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Subject: Pre 1940

Posted by [Nouri](#) on Sun, 25 Aug 2013 17:25:52 GMT

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Can someone verify this information for me? Prior to 1940, radio stations were not allowed to play commercially available records on air. Instead, they had to have musicians play live. Does that sound right?

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Subject: Re: Pre 1940

Posted by [Chicken](#) on Wed, 04 Sep 2013 12:23:02 GMT

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I have never heard that. It is an interesting tidbit but I couldn't say for sure if it's true. Where did you get this information?

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Subject: Re: Pre 1940

Posted by [gofar99](#) on Wed, 04 Sep 2013 16:32:28 GMT

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Hi I never heard of either. It may have been a matter of practicality. There were lots of musicians and not nearly as many records as we have now.

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