANTED	3-30-60
BRCT-472 Recd. & Filed	3-1-63 3-4-63	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Stanley S. Harris, Atty (Hogan & Hartson)	GRANTED	4-18-63
LETTER	4-1-63	J. Roger Wollenberg, atty. (Wilmer, Culler & Pickering) are now attorneys. c. 900-17th St. N.W., Wash. D.C. 20006		



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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BPCT-3240 Recd. & Filed	9-12-63 9-12-63	Construction Permit to change ERP from Vis. 122 kw, Aur. 61.7 kw TO Vis. 116 kw (horz), Aur. 58 kw ( <b>Horz</b> ); antenna height above average terrain to 2104 feet; <del>and establish studio location at Glenmore Road, N. Greenbush, NEW York.</del> J. Roger Wollenberg, Atty. Kear & Kennedy, Engrs.	GRANTED	10-9-63
BLCT-1322 Recd. & Filed	11-2-63 11-5-63	License to cover CP (BPCT-3240) which authorized changes in existing station. J. Roger Wollenberg, Atty.	GRANTED	9-4-64
BLCT-396 R & F	12-20-65 12-21-65	Mod. of License to reduce Aural ERP from 58 kw to 23.1 kw (HORZ). Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering, Atty.	GRANTED	1-12-66
BRCT-472 R & F	3-1-66 3-3-66	Renewal of license (Request a formal Waiver of rules re dates prescribed for filing WCDC appl for renewal, to permit this practice to continue on a permanent basis) WILMER, CUTLER & PICKERING-att'y (J. Roger Wollenberg)	GRANTED	4-22-66



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 CH.#19 **ADAMS, MASS.**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCT-472	2-28-69	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	1-28-70
R & F	3-3-69	Stephen A. Weiswasser, Atty. (Wilmer, Cutler)		
\$150. #494956	3-3-69			
PRESS PN Recd.	MAR 11 1969			
BALCT-410	6-30-70	Voluntary assignment of license to Albany	GRANTED	2-24-71
R & F	6-30-70	Television, Inc.	EFF:	4-27-71
#612629 \$200	6-30-70		COMMISSION	ACTION
\$50 refunded	7-8-70	Atty.: Daniel Marcus (Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering)		
(Overpayment)		Amended 1-21-71 re financial and Other business		
PRESS:		interests and programming.		
PN REC'D:	7-24-70	Amended 2-3-71 to submit agreement between		
Engr. data filed	7-2-70	Poole B/C Co., Albany TV, Inc. & Capital Cities		
		re financial data.		
J. Roger Wollenberg (Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering) now counsel for this station				



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## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

POOLE BROADCASTING COMPANY  
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CH-19 ADAMS, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCT-472 R & F PN REC PRESS	2-22-72 3-3-72  MAR 29 1972	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Vaughn C. Williams (Wilmer, Cutler)	GRANTED	4-14-72
BALCT-528 R & F #235486 \$250 AC: 051 PRESS: Form 316	9-21-73 9-25-73 9-25-73  OCT 5 1973	Voluntary assignment of license to POOLE BROADCASTING COMPANY Atty: Daniel Marcus (Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering)	GRANTED	10-31-73 Eff: 11-15-73
BPCT-4758 R & F #322026 \$50 AC: 058 PRESS:	6-24-74 7-2-74 7-2-74  JUL 31 1974	CP to chg. ERP to Vis. 316kW(H), Aur. 63.1kW (H); chg. type trans. to RCA TTU-30C; type ant. to RCA TFU-24J; and HAAT 2092 ft. Phillip L. Radoff, Atty. (Note redetermined geographical coordinates: 42-38-14 73-10-07)	GRANTED	9-20-74 29-10-75



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CH-19 Adams, Massachusetts

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCTV-215 R & F #334526 \$50. AC: 058 PRESS:	7-30-74 8-9-74 8-9-74 AUG 30 1974	Request authority to operate transmitter by remote control from 341 Northern Boulevard, Albany, New York. Atty: Phillip L. Radoff (Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering)	GRANTED	9-13-74
BRCT-472 R & F PN Rec'd: PRESS:	1-16-75 2-3-75 2-3-75 FEB 25 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Annual Report Filed Atty: Joel Rosenbloom (Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering)	GRANTED	5-8-75



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CH-19 Adams, Massachusetts

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLCT-2446 R & F #476943\$100. AC: 001 PRESS:	9-5-75 9-16-75 9-16-75 22 Jan 1976	License to cover (BPCT-4758) for changes. Atty: Stephen A. Weiswasser (Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering)	GRANTED	3-31-76
BTC-8458 R&F PN RECD PRESS (Form 315)	9-26-77 9-26-77 SEP 19 1977	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from John B. Poole, et al, to Northwest Publications, Inc.  Attys.: Transferor-Stephen A. Weiswasser (Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering) Transferee-Fly, Shuebruk, Blume, Gaguine, Boros and Schulkind	GRANTED EFF:	12-21-77 4-3-78
Ltr. 10-26-77 from Richard Shiben: The Commission hereby waives the 120-day filing requirement contained in Section 1.539(a) in order to permit the Simultaneous filing of renewal applications for both WCDC-TV and WTEN-TV. Amended 11-22-77 re legal Amended 12-9-77 re additional information				



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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KNIGHT-RIDDER BROADCASTING, INC.

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Adams, Massachusetts

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCT-472 R&F PN RECD PRESS	1-30-78 2-1-78  FEB 23 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty.: Stephen A. Weiswasser (Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering)	GRANTED	6-20-78
BMLCT-856 Recd. filed PRESS	5-2-78 5-3-78 5-10-78 JUN 9 1978	ML to chg. name to KNIGHT-RIDDER BROADCASTING, INC. Atty.: Stephen A. Weiswasser (Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering)	GRANTED	6-20-78
BPCT-5208 R&F PRESS	5-26-78 5-31-78 JUN	CP to chg. ERP to Vis. 448.7kW(Max), 89.54kW (Max). Atty.: Stephen A. Weiswasser		



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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING  
COMMERCIAL TELEVISION

Call Letters: WCDC-TV

Name: KNIGHT-RIDDER BROADCASTING, INC.  
CH-19

Station Location: ADAMS, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRCT-810130KF R&F PN REC'D	1-30-81 1-30-81 1-30-81	RENEWAL OF LICENSE ATTY: JANE TUCKER DANA {WILMER AND PICKERING}	9 5-27-81
BLCT-810105KE R&F	1-5-81	Lic. to cover CP(BPCT-5206) to chg. ERP  Stephen A. Weiswasser, atty.	
BMLCT-810410KG		ML to reduce aural ERP to 44.87kW.	



## 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 12<sup>th</sup> 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.

