

KALE



REMOVABLE LABEL GUIDE

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## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed ..... 5-17-50 .....

Call letters ..... K A L E .....

COLUMBIA THEATRE CO. (AL 11-26-80, EFF: 12-31-80) Station location: Richland, Wash.

\* K.A.L.E, INC. (AL-2-1-66: EFF: 2-7-66)

\* D &amp; D BROADCASTING CORPORATION (AL 7-22-59 Eff: 10-5-59)

\* KALE INCORPORATED (AL 8-5-52, EFF: 8-26-52)

Name of licensee \* YAKIMA BROADCASTING CORPORATION .....

Court St. &amp; Road 68, Midway bet. Pasco and Richland, Wash. (Lic. 5-9-52)

\* Lower River Rd. &amp; Columbia Basin Rd., midway between Pasco &amp; Richland, Washington (CP 3-21-51)

Transmitter location ..... \* At Intersection of Lower River Road & Columbia Basin Road  
..... 1/2 mile North & 4 miles W. of Pasco, Washington (MP 1-16-50) (Lic. 5-17-50)  
(BML 2-6-74)

310 Kennewick, Kennewick, Washington (ML 10-27-78)

\* X218 W. Kennewick Ave. Kennewick, Wash. (Outside corporate city limits)

Zip 99301 (Pasco) ..... \* Court St. &amp; Road 68, Midway bet. Pasco and Richland, Wash. (L 5-9-52)

\* Lower River Rd. &amp; Columbia Basin Rd., midway between Pasco &amp; Richland, Washington (CP 3-21-51)

\* At intersection of Lower River Rd. &amp; Columbia Basin Rd., 1/2 mile North &amp; 4 miles West of Pasco, Washington (MP-3-28-50) (Lic. 5-17-50)

Main studio location ..... \* Desert Inn Hotel, Richland, Washington (MP 1-16-50) .....

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period		
					From	To	
BP-7109	9-21-49 Ltr. 9-27-49.	900	1kw	Daytime			CP for a new station granted subj. filing MP for approval T site and antenna.
BP-7109 BMP-4877	1-16-50 Mod. CP (7109)	900	1kw	Day	3-16	9-16-50	for approval of antenna and T site and specify studio location. (COND. CL)
BP-5016	3-28-50 Mod. of CP (7109 as mod)	900	1kw	Daytime	3-16	9-16-50	to change type of T, and studio location & mount FM antenna on AM tower. (COND. CLAUSE)
BL-4031	5-17-50 Lic. to cover CP (7109 as mod)	900	1kw	Day	5-17	11-1-52	for a new station. (COND. CLAUSE)
BP-7728	3-21-51 CP to change freq., hours, install antenna sys. and new description of transmitter and studio locations.	960	1kw, DA-N	U	5-21	11-21-51	(COND. CLAUSE)
BP-7728	9-12-51 Mod. CP chg. lighting specs. for two new towers	960	1kw* *DA-N	U	5-21	11-21-51	(COND. CLAUSE)
BMP-5719	11-2-51 Mod. of CP 7728 for extension of completion date				5-21	12-31-51	(COND. CLAUSE)
BMP-5765	12-29-51 Mod. of CP 7728 as mod., for extension of completion date				5-21	3-1-52	(COND. CLAUSE)
BMP-5821	2-26-52 Mod. of CP 7728 as mod., for extension of completion date				5-1	5-1-52	(COND. CLAUSE)
BL-4693	5-9-52 Lic. to cover CP (P-7728) hours of operation, DA-N, desc. of T & S sites	960	1kw DA-N	U	5-9	2-1-54	(CONDITIONAL CLAUSE) for change in frequency changes in ant. &
BAL-1422	8-5-52 EFF: 8-26-52						Vol. assignment of license to KALE Incorporated
Telegram	1-29-54 continued operation auth. until final determination on renewal.						Action on renewal deferred 1-27 and
BL-2454	2-10-54	960	1kw DA-N	U	2-10	2-1-57	

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# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters K A L E

Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From.. To..
TELEGRAM	1-31-57	Action on renewal deferred and continued operation authorized until final determination on renewal appli.			
BR-2454	5-1-57	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			5-1 2-1-60
BAL-3516	7-22-59	Voluntary assignment of license to D & D BROADCASTING CORPORATION.			
	Eff: 10-5-59				
	1-27-60	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BTC-3628	12-28-60	Voluntary acquisition of positive control licensee corporation by Harold K. Deutsch thru purchase of stock from L. G. Dix.			
	EFF: 2-2-61				
BR-2454	10-26-61	960kc	1kw	U	10-26 2-1-63
			DA*N		
BR-2454	1-31-63	Renewal of license			2-1 2-1-66
BZ-5752	11-2-65	960kc	1kw-DA-N	U	11-2 2-1-66
		Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power			
BAL-5626	2-1-66	Voluntary assignment of License to K.A.L.E., INC.			
	Eff: 2-7-66				
BR-2454	2-1-66	Renewal of license			2-1 2-1-69
BZ-6790(L)	4-17-68	Direct Meas.			
BR-2454(S)	1-30-69	Renewal of License & NDB			2-1 2-1-72
BTC-6169	6-24-70	VOL. TC	EFF: 7-24-70		
Ltr.	11-16-70	Trans: Gates	BC-1G		
EBSA	5-25-72				
BR-2454(L)		960kHz	1kw	DA-N U	2-1-75
BZ-8258	2-23-73	Renewal & Direct Meas.			
BML-2491(1)	2-6-74	ML to chg. SL and RC. outside corporate city limits.			
BML-2491(1)	2-6-74	Superseding authorization to operate trans. by RC while using non-DA only.			
BRC-3734(L)	11-12-74	ML to operate trans. by RC. while using directional antenna.			

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February 1974

## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

CARD # 3

Date first licensed .....

Call letters K A L E.....

Station location .....

Name of licensee SEE CARD NO. 1.....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From.. To.
BTC-7611	12-24-74	Invol.	TC.	EFF:	
BR-2454(L)	1-31-75		RENEWAL		2-1-78
BR-2454(L)	1-31-75	Supersedes to correct Antenna Sample Current Ratios.			
BP-20,311	10-5-77	960khz.	1kw, 5kw	DA-N U	10-5-78
		CP to inc. daytime power, chg. type trans.			
BR-2454(S)	4-28-78	Renewal of License			2-1-81
BML-780828AS (1)	10-27-78	ML to chg. SL & RC			
BL-14,452(L)	5-29-79	Lic. to cover BP-20,311 for changes			2-1-81
COMTEL	5-27-80	Temp Auth granted to operate with parameters at variance from license due to installation of new antenna monitor. Necessary to maintain monitoring point readings within licensed limits. Expires 8-15-80.			
BAL801105FO	11-26-80		VOL AL	EFF:	12-31-80
COMTEL	8-19-80	AUTH. & TERMS COMTEL 6-23-80 EXT. THRU 10-31-80.			
COMTEL	10-17-80	AUTH. & TERMS COMTEL 6-23-80 EXT. THRU 11-30-80. NO FURTHER EXT. WITHOUT DETAILED PROGRESS REPORT.			





Transmitter - RCA BTA-1L

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters K A L EName YAKIMA BROADCASTING CORPORATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-4877	11-12-49	Modification of construction permit (BP-7109, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for approval of antenna and transmitter location as At Intersection of Lower River Road & Columbia Basin Road, $\frac{1}{2}$ mile north and 4 miles West of Pasco, Washington and specify studio location as Desert Inn Hotel, Richland, Washington.  Philip M. Baker, Atty. Wm. L. Foss, Inc., Engr.	GRANTED	1-16-60 re blanketing clause
Rec'd	11-17-49			
Filed	11-17-49			

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters K A L EName Yakima Broadcasting Corporation

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-5016	2-17-50	Modification of construction permit (BP-7109, as mod., which authorized a new standard broadcast station) to change type of transmitter (General Electric XT-1A), mount FM antenna on top of the AM tower and change studio location from Desert Inn Hotel, Richland, Washington to <u>Intersection of Lower River Road and Columbia Basin Road, <math>\frac{1}{2}</math> mile North and 4 miles West of Pasco, Richland, Washington.</u>	GRANTED	3-28-50
Rec'd	2-21-50		re blanketing clause	
Filed	2-21-50		re waiver of Sect. 3.30a of Rules to identify as Richland, Washington.	
AMENDED	3-23-50	Philip M. Baker, Atty.		
Recd.	3-27-50	Edward W. Deeters, Engr.		
Filed	3-27-50	Amended to make changes in antenna system.		

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters KALEName Yakima Broadcasting Corporation

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-4031 Rec'd Resubm. Rec'd Filed	3-28-50 4-3-50 4-17-50 4-20-50 4-20-50	License to cover construction permit (BP-7109, as modified) which authorized a new standard broadcast station.  Philip M. Baker, Atty.	Returned after Section I and incorrect site location specified.	4-11-50
BP-7728 Rec'd Filed	6-23-50 6-28-50 6-28-50	Construction permit to change frequency from 900kc to 960kc, hours of operation from Daytime to Unlimited with power of 1kw and install directional antenna for night use only and make changes in antenna system and redescription of transmitter and studio locations as Lower River Rd. & Columbia Basin Rd. midway between Pasco & Richland, Washington. Philip M. Baker, Atty. Grant E. Wrathall, Engr. Santa Cruz, Calif.	Docket 9754 CP issued	5-17-50
		(SEE AMENDMENT CARD #5)	GRANTED re blanketing clause; re waiver of Sect. 3.30a to identify as Richland, Wash.	5-21-51
			GRANTED after being removed from hrg. re blanketing clause; re properly designed phase monitor; re field meas. equip; re complete nonDA proof be submitted in addition to proof on the DA system.	

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Call  
Letters ..... K A L E

Name ..... YAKIMA BROADCASTING CORPORATION.....

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-7728 (Continued from Card #4)			See action on card 4	
AMENDED Rec'd Filed	1-31-51 2-5-51 2-5-51	AMENDED to increase height of Center Tower.		
BMP-5719 Rec'd Filed	10-10-51 10-16-51 10-16-51	Modification of construction permit (BP-7728 which auth. change frequency, hours of operation, install directional antenna for night use only; make changes in the antenna system and redescribe transmitter and studio locations) for extension of completion date from 11-21-51 to 12-31-51.  Philip M. Baker, Atty.	GRANTED Cond'l re blanketing; phase monitor; field meas. equip.; and DA- non-DA proof	11-2-51

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Call Letters KALE

Name YAKIMA BROADCASTING CORPORATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-5765 Rec'd Filed	12-6-51	Modification of construction permit (BP-7728, as mod., which auth. change frequency, hours of operation, install directional antenna for night use only; make changes in the antenna system and redescribe transmitter and studio locations) for extension of completion date from 12-31-51 to <u>March 1, 1952</u> .  Philip M. Baker, Atty.	GRANTED	12-29-51
	12-11-51			
	12-11-51			
BMP-5821 Rec'd Filed	2-14-52	Modification of construction permit (BP-7728, as mod., which auth. change frequency, hours of operation, install DA for night use only; make changes in the antenna system & redescribe transmitter and studio locations) for extension of completion date from 3-1-52 to 5-1-52.  Philip M. Baker, Atty.	GRANTED	2-26-52
	2-19-52			
	2-19-52			

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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KALE INCORPORATED

Call  
Letters KALEName YAKIMA BROADCASTING CORPORATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-4693 Rec'd Filed	3-3-52 3-6-52 3-6-52	License to cover construction permit (BP-7728 as mod.) which authorized change in frequency hours of operation, install. of DA for night use only, changes in the antenna system and redetermine transmitter and studio locations.  Philip M. Baker, Atty.	GRANTED Conditional re blanketing phase monitor to be installed & field measuring equipment to be available.	5-6-52
BAL-1422 Rec'd Filed	7-14-52 7-18-52 7-18-52	Voluntary assignment of license to KALE Incorporated.  Philip M. Baker, Atty.	GRANTED EFF	8-5-52 8-26-52
BR-2454 Rec'd Filed	10-29-53 11-3-53 11-3-53	Renewal of License	Granted	2-10-54
BR-2454 Rec'd Filed	11-8-56 11-13-56 11-13-56	Renewal of license	GRANTED	5-1-57

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

AUG. 1955

Call  
Letters K.A.L.E.Name K. KALE, INCORPORATED  
Richland, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-3516 Rec'd. Filed	6-15-59 6-18-59 6-18-59	Voluntary assignment of license to D & D Broadcasting Corporation.  James E. Greeley, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	7-22-59 10-5-59
BR-2454 Rec'd & Filed	11-11-59 12-2-59	Renewal of license James E. Greeley, Atty.	GRANTED	10-26-61
BTC-3628 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd Filed	11-7-60 11-17-60 12-9-60 12-13-60 12-13-60	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of licensee corporation by Harold K. Deutsch thru purchase of stock from L. G. Dix.  James E. Greeley, Atty.	<del>RETURNED</del> <del>Not signed in trans-</del> <del>fer or transferee</del> <del>name.</del> GRANTED EFF:	<del>11-23-60</del>  12-28-60 2-2-61
BR-2454 R & F	10-23-62 11-2-62	Renewal of License  Atty. - Spear, Hill & Greeley	GRANTED	1-31-63



FORM BC-121 #9  
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters ..... K A L E

Name ..... K.A.L.E., INC.  
x D & D BROADCASTING CORPORATION  
.....  
Richland, Wash.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-5752 R & F	8/13/65 8/18/65	Auth. to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED	11-2-65
BAL-5626 R & F	10-15-65 10-29-65	Voluntary assignment of license to K. A. L. E., INC. Atty. Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED Eff: 2-7-66	2-1-66
BR-2454 R & F	10-29-65 11-1-65	Renewal of license	GRANTED	2-1-66
BZ-6790 R & F DM APR 15 1968	3/12/68 3/18/68 3/28/68	Direct Meas. Engr: Geo. M. Frese, E. Wenatchee, Wash.	GRANTED	4-17-68

FORM BC-121 #10  
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

960kc

Call  
Letters KALE

Name KALE, Inc.  
Richland, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2454 R & F \$467612 \$75.00 PRESS NOV 15 1968	10-18-68 10-22-68 10-22-68	Renewal of License  ATTY. L. Adrian Roberts	GRANTED	1-30-69
BTC-6169 Rec'd Filed (Form 315) Fee: \$105 #565961 PN Rec'd: 1-21-70 FEB 6 1970	12-23-69 12-31-69 12-31-69	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from William R. Taft, et al (all stockholders) to Rainier Theater Co. L. Adrian Roberts, Atty (Licensee) Vernon L. Wilkinson, Atty (Transferor). (SEE OVER FOR AMENDMENTS)	GRANTED EFF:	6-24-70 7-24-70
BR-2454 R & F P.N. PRESS DEC 3 1971	10-28-71 11-1-71 11-1-71	Renewal of License  Atty: Vernon L. Wilkinson (McKenna, Wilinon & Kitter) AMENDED 1-4-72 re: commercial policy; emp. policy	GRANTED issued with	2-12-73 BZ-8258

RE: BTC-6169 - AMENDED 5-19-70 re comm. needs & comm.  
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters .....K.A.L.E.....

Name ..... K.A.L.E., INC.  
.....  
Richland, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-8258 Rec'd	5-27-71 6-1-71	Direct Measurement -	GRANTED	2-23-73
W 507134- <del>\$50</del>	6-1-71-AC-067	- Refunded	issued with	Renewal 3-73
Amended & R DM PRESS	12-22-72 1-24-73	New 302 with correct engr. data Atty: McKenna, <u>Wilkinson</u> & Kittner		
FEB 14 1973				
BML-2491 R & F \$50-254513 AC-056 PRESS:	11-15-73 11-21-73 11-21-73	Modification of license to move the main studio location and remote control point outside the corporate city limits to 218 W. Kennewick Avenue, Kennewick, Washington. Request waiver of the rules. Atty. Vernon L. Wilkinson	GRANTED	2-6-74
BRC-3734 Rec'd Filed \$50-350497 AC-056	9-4-74 9-13-74 10-2-74 10-2-74	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 218 West Kennewick Avenue, Kennewick, Washington, DA-N.	GRANTED	11-12-74

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters K A L E

Name K. A. L. E., INC.  
Richland, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2454 R & F PN Recd; PRESS	9-24-74 9-23-74 9-23-74	Renewal of License Atty: McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner <u>Vernon L. Wilkinson</u>	GRANTED	1-31-75
<b>OCT 10 1974</b>				
BTC-7611 R & F FEE PD: \$250 # 370472 CODE 047 (FORM 316) DEC 16 1974	11-27-74 12-4-74	Involuntary transfer of control of Rainier Theater Co. (parent corp of licensee) from Jessie M. Danz (50%) and Fredric A. Banz, Trustee of the John Danz Trust (50%) to Fredric A. Danz, Trustee of the John Danz Trust, and as Executor of the Estate of Jessie M. Danz (deceased)  Atty - Vernon L. Wilkinson	GRANTED EFF:	12-24-74
BP-20,311 Rec'd Filed \$400-554127 pn rec'd	4-1-76 4-9-76 4-9-76 5-17-76	Construction permit to increase daytime power to 5kw, chg. type trans. AEL AM 5KA  Atty: Vernon L. Wilkinson Eng. George H. Frese <small>F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.</small>	GRANTED	10-5-77

Amended 6-9-77 re: correct type trans.

MAY 24 1977

Form BC-121  
May 1976

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters ..... K A L E .....Name K. A. L. E., INC.  
RICHLAND, WASHINGTON

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2454 R & F P.N. PRESS	8-31-77 9-29-77 9-29-77	RENEWAL OF LICENSE  Atty. Vernon L. Wilkinson (McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner)	GRANTED	4-28-78
	<b>NOV 2 1977</b>			
BL-14,452 R & F PTA PRESS	3-7-78 3-13-78 3-20-78	Lic. to cover BP-20,311 for changes  Atty. Vernon L. Wilkinson	GRANTED	5-29-79
	<b>MAR 9 1978</b>			
BML-780828AS PRESS:	SEP 25 1978	Modification of License to chg. SL/RC to: 310 W. Kennewick, Kennewick, Washington (outside city limits) REQUEST WAIVER OF SECTION 73.210(a) OF COMMISSION RULES  Atty: John Wells King (Haley, Bader, etc.)	GRANTED	10-27-78

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## APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

960 KHz

COLUMBIA THEATRE CO.

Call Letters: K A L E

Name: <sup>x</sup>K. A. L. E., INC.

Station Location:

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BR80100LXQ PRESS: <b>OCT 31 1980</b>		Renewal of License (Main & Aux. Trans.) AMENDED 1-6-81 to change name of applicant to "Columbia Theatre Co." Atty: Michael H. Bader	GRANTED 1-30-81
BAL801105FO Form 314 PRESS <b>NOV 26 1980</b> Also see KEDO(am) KLYK(fm) KSJO(fm)		Voluntary assignment of license to Columbia Theatre Co. Atty-Michael H. Bader	GRANTED 11-26-80 EFF: 12-31-80
BP810406AO PRESS (O) <b>MAY 26 1981</b>		CP to make changes in Antenna System. Atty. Michael H. Bader (Haley, Bader & Potts)	

B2-12-31-80

## 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 12<sup>th</sup> 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.

