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Form BC 126  
June 1954

#2400

FREQUENCY MODULATION

# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 9-15-69

Call letters WFXE (11-21-77)  
XWWRH

Station location Columbus, Georgia

ASSOCIATED FM BROADCASTING, INC. (AL: 3-16-79 EFF: 3-30-79)

\* KANMAN ENTERPRISES, INC. (ALH 6-13-74 EFF: 6-26-74)

\* ASSOCIATED FM BROADCASTING, INC. (AL 4-5-71 EFF: 5-1-71)

Name of licensee X WOKS BROADCASTING COMPANY

11th Ave. & 7th Pl., Phenix City, Alabama (PH-10-3-80)

x Idle Hour Park, Phenix City, Alabama (PH 10-16-74)

xxx1115 - 14th Street, Columbus, Georgia (PH-1-27-72)

Transmitter location X Q. 75 mi. S. of Girard on Brickyard Rd., Phenix City, Alabama (PH-4-20-67)

1115 14th Street, Columbus, Georgia (PH-10-3-80)

x 1230 Second Ave., Columbus, Georgia (SH-3-13-78)

X Same as transmitter

X Suite 256, Martin Bldg., 1328 Broadway, Downtown, Columbus, Ga. (BRCH 3-24-69)

X Same as Transmitter

Main studio location

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To.
BPH-5694, HAAT: 54 (h&v) cond'1	4-20-67	104.9mc. ch# 285	ERP: 3kw(h&v) U TPO: 3.8kw		6-20-67 12-20-67
CP for a new Class A FM broadcast station.					
BPH-5694 (1)	7-6-67	Mod. of CP(BPH-5694) to assign call letters WWRH.			
BMPH-9720 (2)	12-5-67	Mod. of CP(BPH-5694) for extension of completion date to 6-20-68.			
BMPH-9970 (3)	6-14-68	MP(BPH-5694 as mod) ext. time to 12-20-68			
BMPH-10,405 BMPH-10,450 (4)	1-23-69	MP(BPH-5694 as mod.) ext. time to 6-20-69 and chg. type trans(CCA-FM-3000D); chg. TPO 2.25kws; and HAAT 49 ft. (h&v); antenna(CCA FMA-6811/CCA-3, 3 sect)			
BTC-5835	1-31-69	Invol. TC			
BRCH-921(5)	3-24-69	Operate RC.			
BTC-5887	4-3-69	Vol. TC			
BLH-4259(L)	9-15-69	Lic.(BPH-5694) new FM sta.			
BRH-2400(S)	5-7-70	RENEWAL			
BALH-1477	4-5-71	VOL. AL EFF: 5-1-71			
<del>XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX</del> Comtel	2-14-72	Temp. auth. oper. BPH-7710 to 3-8-72.			
BPH-7710(L) HAAT: 21'(H&V)	1-27-72	104.9mc#285 ERP: 3kw(H&V) 1-27-73 CP chg. TL & SL, new trans., ant., Chg: TPO, HAAT. (RC)			
BLH-5407(L) HAAT: 21'(H&V) EBSA	4-18-72 5-25-72	Lic.(BPH-7710) for changes 4-1-73 104.9mc ERP: 3kw(H&V) TPO: 2.15kw			
BRH-2400(S)	3-30-73	RENEWAL			
BALH-1935	6-13-74	VOL. ALH EFF: 6-26-74			
BPH-9181 HAAT: 165ft(H&V)	10-16-74	104.9mhz ERP: 3kw(H&V) 10-16-75 CP chg T&SL, install new ant, chg TPO ERP, and HAAT. chg ant sys (incr hght			
BTC-7836	9-17-75	Vol rel of neg con EFF: 9/17/75			
BRH-2400(S)	11-30-76	Renewal			

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BC-126  
June 1975

## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters ..... W F X E

Station location .....

Name of licensee ..... SEE CARD #1 .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From: To
BSH-2400 (1)	3-13-78		chg SL		
BRCH-1374 (2)	6-20-78	ML to operate by RC.			
BLH-7105	1-25-79	Lic. (BPH-9181) for chg.			4-1-79
BALH790111EC	3-16-79	VOL. A1		EFF:	3-30-79
BRH 781201 Y G	3-15-79	(L) RBN. OF LIC.			4-1-82
BPH-800307AG HAAT: 290' (h&v) (L)	10-3-80	104.9mhz.	ERP: 2.5kW (h&v)	CP to chg TL&SL chg RC; incre. HAAT & chg. TPO.	10-3-81
BLH-810306AA HAAT: 290' (H&V) (L)	6-9-91	104.9mhz	ERP: 2.5 kW (H&V)	License to cover (BPH-800307AG) for changes.	4-1-82

FORM BC-121  
AUG. 1955

# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call WWRH  
Letters -New-FM-

Name WOKS BROADCASTING COMPANY  
COLUMBUS, GEORGIA (PO Box 1998, Columbus, Ga. 31902)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-5694 R & F	1-10-67 1-20-67	CP for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Freq.: 104.9mcs, Ch.#285 ERP: 3kw(H&V) Type trans.: Gates FM-5G TPO: 3.81kw Type ant.: Gates FMA-2/Electronics Research 300, 2 horizontal and 2 vertical sections HAAT: 53.5 feet Trans. loc.: 0.75 mi. S. of Girard on Brickyard Rd., Phenix City, Alabama Studio loc.: Same as Trans. loc.  Samuel Miller, Atty. Paul K. Stewart, Engr.	GRANTED cond'l submit 302's for WOKS (AM).	4-20-67

CONTACT: B. K. Woodfin  
PHONE: Code 404; 323-6660  
ADDRESS: 256 Martin Bldg.  
Columbus, Georgia

FORM BC-121  
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters W.M.R.H.

Name WOKS BROADCASTING COMPANY  
COLUMBUS, GEORGIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-9720 R & F	11-13-67 11-16-67	Mod. of CP(BPH-5694 which authorized a new FM b/c station) for extension of completion date from 12-20-67 to _____.	GRANTED to	12-5-67 6-20-68
BMPH-9970 R & F #418048 \$30 APR 12 1968	3-29-68 4-1-68 4-1-68	MP(BPH-5694 as mod.) ext. of time to _____  Atty - Samuel Miller(Mark E. Fields)	GRANTED to	6-14-68 12-20-68 No further extension absent substantial progress toward compl.
BMPH-10,405 R & F #4764+7 \$30 DEC 17 1968	12-4-68 12-6-68 12-6-68	MP(BPH-5694 as mod.) ext. time to _____ (NEW STATION).	GRANTED to	1-23-69 6-20-69 No further ext. contemplated.
BMPH-10,450 R & F #477640 \$30 JAN 15 1969	12-10-68 12-11-68 12-11-68	MP(BPH-5694 as mod.) chg. trans(CCA-FM-3000D) install circular polarized ant(CCA-FMA-6811/CCA-3, 3 sects); chg. TPO: 2.26kw; and HAAT 48.5 feet Atty - Samuel Miller Engr: Ray, Rohrer F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.	GRANTED	1-23-69

FORM BC-121 #3  
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call  
Letters WWRH

Name WOKS BROADCASTING COMPANY  
Columbus, Georgia

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC -5835 R & F FORM 316 (See WOKS for fee pd)	12-23-68 12-27-68 JAN 15 1969	Involuntary transfer of <sup>negative</sup> control of permittee corp. from Joseph Ray to Marjorie S. Ray, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Joseph Ray, Deceased  Atty - Samuel Miller	GRANTED	1-31-69
BTC -5887 R & F FEE PD: \$30 (FORM 316 - also see WOKS) MAR 13 1969	2-27-69 3-8-69 #496314	Vol. relinquishment of negative control of permittee corp. by each, Milton Hirsch and Marjorie Ray, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Joseph Ray, Deceased, thru sale of stock to B. K. Woodfin  Atty - Samuel Miller	GRANTED  Eff:	4-3-69  4-24-69

FORM BC-121  
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

104.9mc

Call Letters WWRH

ASSOCIATED FM BROADCASTING, INC.

Name WOKS BROADCASTING COMPANY  
Columbus, Georgia

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCH-921 R & F MAR 24 1969	2-28-69 3-4-69	MP(BPH-5694) to change studio location to Suite 256, Martin Bldg., 1328 Broadway, Downtown, Columbus, Georgia and operate transmitter by remote control from studio location.	GRANTED	3-24-69
BLH-4459 R & F #522041 \$30 PT SEP 4 1969	6/19/69 6/20/69 6/20/69 6/30/69	License (BPH-5694) new FM b/c station.  Atty: Samuel Miller	GRANTED	9-15-69
BRH-2400 R & F #567020 \$75. P.N.	12-11-69 1-2-70 1-2-70 1-2-70	Renewal of license Atty.: Mark E. Fields	GRANTED	5-7-70
BRH-1477 R & F FEE PD: \$250 #668009 CODE 054 (Form 316) MAR 5 1971	2-23-71 2-25-71	Voluntary assignment of license to ASSOCIATED FM BROADCASTING, INC. Mutually contingent on grant of BTC-6512 Atty - Samuel Miller	GRANTED KFF:	4-5-71 5-1-71

PHASE 1 REFUND ACTION

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\$ 265.00

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D.A.V.

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters WRRH.....

Name ASSOCIATED FM BROADCASTING, INC.  
COLUMBUS, GEORGIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-7710 R & F #002729 \$50 Code 061 Press JAN 12 1972	12-15-71 12-17-71 12-17-71	CP chg. tran. and studio loc. to 1115 - 14th Street, Columbus, Georgia; install new trans (FM-3000DM); make chg. ant. system (decrease height); chg. TPO; HAAT: 21' (H&V). (32° 28' 22" - 84° 58' 41")  Atty: Samuel Miller Engr- Raymond E. Rohrer (Silver Spring, Md.)	GRANTED CCA-	1-27-72
BLH-5407 R & F #046083-\$50. PTA PRESS APR 11 1972	2-27-72 2-29-72 2-29-72 3-6-72	Lic. (BPH-7710) for changes. Transmitter: CCA, 3000DS. AC-068 Atty: Samuel Miller	GRANTED	4-18-72
BTC-7067 R & F FEE PD: \$1000 #146340 CODE 049 FEB 12 1973 Pub. notice filed 2-8-73	1-20-73 1-22-73	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from B. Ken Woodfin and Milton Hirsch to HERTZ BROADCASTING OF COLUMBUS, INC. (SEE OVER)  Atty - Dow, Lohnes & Albertson (for transferee) Samuel Miller (for transferor)	DISMISSED	8-20-73 Req. of atty (for transferors)

RE: BTC-7067 - Transferee is licensee of AM WOKS  
(legal qualif. on file)

AMENDED 6-29-73 - financial data(transferee)

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters WWRH

Name **KAMMAN ENTERPRISES, INC.**  
**ASSOCIATED FM BROADCASTING, INC.**  
**COLUMBUS, GEORGIA**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-2400 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	12-16-72 12-27-72 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	3-30-73
BADH-1935 R & F FEE PD: \$1000 #256503 CODE 049 DEC 19 1973 PUB. NOTICE FILED 1-4-74	11-15-73 11-28-73	Voluntary assignment of license to KAMMAN ENTERPRISES, INC.  Atty - Miller & Fields AMENDED 3-22-74 - ext. of time re contract AMENDED 4-9-74 - revised proj. bal. sheet; financial data; amended agreement & re programming AMENDED 5-6-74 re: Automated Programming.	GRANTED EFF:  GRANT FEE: \$ 5,000.00 050 PD 7-18-74 W 326284	6-13-74 6-26-74 cond' 1
BPH-9181 Rec'd #351511 \$50 Filed Press	9-27-74 10-2-74 10-3-74 10-8-74 OCT 10 1974	Construction permit to change transmitter and studio location to: Idle Hour Park, Phenix City, Alabama; install new ant. (CCA 6811, 3 sects. (H&V); make chg. ant. system (incr. hght.); chg. TPO; ERP: 2.5KW(H&V) and HAAT: 164' (H&V). (32° 29' 50" N. C. 85° 00' 20" W. WASHN. D.C.) Atty: Miller & Fields	GRANTED COND'L	10-16-74

302 - 7-12-75  
PTA-1-20-76 LTD TO 2-20-76

PTA ET 5-21-76

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters WWRH

Name KAMMAN ENTERPRISES, INC.  
Columbus, Georgia

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-7836 R & F FEE PD: \$250 #470947 CODE 047 (FORM 316) REFUND \$150 (overpayment) SEP 15 1975	8-21-75 8-29-75	Voluntary relinquishment of negative control of lic corp by Sidney Kaminsky & Judith Kaminsky (his wife), and Norman Goldman & Debra Goldman (his wife) thru sale of stock to Arthur C. Angell, Jr. (33 1/3%)  Atty - Miller & Schroeder (J. Kenkel)	GRANTED EFF: no gr fee req	9/17/75 9/17/75
BRH-2400 R & F PN Recd. PRESS JAN 12 1976	11-26-75 12-1-76 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE John B. Kenkel, Atty.  AMENDED 2-9-76 re: prog. AMENDED 8-30-76 re: financial data	GRANTED	11-30-76
BLH-7105 Rec'd Filed #474336 \$100 Code 001 PTA PRESS AUG 2 1976	9-12-75 9-12-75 9-12-75 9-15-75 1-20-76	Lic. (BPH-9181) for changes. TPO: 3 kw.	GRANTED	1-25-79

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

104.9mhz.

Call W P X E  
Letters W W R H

ASSOCIATED FM BROADCASTING, INC.

Name X KANMAN ENTERPRISES, INC.  
Columbus, Georgia

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-7105 (Con't. From Card #7) AMENDED AMENDED AMENDED	1-15-76 2-6-76 5-17-76	Partial Proof of Performance for WPNX (AM) Section 11-B, Paragraph 2 Engr. Data		
BRCH-1374 R & F PRESS: JUN 16 1978	5-19-78 5-31-78	Modification of License to operate transmitter by Remote control from the main studio location at: 1230 Second Avenue, Columbus Georgia  Atty: John B. Kenkel (Miller & Schroeder)	GRANTED	6-20-78
BALH 90111EC PRESS Form 314 PN FILED	JAN 20 1979 3-6-79	Vol AL to Associated FM Broadcasting, Inc.  Atty-Samuel Miller	GRANTED EFF:	3-16-79 3-30-80

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Amended 1-22-79 re: community survey

Form BC-121  
May 1976

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters WFXE-FMName ASSOCIATED FM BROADCASTING, INC.  
x KAMMAN ENTERPRISES, INC.  
COLUMBUS, GEORGIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH781201YG PRESS: FEB 7 1979	FEB 7 1979	RENEWAL OF LICENSE  Atty: John B. Kenkel	GRANTED	3-15-79
BPH800307AG PRESS (O)	MAY 5 1980	CP to chg. TL to: 11th Ave & 7th Pl., Phenix City, Alabama; chg. SL & RC to: 1115 14th Street, Columbus, Georgia; decre. ERP to: 2.5kw (H&V); incre. HAAT to: 290' (H&V) & chg. TPO.  32° 27' 37" 85° 00' 30"	GRANTED	10-3-80
BLH-810306AA PTA PRESS	MAR 20 1981	License to cover (BPH-800307AG) for changes.  Atty: --	GRANTED	6-9-81

## 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.

