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Patent No. 1390199

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

KWSH (Eff: 5-1-51)

Date first licensed 8-4-48

Call letters XKSMI

Location: Wewoka, Oklahoma

THE FIVE BELLS, INC. (AL 11-17-78 EFF:)

TRI-CITIES BROADCASTING CO., INC. (AL 12-27-51, Eff. 1-1-52)

xKADA BROADCASTING, INC. (AL 1-18-50; EFF: 1-22-50)

Name of licensee xTOM POTTER, tr/as SEMINOLE BROADCASTING COMPANY

On N side of Highway #270, 3 miles W of Wewoka, Oklahoma (BL-4-14-59)

xOn S side of Highway #270, 3 miles W of Wewoka, Oklahoma (CP 12-27-50) Lic.

Transmitter location x1 mile due north of business district, Seminole, Oklahoma (CP & MP 2-25-48)

(Lic. 8-4-48)

On N side of Highway #270, 3 miles W of Wewoka, Oklahoma (BL-4-14-59) Lic.

xOn S side of Highway #270, 3 miles W of Wewoka, Oklahoma (CP 12-27-50) Lic.

Main studio location x1 mile due north of business district, Seminole, Oklahoma (CP & MP 2-25-48)

(Lic. 8-4-48)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
Letter) BP-6086)	10-16-47	1260	500w	Day	Subj. filing MP
		approval T site and antenna			
		For a new broadcast station			
BP-6086	2-25-48	1260	500w	Daytime	4-25 10-25-48
BMP-3428	Mod. CP (6086)				for approval of antenna, T and
		studio sites.			
BL-3154	8-4-48	1260	500w	Daytime	8-4 11-1-48
	Lic. to cover CP (6086 as mod)				for a new station.
BR-2041	10-20-48	1260	500w	Daytime	11-1 11-1-51
BAL-953	1-18-50	Vol. assignment of lic. to KADA			
		Broadcasting, Inc.			
EFF:	1-22-50				
BP-7502	12-27-50	1260	1kw-DA	U	By 2-27-51
					8-27-51
	C.P. to increase power, chg. hours of operation, install				
	DA day and night, chg. T & S locations (Conds)				
Tele.	5-3-51	Auth. granted 30 days from 5-5-51 to			
		operate at T site specified in BP-7502 with 500w			
		power day only using 1 tower of new array.			
Tele.	5-4-51	Commencement date of auth. granted in			
		telegram 5-3-51 changed from 5-5-51 to 5-13-51.			
Telegram	6-8-51	Authority of 5-3-51 extended 30 days			
		from June 12, 1951			
Telegram	7-9-51	Above authority extended 30 days from			
		7-12-51			
BR-2041	10-10-51	1260	500w	Daytime	11-1 6-1-53
BL-4497	11-7-51	1260	1kw*	U	11-7 6-1-53
			*DA-2 (COND'L CLAUSE)		
	Lic. cover CP 7502 for incr. power, chg. hrs. oper.; DA-2 and				
	chg. T & S locations.				
BAL-1299	12-27-51	Vol. assignment of license to TRI-CITIES			
Eff.	1-1-52	BROADCASTING CO., INC.			
BR-2041	5-6-53	1260	1kw-DA-2	U	5-1 6-1-56
BR-2041	5-16-56	Renewal of license			6-1 6-1-59
BTC-2395	1-14-57	Involuntary transfer of control from			
EFF:	11-13-56	Dr. C.C. Morris, deceased to Billy T.			
		Hoover and Anderson Brown Morris, Co-			
		Administrators.			

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Station location Wewoka, Oklahoma

Name of licensee TRI-CITIES BROADCASTING CO., INC.

Transmitter location SEE CARD #1

Main studio location SEE CARD #1

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BTC-2887 Eff:	9-18-58 8-13-58	Involuntary transfer of control of licensee corp. from Billy T. Hoover and Anderson Brown Morris, Co-Administrators of the Estate of C.C. Morris, Deceased to Billy T. Hoover and Anderson Brown Morris, Co-Executors of the Estate of Stella Katherine Morris, Deceased.			
BP-11762	11-19-58	1260kc	1kw, DA-N	U	1-19 7-19-59
	CP to change from employing directional antenna night and day to directional antenna nighttime only (DA-2 to DA-N).				
EL-7357	4-14-59	1260kc	1 kw, DA-N	U	4-14 6-1-59
	License to cover CP BP-11,762) which authorized changing from employing directional antenna night and day to directional antenna nighttime only (DA-2 to DA-N				
BR-2041	5-6-59	Renewal of License			6-1 6-1-62
BTC-3151 Eff:	6-23-59 7-22-59	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Billy T. Hoover and Anderson Brown Morris, Co-Executors of the Estate of Stella Katherine Morris, Deceased to Anderson Brown Morris, Katherine Hoover and Virginia High.			
BTC-3367 Eff:	2-11-60 2-20-60	Voluntary acquisition of negative control of licensee corporation by each Bill Hoover and Katherine Hoover, Brown Morris and Mary K. Morris (Family group) thru purchase of stock from Virginia High and Donald L. High.			
BTC-3634 EFF:	1-5-61 1-13-61	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of licensee corporation by Bill Hoover and Katherine Hoover (A Family Group thru sale of stock by Brown Morris and Mary K. Morris to Tri-Cities Broadcasting Co., Inc.			
BR-2041	5-31-62	Renewal of license			6-1 6-1-65
BS-2041 (1)	9-18-62	Mod. of license to redescribe monitor point No. 3 in the direction of 142° true.			

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Station location Wewoka, Oklahoma

Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BR-2041	5-4-65	1260kc	1kw, DA-N	Unl.	6-1 6-1-68
BTC-4802	5-7-65	Involuntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from Mrs. Stella Katherine Hoover to Mrs. Virginia Clyde High, Guardian			
Eff:	6-15-65				
BTC-5164	9-20-66	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from Mrs. Virginia Clyde High, Guardian, to Mrs. Stella Katherine Hoover.			
EFF:	10-6-66				
TELEGRAM	10-17-67	PSA	500w		
BR-2041 (L)	5-28-68	Renewal of License & NDEA			6-1-71
BZ-6932(1)	9-13-68	Direct Meas.			
BR-2041(L)	9-16-71	RENEWAL & NDEA			6-1-74
Ltr.	-----	(operating specifications changed)			
EBSA	5-25-72				
BS-2041(L)	10-17-73	ML to use new Potomac Instruments AM-19 antenna monitor			6-1-74
TRANS. NOW GATES, BC-1H PER 2-25-74 RENEWAL APPLICATION					
BR-2041(L)	7-16-74	Renewal of License			6-1-77
Comlet	8-12-74	Ant Monitor: Potomac Inst. AM-19 (204)			
BR-2041(L)	8-26-77	Renewal			6-1-80
BAL780814EB	11-17-78	VOL.	AL	EFF:	
BR800204UH (L)	5-22-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			6-1-83

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name TOM POTTER tr/as SEMINOLE BROADCASTING COMPANY
(PO 1517 Commerce St., Dallas 1, Texas) temporary

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-6086	5-10-47	Construction Permit for a new standard broad-	Docket No. 8462	
Rec'd	5-14-47	cast station to be operated on:	GRANTED	10-16-47
Filed	5-14-47	Frequency: 1260kc	without a hearing, subj.	
		Power: 250w 500w	filing MP approval T	
		Hours of operation: Daytime only	site and antenna	
		Trans. location: To be determined-	Letter written 11-18-47	
		Seminole, Oklahoma		
		Studio location: Same	Issued with MP 3428	
AMENDED	8-19-47	AMENDED to change power from 250w to 500w and		
Recd.	8-22-47	change type transmitter (Collins 20-T)		
Filed	8-29-47			

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Transmitter- Collins 300-G

Ross Bohannon, Atty.
1517 Commerce St.,
Dallas 1, Texas

Guy Hutcheson, Engr.
1100 W. Abram St.,
Arlington, Texas

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Letters K S M IName TOM POTTER tr/as SEMINOLE BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-3428 Rec'd Filed	12-4-47 12-8-47 12-8-47	Mod. of C.P. (BP-6086, which authorized a new standard broadcast station), for approval of antenna, transmitter and studio locations at One mile due north of business district, Seminole, Oklahoma.	GRANTED	2-25-48
BL-3154 Rec'd Filed	5-10-48 5-12-48 5-12-48	License to cover C.P. (BP-6086, as mod.) which authorized a new standard broadcast station.	GRANTED	8-4-48
BR-2041 Rec'd	8-10-48 8-27-48	Renewal of License	GRANTED	10-20-48

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Name TOM POTTER tr/as SEMINOLE BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-953 Rec'd Filed	11-21-49 11-28-49 11-28-49	Voluntary assignment of license from Tom Potter tr/as Seminole Broadcasting Company to KADA Broadcasting, Inc. Russell Rowell, Atty. Lester H. Carr, Engr.	GRANTED EFF:	1-18-50 1-22-50
BP-7432 Rec'd Filed	11-28-49 11-28-49 11-28-49	Construction permit to increase power from 500w to 1kw, change hours of operation from daytime to unlimited, install DA for day and night use (DA-2) and change transmitter and studio location from 1 mile due north of business district of Seminole, Oklahoma to On South Side of Highway #270, 3 miles West of Wewoka, Oklahoma. (Contingent on grant of BAL-953) Russell Rowell, Atty. Jules Cohen, Engr.	Dismissed	12-14-49 under Sec. 1.387 of the Rules

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Letters K S M IName KADA BROADCASTING, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-7502	1-25-50	Construction permit to increase power from 500w to 1kw, change hours of operation from daytime to unlimited, install DA for day and night use (DA-2) and change transmitter and studio location from 1 mile due north of business district of Seminole, Oklahoma to On South Side of Highway #270, 3 miles West of Wewoka, Oklahoma.	GRANTED	12-27-50
Rec'd	1-26-50		re properly designed phase monitor installed; field meas. equip. available & record kept; complete non-DA in addition to DA proof to be submitted; acceptance interference which might be received from proposed application BP-7737	
Filed	1-26-50			
AMENDED	9-30-50	Russell Rowell, Atty. AMENDED to make changes in directional antenna.		
Rec'd	10-3-50			
Filed	10-13-50			
AMENDED	11-21-50	AMENDED to make change in nighttime directional antenna pattern.		
Rec'd	11-27-50			
Filed	11-27-50			

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FORM A-170

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

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Name K A D A BROADCASTING, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-4497 Rec'd. Filed	7-14-51 7-19-51 7-19-51	License to cover construction permit (BP-7502), which authorized increase in power, change hours of operation, installation of directional antenna for day and night use (DA-2) and change transmitter and studio location. Russell Rowell, Atty. Jules Cohen, Engr.	Granted Cond'l re phase monitor; field meas. equip.; and accept. interf. from P-7737 if granted	11-7-51
BR-2041 Rec'd	7-24-51 7-30-51	Renewal of license	Granted	10-10-51

FORM A-170

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 Name X K A D A BROADCASTING, INC. (AL 12-27-51, Eff. 1-1-52)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BML-1487 Rec'd Filed	10-16-51 10-18-51 10-18-51	Modification of license to change station location from Wewoka, Oklahoma to Wewoka-Seminole, Oklahoma, with studios located at On South Side Hwy. #270, 3 mi. West of Wewoka, Oklahoma and Grisso Hotel, Seminole, Oklahoma. Russell Rowell, Atty. Wilson C. Wearn, Engr.	Docket No. 10100 DISMISSED 2-25-52 without prejudice, Request of Applicant ORDER ISSUED	
BAL-1299 Rec'd Filed	12-1-51 12-7-51 12-7-51	Voluntary assignment of license to Tri-Cities Broadcasting Co., Inc. Russell Rowell, Atty.	GRANTED Eff.	12-27-51 1-1-52
BR-2041 Rec'd Filed	2-27-53 3-2-53 3-2-53	Renewal of License	Granted	5-6-53

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Name **TRI-CITIES BROADCASTING CO., INC.**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2041 Rec'd Filed	2-27-56 3-9-56 3-9-56	Renewal of License Russell Rowell, Atty.	GRANTED	5-16-56
BTC-2395 Rec'd Filed	12-27-56 12-31-56 12-31-56	Involuntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Dr. C. C. Morris, deceased to Billy T. Hoover and Anderson Brown Morris, Co-Administrators	GRANTED EFF:	1-14-57 11-13-56
BP-11,762 Rec'd Filed	12-11-57 12-20-57 12-20-57	Construction permit to change from employing directional antenna night and day to directional antenna nighttime only (DA-2 to DA-N). Atty. - Spearman & Roberson Engr. - Vandivere, Cohen & Wearn	GRANTED	11-19-58

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-2841 Rec'd Filed	7-9-58 7-14-58 7-14-58	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Billy T. Hoover and Anderson Brown Morris, Co-Administrators of the Estate of C. C. Morris, Deceased to Stella Anderson Morris.	DISMISSED	8-5-58 per applicant request
BTC-2387 Rec'd Filed	8-20-58 8-29-58 8-29-58	Involuntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Billy T. Hoover and Anderson Brown Morris, Co-Administrators of Estate of C. C. Morris, deceased to Billy T. Hoover and Anderson Brown Morris, Co-Executors of the Estate of Stella Katherine Morris, Deceased Spezerman & Roberson, Attys.	GRANTED EFF:	9-18-58 9-13-58

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-7357 Rec'd Filed	12-18-58 12-19-58 12-19-58	License to cover construction permit (BP-11,762) which authorized changing from employing directional antenna night and day to directional antenna nighttime only (DA-2 to DA-N).	GRANTED	4-14-59
ER-2041 Rec'd & Filed	2-27-59 3-2-59	Renewal of license	GRANTED	5-6-59
BTC-3151 Rec'd. Filed	6-12-59 6-15-59 6-15-59	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Billy T. Hoover and Anderson Brown Morris, Co-Executors of the Estate of Stella Katherine Morris, Deceased to Anderson Brown Morris, Katherine Hoover and Virginia High.	GRANTED Eff:	6-23-59 7-22-59

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Letters K W S HName TRI-CITIES BROADCASTING CO., INC.
Wewoka, Oklahoma

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-3367	1-30-60	Voluntary acquisition of negative control of licensee corporation by <u>each</u> Bill Hoover and Katherine Hoover, Brown Morris and Mary K. Morris (A Family group) thru purchase of stock from Virginia High and Donald L. High. Russell Rowell, Atty.	GRANTED	2-11-60
Rec'd	2-2-60		EFF:	2-20-60
Filed	2-2-60			
BTC-3634	11-18-60	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of licensee corporation by Bill Hoover and Katherine Hoover (A Family Group) thru sale of stock by Brown Morris and Mary K. Morris to <u>Tri-Cities Broadcasting Co., Inc.</u>	GRANTED	1-5-61
Rec'd	12-16-60		EFF:	1-13-61
Filed	12-16-60			
BR-2041	2-22-62	Renewal of License	GRANTED	5-31-62
Rec'd&Filed	3-5-62			
BR-2041	2/25/65	Renewal of license	GRANTED	5-4-65
R & F	3/1/65			
BTC-1802	4-19-65	Involuntary transfer of control of licensee corp. from Mrs. Stella Katherine Hoover to Mrs. Virginia Clyde High, Guardian Atty. - Russell Rowell	GRANTED	5-7-65 Eff; 6-15-65
R & F	4-21-65			

FORM BC-121 #11
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name TRI-CITIES BROADCASTING CO., INC.
Wewoka, Oklahoma

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-5164 R & F (Form 316)	8-10-66 8-19-66	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from Mrs. Virginia Clyde High, Guardian, to Mrs. Stella Katherine Hoover Atty - Russell Rowell (Fletcher, Heald etc)	GRANTED EFF:	9-20-66 10-6-66
BR-2041 R & F MAR 15 1968	2-23-68 2-28-68	Renewal of License	GRANTED	5-28-68
BZ-6932 R & F #384417 \$30 REFUNDED \$30 DM SEP 4 1968	10/18/67 10/20/67 10/20/67 9/3/68 8/12/68	Direct Meas. Atty: Russell Rowell Engr: W. H. Bradley, Sand Springs, Okla.	GRANTED	9-13-68

Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters K W S HName TRI-CITIES BROADCASTING CO., INC.
Wevoka, Oklahoma

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2041 R & F P.N. PRESS MAR 11 1971	2-25-71 3-1-71 3-1-71	Renewal of License AMENDED 4-12-71 re: commercial matter	GRANTED	9-16-71
The Commission by letter of 7-3-73 notified station of apparent liability of \$500 for violations.				
BR-2041 R & F PN PRESS	2-23-74 2-25-74 2-25-74 1 - MAR 1974	Renewal of License AMENDED 5-21-74 re: ascertainment of comm. needs AMENDED 6-25-74 re: commercial policy	GRANTED	7-16-74
BR-2041 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	1-12-77 1-14-77 " MAR 4 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 4-19-77 re: engineering AMENDED 5-9-77 re: programming AMENDED 5-20-77 re: programming	GRANTED	8-26-77

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name THE FIVE BELLS, INC.
xTri-Cities Broadcasting Co., Inc.
Wewoka, Oklahoma

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL 780814EB R & F FORM 3114 SEP 1 1978 PN FILED	8-10-78 8-14-78 10-24-78	Vol AL to THE FIVE BELLS, INC. (SEE OVER)	GRANTED EFF	11-17-78
BR800204UH PRESS FEB 21 1980		Renewal of License AMENDED 5-9-80 re: commercial matter	GRANTED	5-22-80

RE: BAL EB - NOTED: Table I incom re home addresses;
discrep re stock Par 9a, Sec. II & Table I; Par 17 incorrect
(re B/C int) see Table II

AMENDED 10-24-78 re: Programming data; financial data;
ascertainment data

AMENDED 11-7-78 re: personal financial sheets, re resig-
of Terry Bell from KAAM; financial data; delete Jerry
Spencer ad drctr

K S M I - - RECORD OF DENIAL OF INFORMAL APPLICATIONS

Tele. 6-29-50. To remain on air evening of 7-4-50 to
broadcast election returns.

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.

