

WYER-FM

June 1964

1128

FM BROADCAST

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 2-2-61

WYER-FM(EFF: 7-18-77)

Call letters XW S A B

HUGO COMMUNICATIONS, INC. (APPL. 11/16/79) Station location Mt. Carmel, Illinois
JEL-CO RADIO, INC. (VOL. AL 9-30-70 EFF: 10-8-70)

x WSAB, INC., (APL 9-7-60; EFF: 10-1-60)

Name of licensee x ALBERT A. BARNHART

On Hwy. #1, 1.3 mi. SW of Mt. Carmel, Illinois (MPN- 3-9-60)
Transmitter location x 316 Market Street, Mt. Carmel, Illinois62863 North Cherry Road, Mt. Carmel, Ill. (Ltr. 1C-14-70)
Main studio location x 316 Market Street, Mt. Carmel, Illinois
x Same as transmitter

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	ERP Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BPH-2768 HAAT: 165'	10-21-59	94.9 mcs.	3.3-kw Ch. 235 TPO:1-kw	Unl.	12-21-59 6-21-60
Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station.					
BMPH-6174	3-9-60	Mod. of CP(BPH-2768) to increase ERP to 37kw; increase HAAT to 410'; change antenna-trans. loc.; make changes in antenna system (incr. hght); change type antenna (RCA BHA 8A-8 sect.); change type transmitter (RCA BTF-5B) and operate transmitter by remote control from 316 Market St., Mt. Carmel, Ill. 94.9mcs. ERP: 37kw U 12-21 6-21-60 Ch. 235 TPO: 5kw			
HAAT: 410'					
BPH-6247	5-11-60	Ext. completion date to 12-21-60.			
BAPH-233 #1 EFF:	9-7-60 10-1-60	Voluntary assignment of construction permit to WSAW, Inc.			
BLH-1703 HAAT: 410ft.	2-2-61	94.9mcs	37kw TPO: 5kw	U	2-2-61 12-1-61
Lic. to cover cp (BPH-2768 as mod) which auth. a new FM broadcast station.					
	11-29-61	Action on Renewal Deferred.			
BPH-2768 BRH-1128	12-1-61 12-1-61	Renewal of license			12-1 12-1-64
BRH-1128	11-9-64	Renewal of license			12-1-12-1-67
BRH-1128	11-24-67	Renewal of License			12-1 12-1-70
BALH-1331	9-30-70	VOL. AL EFF: 10-8-70			
BSH-1128(1)	10-14-70	ML chg. studio & RC			
BRH-1128(1)	11-30-70	Renewal			12-1-73
EBSA	5-22-72				
BRH-1128(S)	11-28-73	RENEWAL			12-1-76
BRH-1128(S)	11-15-76	Renewal of License			12-1-79
BCH-1128(I)	6-1-79	ML chg. ant. & TPO			
BPH790504AH	6/29/79	94.9mhz	ERP: 50kw (H&V)	RC	6/29/80
HAAT: 420' (H&V)		CP to mke chgs in ant. sys., type trans., type antenna & TPO.			
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June 1973

CARD #2

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

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Station location Mt. Carmel, Illinois

Name of licensee SEE CARD #1

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
BTCH790710EN	8-27-79	VOL. TC		ERP:	9-1-79
BSCA790727AP	9/12/79	SCA			12/1/79
(1)	11/16/79	LICENSEE NAME CHANGED			
BRH_790727	UT_11-30-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (L)			
BMSCA791226BL	4-10-80	SCA			12-1-82
BLH-790820AD	2-29-80	94.9	ERP: 50 KW (H&V)		12-1-82
		HAAT: 420' (H&V)			
	License to cover (BPH-790504, as mod) for changes.				

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

AUG 1955

Call
Letters ~~W S A B~~Name **ALBERT A. BARNHARD**
316 Market St., Mt. Carmel, Ill.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-2768 R&F	8-25-59	CP for new FM b/c station to be operated on: Freq: 94.9mc Ch. 235 ERP: 3.28kw HAAT: 165.07' Trans.: ITA FM-1000A Ant: Collins 37M-4 T-loc: 316 Market St., Mt. Carmel, Ill. S-loc: same as T-loc. Engr: Geo. Sklom (Walter P. Kean) Riverside, Ill. <u>Atty</u> Barnhard, DeMarco & Scriber, Mt. Carmel, Ill.	GRANTED	10-21-59
	8-27-59		HAAT: ERP:	165' 3.3-kw.

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

AUG 1955

Call
Letters W S A BName **ALBERT A. BARNHARD**
Mt. Carmel, Illinois

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BNPH-6174	2-4-60	Mod. of CP (BPH-2768 which auth. a new FM broadcast station) to increase ERP from 3.3kw to 37.4kw; increase HAAT from 165 ft to 409.8; change antenna-trans. location from 316 Market Street, Mt. Carmel, Ill. to On Hwy #1; 1.3 miles southwest of Mt. Carmel, Ill; make changes in antenna system(incr. hght); change type antenna (RCA BFA BA - 8 section); change type transmitter (RCA BTF 5B) and operate transmitter by remote control from 316 Market Street, Mt. Carmel, Ill. (same as studio)	GRANTED	3-9-60 HAAT: 410'; ERP-37kw TPO: 5kw
Rec'd	2-8-60			
Filed	2-8-60			
		Engr. - Walter F. Kean, Riverside, Ill.		
BNPH-6247	4-19-60	Modification of C. P. (BPH-2768 as modified which authorized a new FM broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 6-21-60 to 12-21-60.	GRANTED	5-11-60
R & F	4-21-60			

AUG. 1955

WSAB, INC.

Call
Letters **WSAB**Name **KALBERT A. BARNHARD**
Nt. Carmel, Illinois

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAPH-233	7-5-60	Voluntary assignment of construction permit to WSAB, Inc.	RETURNED	7-14-60
Rec'd	7-8-60		Notarized by interested party.	
Resub.	7-16-60			
Rec'd	7-19-60		GRANTED	9-7-60
Filed	7-19-60		EFF:	10-1-60
BLH-1703 R & F	10-25-60 10-27-60	License to cover C.P. (BPH-2768 as modified) which authorized construction of a new FM Broadcast Station.	GRANTED	2-2-61
BRH-1128 R & F	8-15-61 8-21-61	Renewal of License	GRANTED	12-1-61
BRH-1128 R&F	8-3-64 8-5-64	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	11-9-64
BRH-1128 R & F	8-5-67 8-9-67	Renewal of license	GRANTED	11-24-67

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters **WSAB**

JEL-CO RADIO, INC.

Name **WSAB, INC.**
Mt. Carmel, Illinois 62863

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BALH -1331 R & F FEE PD: \$75	3-4-70 3-9-70 #583345 APR 7 1970	Voluntary assignment of license to JEL-CO RADIO, INC. (SEE OVER) Atty for assignee - Arthur Stambler	GRANTED EFF:	9-30-70 10-8-70
BRH-1128 R & F P.N. PRESS SEP 28 1970 Annual filing fee \$19.60	8-28-70 9-3-70 9-3-70	Renewal of License Atty: Leonard M. Koger, Jr., Mt. Carmel, Illinois AMENDED 10-9-70 re: programming; comm. pract.	GRANTED	11-30-70
BRH-1128 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	8-13-73 8-14-73 23 AUG 1973	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Jason L. Shrinsky, Atty.	GRANTED	11-28-73
paid 11-24-70 #645925. (073)				

BALH-1331 - Assignee is licensee of WOLC (AM & FM) (Re 9-6-61)
AMENDED 5-14-70 to show available communications facilities
in Mt. Carmel, Ill. (assignee)
AMENDED 8-3-70 re interviews (prog); current information
re stockholder (Hubbard) (J.F. Haribut)
AMENDED 8-7-70 - addendum to agreement; & re bus. interest
AMENDED 9-25-70 - statement re bus. interests & availability
of media in city.

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May 1976

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 Letters X W S A B

 Name JEL-CC RADIO, INC.
 MTL CARMEL, ILLINOIS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-1128 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	7-19-76 7-30-76 " SEP 7 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	Granted	11-15-76
BPH790504AH PRESS (O)	JUN 11 1979	CP to make changes in Antenna System; chg. type Trans. (COLLINS 831G-2C); chg. type Ant. (COLLINS G5CPS-5AE, 5 sects. H&V); incre. ERP: 50kw (H&V); incre. HAAT: 425' (H&V) & chg. TPO. Atty. James M. Weitzman (Stambler & Shrinsky)	GRANTED	6/29/79

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Letters WYER-FM

HUGO COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Name X JEL-RO RADIO, INC.
Mt. Carmel, Ill.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTCH 790710EK FORM 315 (also see am) PRESS: JUL 24 1979		Vol TC from Emory L. Hurlbut, Individually, and Emory L. Hurlbut and John F. Hurlbut, Jointly, to David E. Hurlbut (67%) Atty - Shrinsky & Eisen (E.B. Evers)	GRANTED EFF:	8-27-79 9-1-79
BSCA 790727AP PRESS (O) AUG 29 1979		Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a Subcarrier Frequency of 67 Kilohertz. Atty. Elliot B. Evers (Shrinsky & Eisen)	GRANTED	9/12/79
BRH 790727 PRESS SEP 14 1979		RENEWAL OF LICENSE E.B. Evers, Atty.	GRANTED	11-30-79
APPL. DATED PRESS (O) NOV 15 1979	10-26-79	Filed by Elliot B. Evers Request to change Name of Licensee to: HUGO COMMUNICATIONS, INC.	GRANTED	11/16/79

Form BC-121

May 1, 80

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Call
Letters **W Y E R-FM**Name **HUGO COMMUNICATIONS, INC.**
Mt. Carmel, Illinois

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMSCA-791226BL PRESS: (0)	JAN 31 1980	Modification of Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a subcarrier frequency of 67 kHz. Atty: Jason L. Shrinsky	GRANTED	4-10-80
BLH-790820AD PRESS	FEB 14 1980	License to cover (BPH-790504AH, as mod.) for changes. Atty: Elliot B. Evers	GRANTED	2-29-80

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 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 radio station history.

