KWIQ



REMOVABLE LABEL GUIDE

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Patent No. 1390199

Date first licensed 3-22-56

Call letters KWIQ
Station Location: Moses Lake, Washington

K W I Q RADIO, INC., (AL 4-26-61; EFF: 6-6-61 **CASCADE BROADCASTING COMPANY, (AL 12-9-59, EFF: 1-1-60) **CENTRAL BASIN BROADCASTING CORPORATION (AL 12-14-56; EFF: 1-1-57) Name of licensee ROBERT S. McCAW tr/as CENTRAL BASIN BROADCASTING CO.

> On Road 1 NE, 2.5 mi. SE of Moses Lake, Washington (BP 5-10-66) (Lic. 3-22-56) Washington (MP 2-10-56)

x 2760' south of intersection of County Road & U.S. Hwy, #10, Moses wake x Intersection Nelson Road and U.S. Highway 10, Moses Lake, Wash. (11-2-35 Transmitter location Broadway Avenue near Corner Fig Street, Moses Lake, Washington (CP 6-8-55)

Corner U.S. Hwy. #10 & County Road, Moses Lake, Washington (BRC-7-7-61) x Droadway Building, 815 West Broadway, Moses Lake, Mashington (Ltr. 11-14-60) x Corner U.S. highway #10 and County Road (ERC-1127)

* West 115 Third Ave., Moses Lake, Washington (RC 2-28-56)(Lic. 3-22-56)

x West 414 Third Avenue, Moses Lake, Washington (MP 2-10-56)

98837 x Old Ephrata Highway opposite Central Drive, Moses Lake, Wash. (MP 11-2-55 Main studio location Broadway Avenue near corner Fig Street, Moses Lake, Washington (CP-6-

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

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Form BC 126 June 1954

Main studio location

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 3-	-22-56	Call letters KWIQ	
		Station location Moses Lake	Washington
Name of licensee	★ CASCADE BROADCASTIN		
Transmitter location			

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

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FORM A-170 FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call KWIQ Letters New

Name ROBERT S. McCAW tr/as CENTRAL BASIN BROADCASTING CO. 6533 57th Avenue, South. Seattle 8. Weshington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Act Nature	10n Date
RP-9601 Rec'd Filed	12-10-54 12-15-54 12-15-54	Construction permit for a new stendard broad- cast station to be operated on: Frequency: 1260kc Power: lkw Hours of Operation: Daytime Trans. Location: Broadway Ave. nr. Corner Fig Street Moses Lake, Washington Studio Location: Same		Date 6-8-55
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

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FORM BC-121 FORMERLY FORM A-170

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters

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Name ROBERT S. McCAW tr/as CENTRAL BASIN BROADCASTING CO.

File No. BMP-6990 Rec'd Filed	Dated 10-14-55 10-17-55 10-17-55	Modification of construction permit (EF-9601 which auth. a new standard broadcast station) to change antenna-transmitter and studio location from Broadway Ave. nr. corner Fig St. Moses Lake, Washington to Intersection Nelson Rd. and US Hwy. #10, Moses Lake, Wash. and Old Ephrata Hwy. opposite Central Drive, Moses Lake, Washington, respectively, and operate transmitter by remote control from Old Ephrata Hwy. opposite Central Drive, Moses Lake, Washington.	Date 11-2-55
		Lake, Washington. D. C.	

FORM BC-121#3
FORMERLY FORM A-170

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters

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Name ROBERT S. McCAW, tr/as CENTRAL BASIN BROADCASTING CO.
Moses Lake, Washington

File No.	Dated		Act:	Date
BMP-7078 Rec'd Resub & Amended Rec'd Filed	11-11-55 11-14-55 12-30-55 1-3-56 1-3-56		-	-11-16-55
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

FORM BC-121 FORM A-170

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name ROBERT S. McCAW, tr/as CENTRAL BASIN BROADCASTING CO. Moses Lake, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	tion Date
EMP-7079 Rec'd Filed	12-30-55 1-3-56 1-3-56	Modification f construction permit (EP-9501 as modified, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for extension of completidate from 2-8-56 to 4-1-56.	GRANTEI	1-13-56
BRC-907 Rec'd Filed	2-23-56 2-23-56	Modification of construction permit to change Remote Control Point location from West 41h Third Avenue, Moses Lake, Washington to West 115 Third Avenue, Moses Lake, Washington	GRANTED	2-28-56
BL-6091 Rec'd Filed	2-28-56 3-1-56 3-1-56	License to cover construction permit (BP-9601, as mod.) which authorized a new standard broadcast station.	GRANTED	3-22-56
BZ-3780 Rec'd Filed	5-24-56 5-31-56 5-31-56	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED	6-19-56
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

FORM BC-121 #5 Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters

CENTRAL BASIN BROADCASTING CORPORATION (AL 12-14-56)
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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Action re Date	
BAL-2489 Rec'd Filed	11-2-56 11-9-56 11-9-56	Voluntary assignment of license to Central Basin Broadcasting Corporation.	GRANTED EFF:	12-14-56	
BR-3246 Recd Filed Amended Rec'd Filed	10-31-56 11-5-56 11-5-56 1-15-57 1-18-57 1-18-57	Renewal of license Amended to change applicant name to Central Basin Broadcasting Corporation.	GRANTED	3-20-57	
BRC-1127 Rec'd Filed	4-18-57 4-22-57 4-22-57	Modification of license to change Remote Control Point from West 115 Third Avenue Moses Lake, Washington to Corner U. S. Highway #10 and County Road, Moses Lake, Washington	GRANTED	4-24-57	
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.			

FORM BC-121 #6 Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name CENTRAL BASIN BROADCASTING CORPORATION

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
BTC-2704 Rec'd Filed	12-31-57 1-16-58 1-16-58	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Robert S. McCaw ans Warren Durham to Basin TV Co.	GRANTED EFF:	2-20-58 3-1-58
		D. F. Prince, Atty.		
Rec'd Filed	11-2-59 11-3-59 11-3-59	Amended 1-27-60 To change applicant name to: D. F. Frince, Atty.	GRANTED Cascade Br Company.	2-17-60 cadcasting
BAL-3707 Rec'd Filed	11-17-59 11-24-59 11-24-59	Voluntary assignment of license to Cascade Broadcasting Company.	GRAN TED EFF:	1-1-60
		D. F. Prince, Atty.		
BZ_4276 R&F	3-23-60 3-29-60	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power Atty Prince, Taylor & Crampton	GRANTED	5-24-60
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

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Name & CASCADE BROADCASTING COMPANY

	Moses Lake,	Washington		
File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
BRC-1816 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd Filed	1-21-61 2-2-61 2-28-61 2-28-61 2-28-61	Mod. of license to change studio location and Remote Control Point from Corner of U.S. Hwy. #10 and County Road, Moses Lake, Washington to Broadway Building, 815 W. Broadway, Moses Lake, Washington.	Returned Signed b	2-15-61 Chief Engineer 3-2-61
BAL-4180 Rec'd Filed	3-9-61 3-16-61 3-16-61	D. F. Prince, Atty. Voluntary assignment of license to K W I Q Radio, Inc. D. F. Prince & Ray R. Paul, Attys.	GRANTED EFF:	4-26-61

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Name KWIQRADIO, INC.

MOSES LAKE, WASHINGTON

File No. BRC-1876 Rec'd Filed	Dated 6-16-61 6-22-61 6-22-61	Mod. of license to change studio location and Remote Control Point from Broadway Building, 815 West Broadway, Moses Lake, Washington TO Corner of U.S. Hwy. #10 and County Road, Moses Lake, Washington.	Nature GRANTED	Date 7-7-61
BR* 3246 R. & F. BE-5001	11-1-62 11-26-62 10-14-63	Renewal of license. Atty- Ray R. Paul Authority to determine operating power	GRANTED GRANTED	1-11-63 3-4-64
R. & F. BR-3246 R & F	10-21-63 10-31-65 11-2-65	by direct measurement of antenna power. Renewal of license	GRANTED	1-14-66
BP-17,206 R & F	3-7-66 3-11-66	Construction Permit to change antenna-transmit location to On Road 1 NE, 25 mi. SE city center Moses Lake, Washington. (260 FC) Engr. J. B. Hatfield F.C.C. WASHINGTON. D. C.	ter GRAN1	TED 5/10/66

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORM BC-121 #9 Aug. 1955

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	File No.	Dated	- Application for	Natur	otion B Date			
1	BL-11,505 Rec'd Filed	10/10/66 10/13/66 10/17/66	Lic. to cover CP (BP-17,206) which auth. chant-trans. loc. Engr: G. M. Frese, Wash. State	GRANTE	ED 1-12-67			
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KWIQ

Name KWIQ RADIO, INC.

MOSES LAKE, WASHINGTON 98837

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature Nature	Action Nature Date		
BR-3246	10-8-71	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED			
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PRESS						
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BR-3246	9-20-74	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	7			
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		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.				

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: KWIQ

Name: KWIQ RADIO, INC.

Station Location: MOSES LAKE, WASHINGTON

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File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date		
BR-800923UD PRESS OCT 3	1 1980	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	126-81		
8 01218AA BP-810313AE (C)		Construction permit to change frequency from 1260khz to 1020khz; increase power to 5kw and change SL: Road l NE, Moses Lake, Washington.			
ACCEPTED	3-13-81 CUT OFF	Engineering (Chg Station Loc to Moses Lake Nor chg hours of oper., to unlimited by adding night time service with 500 watts; TL: 2.5 Mi N of			
APR 30'80		jct State Rte 17 & Stratford Road, Moses Lake North, Washington (NIGHT SITE OPERATION) 470 10' 49" 1190 16' 03"			
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			Form BC-121 March 1979		

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 h andwritten 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.

