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June 1984

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 2-24-71

Call letters WMEZ (EFF: 7-4-72)
XMEZ-FM

Station location Pensacola, Florida

Name of licensee WMEZ FM, INC. (AL 12-19-78 EFF: 1-1-79)
* FREDERIC T.C. BREWER (AL-6-14-65: EFF: 7-1-65)
* NELLO TONE, INC.

Transmitter location Pace & Lolita St., Pensacola, Florida (CP gr. 1-24-78)
x3101 "R" Street, Pensacola, Florida (BPH 6-3-69)
X 3103
3101 "R" Street, Pensacola, Florida

Town and Country Plaza, Pensacola, Florida (BRCH 7-1-66)
X 2400 West Hayes Street, Pensacola, Florida (BRCH 7-26-65)

Zip 32505
Main studio location X 3103
3101 "R" Street, Pensacola, Florida

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Channel Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH-2935 HAAT: 410'	6-23-60	94.1mcs. Ch. 231	2.45kw. TPO: 1 kw.	Unl.	6-23-60 2-23-61
Construction permit for a new FM Broadcast Station.					
BRSCA-234 (41&67kcs.)	9-14-60	Subsidiary Communications Authority on Multiplex Basis to			(see auth.)
BLH-1714 HAAT: 410 ft.	2-24-61	94.1mcs	2.5kw TPO: 1kw	U	2-24-61 2-1-64
Lic. to cover up (BPH-2935) which auth. a new FM Broadcast station					
BTC-4215 EFF:	3-28-63 5-1-63	Voluntary relinquishment of positive control of licensee corporation by Earl D. Hutt thru sale of unissued stock by licensee to L. T. France and Louis Nacsa, Jr.			
BRH-1132	1-24-64	Renewal of License			2-1 2-1-67
BRSCA-234	1-24-64	Subsidiary Communications Authorization on Multiplex Basis to			2-1-67
BALH-787 & BASCA-191	6-14-65	Voluntary assignment of license & SCA to FREDERIC T.C. BREWER			
EFF:	7-1-65**				
BRCH-629 HAAT: 410'	7-26-65	94.1mcs	2.5kw TPO: 1kw	U	7-26 2-1-67
Mod. of license to change studio location to 2400 West Hayes Street, Pensacola, Florida and operate transmitter by remote control from studios.					
BRCH-728 (1)	7-1-66	Mod. of license to change studio loc. and remote control point to Town and Country Plaza, Pensacola, Florida.			
BRH-1132 BRSCA-234	1-13-67	94.1mcs	2.5kw	Unl.	2-1 2-1-70
Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a multiplex basis of 67 kcs.					
BRCH-871 (1)	4-1-68	Mod. from 21 West Belmont St., Pensacola, Florida (SECOND REMOTE CONTROL POINT), By Employees of the Station only.			
REMOTE CONTROL POINT.					

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters W.P.E. X-FM

Station location

Name of licensee FREDERIC T. C. BREWER (BPH 6-3-69)

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BPH-6552 HAAT: 3205(H&V)	6-3-69	94.1mc Ch.231 CP to install new trans and new ant	ERP: 100kw(H) 56 kw(V) TPO: 20 kw		8-3 2-3-70
BRH-1132(S) BRSCA-234	5-7-70	RENEWAL & NDEA RENEWAL of SCA			2-1-73
BLH-4601 Ltr. EBSA	5-12-70 12-16-70 5-25-72	Lic.(BPH-6552) for changes. Trans: Gates FM-20H2			2-1-73
BRH-1132(L) BRSCA-234	1-31-73	Renewal of License and SCA			2-1-76
BRH-1132(S)	2-26-76	RENEWAL OF LICENSE and SCA			2-1-79
LTR.	9-9-77	TRANS: McMARTIN BF-25K FM now installed			
BPH-10839 HAAT: 320' (L)	1-24-78 (H&V)	94.1mhz. ERP:100kw(h) U #231 (RC) 56kw (v) CP chg TL; mkechg ant sys (decr hght)			1-24-79
BAPLH781130EC	12-19-78	VOL. AL,CP & SCA EFF:			
BLH-781006AC (L)	7-30-79	Lic. (BPH-10839) for chgs.			2-1-82
BRH 781002H6 v (L)	1-23-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			2-1-82

Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters ~~new~~ WPEX-FMName MELLO-TONE, INC.Station location - Pensacola, Fla.

(P.O. - Earl D. Hutto (pres), 703 S. Madison Drive, Pensacola, Fla)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-2935 Rec'd Filed	3-9-60 3-11-60 3-11-60	Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 94.1mc CH 231 ERP - 2.46kw Type transmitter - GATES FM 1B Type antenna - ANDREW 1304 (4 section) HAAT 416 ft Trans. location - 3101 N "R" Street Pensacola, Florida Studio location - Same as transmitter Engr. - L.J.N. du Treil & Assoc. New Orleans, La. AMENDED to make changes in stockholders and stockholdings.	GRANTED ERP: 2.45kw. HAAT: 410 feet.	6-23-60
AMENDMENT R & F	5-13-60 5-16-60			
BSCA-234 Rec'd Filed	3-9-60 3-11-60 3-11-60	Request for a new Subsidiary Communications authorization - 41kc and 67kc.	GRANTED	9-14-60

PHASE 1 REFUND ACTION

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Call
Letters WPEX-FM

Name **FREDERIC T.C. BREWER**
X MELLO-TONE, INC.
Pensacola, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-1714 R & F Program test 11-9-60	10-27-60 10-31-60	License to cover C.P. (BPH-2935) which authorized construction of a new FM Broadcast Station.	GRANTED	2-24-61
BTC-4215 R & F	2-4-63 2-5-63	Voluntary relinquishment of positive control of licensee corporation by Earl D. Hutte thru sale of unissued stock by licensee to L.T. France and Louis Nacsa, Jr.	GRANTED EFF:	3-28-63 5-1-63
BRH-1132 Rec'd Filed	10-30-63 11-1-63 11-1-63	Renewal of license (Main)	GRANTED	1-24-64
BRSCA-234 Rec'd Filed	11-25-63 11-27-63 11-27-63	Renewal of license (SCA)	GRANTED	1-24-64
BALH-767 BASCA-191 Rec'd Filed	5-3-65 5-5-65 5-7-65	Voluntary assignment of license and SCA to FREDERIC T. C. BREWER WASHINGTON, D. C.	GRANTED EFF:	6-14-65 7-1-65

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AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters **WPEX-FM**

Name **FREDERIC T. C. BREWER**
Pensacola, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCH-629 Rec'd Filed	7-14-65 7-16-65 7-16-65	Modification of license to change studio location to 2400 West Hayes Street, Pensacola, Florida and operate transmitter by remote control from studios.	GRANTED	7-26-65
BRCH-728 Rec'd Filed	6-22-66 6-27-66 6-27-66	Modification of license to change studio location and remote control point to Town and Country Plaza, Pensacola, Florida.	GRANTED	7-1-66
BRW1132 R & F ERSCA-234 Rec'd Filed	10-29-66 10-31-66 10-28-66 10-31-66 11-21-66	Renewal of license Renewal of SCA	GRANTED GRANTED	1-13-67 1-13-67
BRCH-871 Rec'd Filed #383723 \$30. APR 4 1968	10-5-67 10-9-67 3-22-68 10-9-67	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 21 West Belmont Street, Pensacola, Florida. SECOND REMOTE CONTROL POINT. (By Employees of the Station only).	GRANTED 10-17-67 res-Remote-Control-Point GRANTED	10-17-67 3-22-68 4-1-68 4-1-68

FORM BC-121
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

W M E Z
Call X WPEX-FM
Letters

FREDERIC T. O. BREWER

Name

Pensacola, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRSCA-234 R & F #553056 \$30. BRH-1132 R & F #553057 \$75. PN PRESS	10-28-69 11-4-69 11-4-69 11-1-69 11-4-69 11-4-69 11-4-69	Renewal of SCA Renewal of license Programming data filed 2-16-70.	GRANTED GRANTED	5-7-70 5-7-70
BLH-4601 R & F #553055 \$30. PTA	11-1-69 11-4-69 11-4-69 11-17-69	Lic. (BPH-6552) for changes.	GRANTED	5-12-70
BRH-1132 BRSCA-234 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	11-2-72 " 11-3-72 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA	Granted	1-31-73

Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters **W M E Z**Name **FREDERIC T. C. BREWER**
PENSACOLA, FLORIDA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-1132	9-29-75	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	2-26-76
BRSCA-234	"	RENEWAL OF SCA		
R & F	10-2-75	AMENDED 2-17-76 re: prog.		
PN Recd. PRESS	"			
	NOV 11 1975			
BPB-10839	11-10-77	CP chg TL to: Pace & Lolita St., Pensacola, Fla; mke chgs in Antenna system (decr hght)	ACCEPTED & GRANTED	1-24-78
R & F PRESS	11-16-77	30° 27' 18" - 87° 14' 22"		
	DEC 7 1977	Atty--- Engr. F.T.C. Brewer		

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Form BC-121
May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

94.1mhz.

Call
Letters WMEZ

Name WMEZ FM, INC.
x Frederic T. C. Brewer
Pensacola, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-781002H6 PRESS DEC 4	1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty - ----	GRANTED	1-23-79
BAPLH781130EC Form 316 PRESS DEC 14 1978	11-14-78	Vol. AL and CF (BPH-10839 - chge TL, etc.) and SCA to WMEZ FM, INC. Atty -----	GRANTED EFF:	12-19-78
BLH-781006AC PTA: PRESS: MAY 8 1979	12-19-78	License to cover (BPH-10839) FOR CHANGES Atty: -----	Gr.	7-30-79
302 PTA 12/19/78				

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.

