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Commercial Broadcast Stations Biennial Ownership Report (FCC Form 323)

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Purpose: **Commercial Broadcast Stations Biennial Ownership Report** | Status: **Received** | Status Date: **01/31/2020**

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Section I - General Information

1. Respondent

FRN	Entity Name
0020557518	KWHY-22 Broadcasting, LLC

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	Zip Code	Phone	Email
9550 Firestone Blvd. Ste 105	Downey	CA	90241	+1 (562) 745-2300	mweitz@meruelogroup.com

2. Contact Representative

Name	Organization
Matthew Weitz	Meruelo Group, LLC

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State	Zip Code	Phone	Email
9550 Firestone Blvd., Ste. 105	Downey	CA	90241	+1 (562) 745-2312	mweitz@meruelogroup.com

3. Application Filing Fee

Question	Response
Is this application being submitted without a filing fee?	No

Fees

Application Type	Form Number	Fee Code	Quantity	Fee Amount	Subtotal
Biennial	Form 323	MAT	2	85	\$140.00
		MAR	1	85	\$70.00
				Total	\$210.00

4. Nature of Respondent**(a) Provide the following information about the Respondent:**

Relationship to stations/permits	Licensee
Nature of Respondent	Limited liability company

(b) Provide the following information about this report:

Purpose	Biennial
"As of" date	10/01/2019 When filing a biennial ownership report or validating and resubmitting a prior biennial ownership report, this date must be Oct. 1 of the year in which this report is filed.

5. Licensee(s) and Station(s)

Respondent is filing this report to cover the following Licensee(s) and station(s):

Licensee/Permittee Name	FRN
KWHY-22 Broadcasting, LLC	0020557518

Fac. ID No.	Call Sign	City	State	Service
19780	DK47GD	SAN LUIS OBISPO	CA	TX
26231	KWHY-TV	LOS ANGELES	CA	DTV
35498	KPWR	LOS ANGELES	CA	FM
56384	KBEH	GARDEN GROVE	CA	DTV
64975	DK46GF	SANTA MARIA	CA	TX

Section II – Biennial Ownership Information**1. 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3613 and Other Documents**

Licensee Respondents that hold authorizations for one or more full power television, AM, and/or FM stations should list all contracts and other instruments set forth in 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3613(a) through (c) for the facility or facilities listed on this report. In addition, attributable Local Marketing Agreements (LMAs) and attributable Joint Sales Agreements (JSAs) must be disclosed by the licensee of the brokering station on its ownership report. If the agreement is an attributable LMA, an attributable JSA, or a network affiliation agreement, check the appropriate box. Otherwise, select "Other." Non-Licensee Respondents, as well as Licensee Respondents that only hold authorizations for Class A television and/or low power television stations, should select "Not Applicable" in response to this question.

Document Information

Description of contract or instrument	Alex Meruelo Living Trust, as amended
Parties to contract or instrument	Alex Meruelo

Date of execution	08/1996
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Trust Agreement

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Luis and Margaret Armona Living Trust
Parties to contract or instrument	Luis and Margaret Armona
Date of execution	03/2010
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Trust Agreement

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Articles of Organization - KWHY-22 Broadcasting, LLC
Parties to contract or instrument	State of California
Date of execution	02/2005
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Articles of Organization

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Certificate of Amendment - KWHY-22 Broadcasting, LLC FKA Meruelo Capital Partners 2, LLC
Parties to contract or instrument	State of California
Date of execution	06/2011
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Certificate of Amendment

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Articles of Organization - Meruelo Media, LLC (fka Meruelo Media Holdings, LLC)
Parties to contract or instrument	State of California
Date of execution	01/2011
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Articles of Organization

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Certificate of Amendment - Meruelo Television, LLC
Parties to contract or instrument	State of California

Date of execution	12/2013
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Certificate of Amendment

Document Information

Description of contract or instrument	Operating Agreement of KWHY-22 Broadcasting , LLC
Parties to contract or instrument	Meruelo Television, LLC (fka Meruelo Media Holdings, LLC)
Date of execution	07/2011
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Operating Agreement

Document Information

Description of contract or instrument	Operating Agreement of Meruelo Television, LLC (fka Meruelo Media Holdings, LLC)
Parties to contract or instrument	Alex Meruelo Living Trust; Luis and Margaret Armona Living Trust
Date of execution	06/2011
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Operating Agreement

Document Information

Description of contract or instrument	Amendment to Operating Agreement of Meruelo Television, LLC (fka Meruelo Media, LLC)
Parties to contract or instrument	Alex Meruelo Living Trust; Luis and Margaret Armona Living Trust
Date of execution	01/2014
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Amendment to Operating Agreement

Document Information

Description of contract or instrument	Loan Agreement - Line of Credit
Parties to contract or instrument	Bank of America; Meruelo Media, LLC; Meruelo Television, LLC
Date of execution	10/2017
Date of expiration	06/2021
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Loan Agreement - Line of Credit

Document Information

Description of contract or instrument	Loan Agreement - Term
Parties to contract or instrument	Bank of America; Meruelo Media, LLC; Meruelo Television, LLC
Date of execution	10/2017
Date of expiration	06/2021
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Loan Agreement - Term

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Authorization to Pledge Agreement (Membership Interests) Meruelo and Meruelo Trust
Parties to contract or instrument	Alex Meruelo Living Trust; Alex Meruelo; Bank of America
Date of execution	06/2019
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Pledge Agreement

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Broadcast Digital Television Multicast Time Brokerage Agreement
Parties to contract or instrument	The Universal Church, Inc; Meruelo Television, LLC
Date of execution	04/2018
Date of expiration	04/2019
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Attributable LMA

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Broadcast Digital Television Multicast Time Brokerage Agreement
Parties to contract or instrument	Retro Television, Inc; Meruelo Television, LLC
Date of execution	09/2019
Date of expiration	09/2021
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Attributable LMA

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Local Advertising Sales Agreement
Parties to contract or instrument	Meruelo Television, LLC; Retro Television, Inc
Date of execution	09/2019
Date of expiration	09/2021
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Attributable JSA

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	First Amendment to Time Brokerage Agreement
Parties to contract or instrument	The Universal Church, Inc; Meruelo Television, LLC
Date of execution	02/2019
Date of expiration	04/2023
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Attributable LMA

2. Ownership Interests

(a) Ownership Interests. This Question requires Respondents to enter detailed information about ownership interests by generating a series of subforms. Answer each question on each subform. The first subform listing should be for the Respondent itself. If the Respondent is not a natural person, also list each of the officers, directors, stockholders, non-insulated partners, non-insulated members, and any other persons or entities with a direct attributable interest in the Respondent pursuant to the standards set forth in 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3555. (A "direct" interest is one that is not held through any intervening companies or entities.) List each interest holder with a direct attributable interest in the Respondent separately.

Leave the percentage of total assets (Equity Debt Plus) field blank for an interest holder unless that interest holder has an attributable interest in the Respondent solely on the basis of the Commission's Equity Debt Plus attribution standard, 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3555, Note 2(i).

In the case of vertical or indirect ownership structures, list only those interests in the Respondent that also represent an attributable interest in the Licensee(s) for which the report is being submitted.

Entities that are part of an organizational structure that includes holding companies or other forms of indirect ownership must file separate ownership reports. In such a structure do not report, or file a separate report for, any interest holder that does not have an attributable interest in the Licensee(s) for which the report is being submitted.

Please see the Instructions for further detail concerning interests that must be reported in response to this question.

The Respondent must provide an FCC Registration Number for each interest holder reported in response to this question. Please see the Instructions for detailed information and guidance concerning this requirement.

Ownership Information			
FRN	0020557518		
Entity Name	KWHY-22 Broadcasting, LLC		
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	9550 Firestone Blvd. Ste 105	
	Street 2		
	City	Downey	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	CA	
	Zip/Postal Code	90241	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Respondent		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Respondent		
Tribal Nation or Tribal Entity	Interest holder is not a Tribal nation or Tribal entity		
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	0.0%	Jointly Held? No

	Equity	0.0%
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)	0.0%
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?		No

Ownership Information

FRN	0020975488		
Entity Name	Meruelo Television, LLC		
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	9550 Firestone Blvd. Ste 105	
	Street 2		
	City	Downey	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	CA	
	Zip/Postal Code	90241	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	LC/LLC/PLLC Member		
Tribal Nation or Tribal Entity	Interest holder is not a Tribal nation or Tribal entity		
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	100.0%	Jointly Held? No
	Equity	100.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?		No	

(b) Respondent certifies that any interests, including equity, financial, or voting interests, not reported in this filing are non-attributable. If "No," submit as an exhibit an explanation.	Yes
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(c) Does the Respondent or any reported interest holder hold an attributable interest in any newspaper entities in the same market as any station for which this report is filed, as defined in 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3555? If "Yes," provide information describing the interest(s), using EITHER the subform OR the spreadsheet option below. Respondents with a large number (50 or more) of entries to submit should use the spreadsheet option.	No
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NOTE: Spreadsheets must be submitted in a special XML Spreadsheet format with the appropriate structure that is specified in the documentation. For instructions on how to use the spreadsheet option to complete this question (including templates to start with), please [Click Here](#).

If using the subform, leave the percentage of total assets (Equity Debt Plus) field blank for an interest holder unless that interest holder has an attributable interest in the newspaper entity solely on the basis of the Commission's Equity Debt Plus attribution standard, 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3555, Note 2(i). If using an XML Spreadsheet, enter "NA" into the percentage of total assets (Equity Debt Plus) field for an interest holder unless that interest holder has an attributable interest in the newspaper entity solely on the basis of the Commission's Equity Debt Plus attribution standard.

The Respondent must provide an FCC Registration Number for each interest holder reported in response to this question. Please see the Instructions for detailed information and guidance concerning this requirement.

(d) Are any of the individuals listed as an attributable interest holder in the Respondent married to each other or related to each other as parentchild or as siblings?

No

If "Yes," provide the following information for each such the relationship.

(e) Is Respondent seeking an attribution exemption for any officer or director with duties wholly unrelated to the Licensee(s)?

No

If "Yes," complete the information in the required fields and submit an Exhibit fully describing that individual's duties and responsibilities, and explaining why that individual should not be attributed an interest.

3. Organizational Chart (Licensees Only)

Attach a flowchart or similar document showing the Licensee's vertical ownership structure including the Licensee and all entities that have attributable interests in the Licensee. Licensees with a single parent entity may provide a brief explanatory textual Exhibit in lieu of a flowchart or similar document. Licensees without parent entities should so indicate in a textual Exhibit.

Non-Licensee Respondents should select "N/A" in response to this question.

File Name	Uploaded By	Attachment Type	Description
20191002 - Meruelo Media Structure (TV).docx	Applicant	Ownership Chart	

Section III - Certification

Certification

Section	Question	Response
Authorized Party to Sign	WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS ON THIS FORM ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND/OR IMPRISONMENT (U.S. CODE, TITLE 18, SECTION 1001), AND /OR REVOCATION OF ANY STATION LICENSE --OR CONSTRUCTION	

	PERMIT (U.S. CODE, TITLE 47, SECTION 312(a)(1)), AND/OR FORFEITURE (U.S. CODE, TITLE 47, SECTION 503).	
Certification	I certify that I have examined this report and that to the best of my knowledge and belief, all statements in this report are true, correct and complete.	Official Title: Manager of the Parent Exact Legal Title or Name of Respondent: KWHY-22 Broadcasting, LLC Name: Alex Meruelo Phone: 5627452300 01/30/2020