

KEAM



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CATALOG NO. 4550L 1/5

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 2-20-49

K E A M 6-1-79

xK Y K R (EFF 10-1-74)

Call letters xK C A W

NEDERLAND, TEXAS (ML2/28/80)

Station location Port Arthur, Texas

K E COMMUNICATIONS, INC. (AL: 11-13-79 EFF: 11-14-79)

xJAMES H. JOYNT TR/AS KYKR RADIO (AL gr 11/14/75 EFF:

Name of licensee xFELIX JOYNT AND JAMES JOYNT d/b as KWEN BROADCASTING COMPANY

6 mi. S. of Vidor on Church House Road, near Vidor, Texas

X On Church House Rd., 6 mi. S. of Vidor, Texas (CP 3-24-78)

0.7 mi. NW of 39th St., on Hwy 347, Port Arthur, Texas (BL 2-20-69)

Transmitter location x3 mi. NW of 16th St., on U.S. Hwy. 69, Port Arthur, Texas (BP 7-31-68)

117 Nederland Avenue, Nederland, Texas

x405 South Memorial Blvd., Nederland, Texas (BRC-8-14-76)

x405 S. Memorial Blvd., Nederland, Texas (redescription)

x420 Memorial Blvd., Nederland, Texas (ML 12-22-76)

x redes-3333 - 25th Street, Port Arthur, Texas (BL 2-20-69)

Main studio location Same as transmitter (BP-7-31-68)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

| Appl. No. | Date Issued | Freq. | Power | Time Div. | Period From- To |
|--|----------------|--|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------------|
| BP-13627 | 7-31-68 | 1510kc | 1kw | Day | 3-31-69 |
| CP for a new standard broadcast station (Cond'1) | | | | | |
| BP-13627(1) | 11-7-68 | Call letters assigned. | | | |
| MP-12567(2) | 11-21-68 | MP(BP-13,627) to chg. ant-trans. & studio loc. operate by remote control, & Chg. type trans. | | | |
| SL-12,272(1) (Cond'1) | 2-20-69 | Lic. (BP-13,627 as mod.) for new sta. 8-1-71 | | | |
| PSA | 1-10-69 | 500w | (Protected station W L A C) | | |
| BS-4746(1) | 11-21-69 | Mod. of lic. to show the correct sunrise and sunset times. (Memo). | | | |
| BR-4746(L) | 8-24-71 | Renewal | | | 8-1-74 |
| EBSA | 6-12-72 | | | | |
| WIRE | 10-1-74 | ML to change call letters | | | |
| BR-4746(L) | 9-15-75 | RENEWAL | | | 8-1-77 |
| BAL-8538 | 11/14/75 | AL EFF: | | | |
| BML-2613(L) | 12-22-76 | ML chg. SL & RC outside city. 8-1-77 1510khz 1kw Day | | | |
| BP-20363 | 3-24-78 | 1510khz | 5kw | DA Day | 3-24-78 |
| CP increase power, install DA, Ch. TL & trans. DELETE(RC) | | | | | |
| BRC-4024 (1) | 8-14-78 | ML to chg. SL/RC | | | |
| BMP-14,623 (1) | 8-14-78 | (BP-20363) MP/ to chg. SL & operate by RC | | | |
| EBSA | 6-1-79 | Chg. call | | | |
| BAL791026FC | 11-13-79 | VOL. AL | | | EFF: |
| BR-4746(L) | 11-14-79 | Renewal Of License and Lic. to cover BP-20363 for changes 8-1-80 | | | |
| BL-790205AB | | | | | |

BC-126
June 1975

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters KEAM

Station location

Name of licensee KE COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

| Appl. No. | Date Issued | Freq. | Power | Time Div. | Period From.. To |
|---------------------|----------------|--|-------------|--------------|---------------------|
| BML-791109AE (L) | 2-28-80 | 1510kHz | 5kw DAY | | 8-1-80 |
| | | ML to chg. station location to Nederland, Texas | | | |
| BR800401XH (S) | 7-18-80 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE | | | 8-1-83 |
| BP800227AH (L) | 12-9-80 | 1510khz | -- 10kw DAY | | 12-9-81 |
| | | CP to increase day power. | | | |

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

AUG 1955

Call **KCAW**Letters **NEW**Name **FELIX JOYNT AND JAMES JOYNT d/b as****KWEN BROADCASTING COMPANY****(P.O. Felix S. Joynt, 3119 - 16th St., Port Arthur, Texas)**

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
|-----------------------------|----------|---|--|---------|
| | | | Nature | Date |
| BP-13,627 Rec'd Filed | 10-26-59 | Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 1510kc Power - 1kw Hours of operation - Daytime Trans. location - 3 mi. Northwest of 16th St. on U.S. Hwy. 69, Port Arthur, Texas Studio location - Same as transmitter Atty.- Eugene L. Burke Engr.- Merle Saxon, Lufkin, Texas | GRANTED | 7-31-68 |
| | 10-27-59 | | Condl.re accept inter. from KROB, EXKW. Submit proof field strength 1 mi.approx 180mv/m/kw | |
| | 10-27-59 | | After Hearing Docket No. 14597 Order Issued. | |
| AMENDMENT R & F | 10-26-60 | AMENDED to make changes in antenna (decr. hght and top-load); changes in ground system. | | |
| | 10-28-60 | | | |

Gates BC 1T

AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1510kc

Call ~~Unassigned~~
 Letters ~~new~~ **K C A W**

Name Pelix Joynt and James Joynt d/b as KWEN Broadcasting Company
Port Arthur, Texas

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
|--------------|----------|--|---------------------|-----------|
| | | | Nature | Date |
| BMP- 12,567 | 9-20-68 | Mod. of CBPP-13,627 | Returned | 10-10-68 |
| Pec'd | 9-26-68 | to change antenna-trans loc to 0.7 mi. NW | incomplete | never |
| #461445 \$30 | 9-26-68 | of 39th St. on State Hwy 347, Port Arthur, | | |
| Resub | 10-14-68 | Texas, change studio loc to Stadium Shopping | GRANTED | 11-21-68 |
| R.&F | 10-15-68 | Center at intersec. of Gulfway Drive & | Affirmed | 2-5-69 by |
| NOV 15 1968 | | Thomas Jefferson Drive, Port Arthur, Texas (PC) | Comm. Memo. Opinion | |
| | | atty-Prince & Paul (Transmitter Gates PC-1G) | and Order. | |
| | | enrg-Merl Saxon, Lufkin, Texas | | |
| | | (Req. waiver of Sect. 1.571 and 73.37 of Rules) | | |
| 11-29-68. | | PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed by Bechtel & Fishman (Arent, Fox) behalf | | |
| | | Woodland Broadcasting Co. | | |
| 11-29-68. | | MOTION FOR STAY AND IMMEDIATE TEMPORARY RELIEF filed by Bechtel & Fishman | | |
| | | (Arent, Fox) behalf Woodland Broadcasting Co. | | |
| --- | | OPPOSITION TO MOTION FOR STAY AND IMMEDIATE TEMPORARY RELIEF filed 12-5-68 by | | |
| | | Ray Paul on behalf of KWEN Broadcasting Company. | | |
| -- | | SUPPLEMENT TO OPPOSITION TO MOTION FOR STAY AND IMMEDIATE TEMPORARY RELIEF filed 12-9-68 | | |
| | | Burke on behalf of KWEN Broadcasting Company. | | |

OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 12-23-68 by Prince & Paul on behalf of
KWEN Broadcasting Company.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE REPLY filed 12-27-68 by Harry M. Plotkin on behalf of
Woodland Broadcasting Co.

REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 1-9-69 by Plotkin, Bechtel &
Fisgan on behalf of Woodland Broadcasting Co.

Petition DENIED by Commission Memo. Opinion and Order adopted 2-5-69.

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1510kc

Call
Letters K C A W

Name FELIX JOYNT AND JAMES JOYNT d/b as KWEN BROADCASTING COMPANY
Port Arthur, Texas

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
|---|--|---|---|---------|
| | | | Nature | Date |
| BL-12,272 R & F #480184 \$30 PT FEB 18 1969 | 12/26/68 12/27/68 12/27/68 1/9/69 | License (BP-13,627 as mod.) for new b/c station. Engr: Merl Saxon Atty: Ray E. Paul | GRANTED (Special Cond. Woodland B/C Co. v. FCC Case No 22264 & KROF & KXKW | 2-20-69 |
| BR-4746 R & F PN Press MAY 13 1971 | 4-12-71 5-3-71 5-3-71 | Renewal of License Atty- Prince & Paul AMENDED 7-27-71 re: financial & programming data | GRANTED | 8-24-71 |
| BR-4746 R & F P.N. PRESS 14 MAY 1975 | 4/18/74 5/3/74 5/3/74 | Renewal of License Atty - Ray R. Paul AMENDED 9/10/75 re: comp. of area & EEO | GRANTED | 9/15/75 |

DUP #4 card missing

Form BC-121

May 1976

#4

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters K Y K R

Name AMES H. JOYNT tr/as KYKR Radio
Port Arthur, Texas

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
|--------------|----------|--|---|-----------------|
| | | | Nature | Date |
| BP-20,363 | 5-14-76 | CP to inc. power to 5kw, install DA, chg. ant. trans. loc. to: 6 mi. S. of Vidor on Church House Rd., Port Arthur, Texas. Trans. Collins 820-E1. (DELETE RC) | "Major Environmental Act. under Sec. 1.1305 of the rules" | GRANTED 3-24-78 |
| R & F | 5-27-76 | | | |
| DOCT 14 1977 | | | | |
| FN filed | 3-16-78 | Atty: Ray R. Paul Eng. Merl Saxon | | |
| | | Amended 10-7-77 re: Environmental information Sec. 1.1311 | | |
| Amend Rec'd | 11-28-77 | re: Engineering data | | |
| Amend R & F | 3-17-78 | re: Bal Sheet | | |

Form BC-121
May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters K Y K R

JAMES H. JOYNT tr/as

Name KYKR RADIO
PORT ARTHUR, TEXAS

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
|-----------------------------------|--|--|------------------------------------|---------|
| | | | Nature | Date |
| BR-4746 R & F P.N. PRESS | 3-18-77 4-1-77 4-1-77 MAY 5 1977 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty.-Ray R. Paul | GRANTED issued with BL-790205AB | 6-25-79 |
| BRC-4024 R & F PRESS: | 6-26-78 6-30-78 | Mod. of License to change Studio & Remote control location to: 405 South Memorial Blvd., Nederland, Texas (outside city limits) (MAIN & AUXILIARY) REQUEST WAIVER OF SECTION 73.210(a) OF COMMISSION RULES. Atty:---- | GRANTED | 8-14-78 |
| BMP-14,623 R & F PRESS: | 6-26-78 6-30-78 JUL 21 1978 | MP (BP-20363) to chg. Studio location to: 405 S. Memorial Blvd., Nederland, Texas & operate Trans. by Remote control from the proposed studio site. (outside city limits) REQUEST WAIVER OF SECTION 73.210(a) OF COMMISSION RULES. Atty:----- | GRANTED | 8-14-78 |

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1510khz
Call K E A M
Letters X K Y K R

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K E COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Name x JAMES H. JOYNT, Jr./as. KYKR RADIO
Port Arthur, Texas

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---|-------------------|-------------------------|
| | | | Nature | Date |
| BL-790205AB R & F PTA PRESS | 2-5-79 2-9-79 MAR 2 1979 | Lic. to cover BP-20,363 as mod. for changes Atty: Mark S. Fowler(Fowler & Meyers, P.C.) | GRANTED issued | 9-24-79 with RENEWAL |
| BAL791026FC Form 316 PRESS | 10-28-79 | Vol. AL to K E COMMUNICATIONS, INC. Atty - Mark S. Fowler (Fowler & Meyers, P.C.) | GRANTED EFF: | 11-13-79 11-14-79 |
| BML791109AE ACCEPTED FEB 28 '79 | CUT OFF FEB 14 '80 12-3-79 | Mod of license to chg station location from Port Arthur, Texas to Nederland, Texas CONTINGENT UPON GRANT OF BAL-791026FC public notice filed | GRANTED | 2-28-80 |
| BP-800227AH (C) | | CP incr power to 10KW chg-station-loc. CONTINGENT UPON GRANT OF BML-791109AE ATTY: Mark Fowler (OVER) | GRANTED Con'd | 12-9-80 |

BP-800227AH

MAJOR ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION UNDER SECTION 1.1305

9-25-80

Public Notice

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: K E A M

Name: KE COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Nederland, Texas

Station Location: ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ Port Arthur, Texas

| File No. | Date | Description | Action and Date |
|--|------|--|-----------------|
| BR800401XH PRESS APR 29 1980 | | Renewal of License Atty.: Mark S. Fowler AMENDED 6-13-80 re: programming | GRANTED 7-18-80 |
| BAPL810211ED Form 314 PRESS MAR 16 1981 | | Vol AL and CP(BP800227AH-inc. power) to AOC Broadcasting Corporation Atty for assignor David Meyers Atty for assignee Howard J. Braun | EFF: 7-1-81 |

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amended 4-22-81 re: Supplement Lab. 6 Attachment C
by submission of the annexed executed Certification.

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.

