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June 1975

FREQUENCY MODULATION

# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

KBON(EFF-5-26-78)

Date first licensed 9-14-78

Call letters X K D I G

Station location Lake Arrowhead,  
California

Name of licensee SAN BERNARDINO BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Transmitter location Strawberry Peak Electronic Site, near Lake Arrowhead, CA (PH-12-9-77)

Main studio location Bldg. No. 9, Lake Arrowhead, Calif. (BLH-9-14-78)  
To-be-determined, Lake Arrowhead, California (PH-12-9-77)







# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call KDIG  
Letters XXNEW-FM

Name San Bernardino Broadcasting Corporation  
Lake Arrowhead, California (PO %Thomas M. Jones, 990 Inland Center Drive,  
San Bernardino, Ca. 92408)

| File No.      | Dated       | Application for   | Action                    |                           |
|---------------|-------------|---|---------------------------|---------------------------|
|               |             |   | Nature                    | Date                      |
| BPH-9810      | 3-5-76      | CP for New FM on: 103.9mhz #280   | GRANTED                   | 12-9-77                   |
| R & F         | 3-9-76      | ERP: 0.038KW(H&V) HAAT: 2541' (H&V)   | Cond'L                    | Transmitter               |
| #539076 \$200 | 3-10-76     | Trans: Sparta 600B; Ant: Jampro JLCP-1,                                     | satisfactory provided app | applicant submits measure |
| Code 001      | APR 15 1976 | 1 sect. (H&V)   | ments proving compliance  | with Sections 73.250 &    |
| Press         | 4-5-76      | TL: Strawberry Peak Electronic Site (5.0                                    | 2.579 Rules while         | operating proposed power  |
| P. N. Rec'd   |             | miles in the direction 246.5° T from  | level.                    |                           |
|               |             | Lake Arrowhead, California  |                           |                           |
|               |             | SL-RC: To-Be-Determined, Lake Arrowhead,                                    |                           |                           |
|               |             | California  |                           |                           |
|               |             | 34° 13' 50" - 117° 14' 00"  |                           |                           |
|               |             | (MUTUALLY EXCLUSIVE WITH BPH-9934   |                           |                           |
|               |             | Atty: James P. Riley  |                           |                           |
|               |             | Engr: Robert E. Bullock (LaCanada, Ca.)                                     |                           |                           |
| AMENDED       | 3-15-76     | Page Two of Exhibit Six.  |                           |                           |
| AMENDED       | 4-1-77      | Section II, para. 18 & Community Leaders Interview.                         |                           |                           |
| AMENDED       | 8-9-77      | financial   |                           |                           |
| AMENDED       | 9-19-77     | Section II delete any exh ref.toRichard Jones( deceased),Exh 5              |                           |                           |
|               |             | Sect III(financial)C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C. Section IV-Apara 27,delete ref. |                           |                           |
|               |             | to Kevin A Jones no longer Station Manager                                  |                           |                           |



JOINT REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT;DISMISSAL OF APPLICATION OF ARROWHEAD  
BROADCASTING CORPORATIN;AND GRANT OF APPLICATION OF SAN BERNARDINO BROADCASTING CORP.  
9-19-77 JOINT REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF SETTELMENT AGREEMENT, DISMISAL OF APPLICATION OF  
ARROWNHEAD BROADCASTIONG CORPORATION AND GRANT OF APPLICATN OF SAN BERNARDINO B/ C CORP.  
FILED ON BEHALF OF JAMES P.RILEY FOR APPLICANT  
AMENDED 11-8-77 re grant of involuntary transfer of negative control of BTC -8468 and  
information on ownership Form 323



# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

103.9MHz

\*KBON

Call  
Letters **XKDIG**

Name **SAN BERNARDINO BROADCASTING CORPORATION**  
**Lake Arrowhead, California**

| File No.                            | Dated  | Application for  | Action  |          |
|-------------------------------------|--|--|---------|----------|
|                                     |  |  | Nature  | Date     |
| BMPH-15509<br>R & F<br>PRESS:       | 5-9-78<br>5-15-78<br>MAY 26 1978             | MP (BPH-9810) to operate transmitter by Remote Control from: 992 Inland Center Drive, San Bernardino, California.<br>(Auxiliary Studio Loc.)<br><br>Atty: James P. Riley (Fletcher, Heald, etc.) | GRANTED | 5-30-78  |
| BLH-7799<br>R & F<br>PTA:<br>PRESS: | 5-19-78<br>5-22-78<br>6-12-78<br>JUL 21 1978 | License to cover (BPH-9810, as mod.) for New Station. Specify SL as: Bldg. No. 9, Lake Arrowhead, California.<br>Atty: James P. Reiley (Fletcher, Heald, Kenohand & Hildreth)                    | GRANTED | 9-14-78  |
| BRH800801C7<br>PRESS                | SEP 22 1980                                  | Renewal of License<br>Atty.: Roderick K. Porter<br>AMENDED 9-8-80 re: identification of city location  | Br      | 11-24-80 |



## 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 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 radio station history.

