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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: 01/21/2020

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Section I - General Information

1. Respondent

FRN	ity Name	
0004161410	Emmis Communications Corporation	

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	Zip Code	Phone	Email
One EMMIS Plaza 40 Monument Circle, Suite 700	Indianapolis	IN	46204	+1 (317) 684- 6574	legal@emmis.

2. Contact Representative

Name	Organization	
Kathleen Kirby	Wiley Rein LLP	

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State	Zip Code	Phone	Email
1776 K Street, NW	Washington	DC	20006	+1 (202) 719-3360	kkirby@wileyrein.com

3. Application Filing Fee

Not Applicable

4. Nature of Respondent

(a) Provide the following information about the Respondent:				
R	elationship to stations/permits	Entity required to file a Form 323 because it holds an attributable interest in one or more Licensees		
N	ature of Respondent	For-profit corporation		

(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
Emmis Radio License, LLC	0011294410

Fac. ID No.	Call Sign	City	State	Service
19521	WFNI	INDIANAPOLIS	IN	AM
19522	WLHK	SHELBYVILLE	IN	FM
19524	WIBC	INDIANAPOLIS	IN	FM
51432	WYXB	INDIANAPOLIS	IN	FM

Licensee/Permittee Name	FRN	
WBLS-WLIB License LLC	0023371214	

Fac. ID No.	Call Sign	City	State	Service
28203	WBLS	NEW YORK	NY	FM
28204	WLIB	NEW YORK	NY	AM

Licensee/Permittee Name	FRN	
Emmis New York Radio License LLC	0021784996	

Fac. ID No.	Call Sign	City	State	Service
63781	WEPN-FM	NEW YORK	NY	FM

Licensee/Permittee Name	FRN
Emmis License Corporation of New York	0004978409

Fac. ID No.	Call Sign	City	State	Service
19615	WQHT	NEW YORK	NY	FM

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.

Not Applicable.

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	0004161410			
Entity Name	Emmis Communications Corp	Emmis Communications Corporation		
Address	РО Вох	PO Box		
	Street 1	One EMMIS Plaza		
	Street 2	40 Monument Circle, Suite 70	0	
	City	Indianapolis		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	·		
	Zip/Postal Code 46204			
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States		
Listing Type	Respondent			
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Respondent	Respondent		
Tribal Nation or Tribal Entity	Interest holder is not a Tribal	nation or Tribal entity		
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values	Voting	0.0%	Jointly Held? No	
from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.0%		
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)	0.0%		
Does interest holder have a that do not appear on this i	an attributable interest in one creport?	r more broadcast stations	No	

Ownership Information			
FRN	0019276062		
Name	Patrick M. Walsh		
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	One EMMIS Plaza	
	Street 2	40 Monument Circle, Suite 700	
	City	Indianapolis	

	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IN	
	Zip/Postal Code	46204	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Stockholder		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values	Voting	0.9%	Jointly Held? No
from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	1.7%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have a	an attributable interest in one o	r more broadcast stations	No

FRN	0019276286		
Name	Traci Thomson		
Address	РО Вох		
	Street 1	One EMMIS Plaza	
	Street 2	40 Monument Circle, Su	uite 700
	City	Indianapolis	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IN	
	Zip/Postal Code	46204	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Female Not Hispanic or Latino	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity		
	Race	White	
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)		
Does interest holder have ar that do not appear on this re	n attributable interest in one or eport?	more broadcast stations	No

Ownership Information				
FRN	0024830077			
Name	Christopher Rickenbach			
Address	PO Box			
	Street 1	One EMMIS Plaza		
	Street 2	Street 2 40 Monument Circle, Suite 700		
	City	City Indianapolis		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	•		
	Zip/Postal Code 46204			
	Country (if non-U.S. United States address)			
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder			
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Stockholder			
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	us		
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male		
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino		
	Race	White		
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values	Voting	0.0%	Jointly Held? No	
from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.0%		
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)			
Does interest holder have a that do not appear on this r	n attributable interest in one o	r more broadcast stations	No	

Ownership Information			
FRN	0019276153	0019276153	
Name	Ryan A. Hornaday	Ryan A. Hornaday	
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	One EMMIS Plaza	
	Street 2	40 Monument Circle, Suite 700	
	City	Indianapolis	

	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IN	
	Zip/Postal Code	46204	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Stockholder		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values	Voting	0.4%	Jointly Held? No
from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.7%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have that do not appear on this	an attributable interest in one o	r more broadcast stations	No

FRN	0019275684		
Name	Richard F. Cummings		
Address	РО Вох		
	Street 1	790 E. Colorado Bou	levard
	Street 2	Suite 900	
	City	Pasadena	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	CA	
	Zip/Postal Code	91101	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder	'	
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
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)		
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one of that do not appear on this report?	or more broadcast stations	No

Ownership Information			
FRN	0019275809	0019275809	
Name	Gregory T. Loewen	Gregory T. Loewen	
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	One EMMIS Plaza	
	Street 2	40 Monument Circle, Suite 700	0
	City	Indianapolis	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IN	
	Zip/Postal Code	46204	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Stockholder		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	CA	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values	Voting	0.5%	Jointly Held? No
from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.9%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations No that do not appear on this report?			No

Ownership Information			
FRN	0010492403	0010492403	
Name	Jeffrey H. Smulyan	Jeffrey H. Smulyan	
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	One EMMIS Plaza	
	Street 2	40 Monument Circle, Suite 700	
	City	Indianapolis	

	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IN	
	Zip/Postal Code	46204	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Director, Stockholder		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values	Voting	51.5%	Jointly Held? No
from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	10.1%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations No that do not appear on this report?		No	

FRN	0024986499		
Name	Elizabeth M. Ellis		
Address	РО Вох		
	Street 1	One EMMIS Plaza	
	Street 2	40 Monument Circle, Suite 70	00
	City	Indianapolis	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IN	
	Zip/Postal Code	46204	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder	Other Interest Holder	
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Stockholder		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	us	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Female	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
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)		
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?		No	

Ownership Information			
FRN	0019275718		
Name	Jonathan S. Enright		
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	One EMMIS Plaza	
	Street 2	40 Monument Circle, Suite 700	
	City	Indianapolis	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IN	
	Zip/Postal Code	46204	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Stockholder		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values	Voting	0.3%	Jointly Held? No
from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.5%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations No that do not appear on this report?			No

Ownership Information		
FRN	0019276989	
Name	Susan B. Bayh	
Address	РО Вох	
	Street 1	5170 Tilden Street, NW
	Street 2	
	City	Washington

	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	DC	
	Zip/Postal Code	20016	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Director, Stockholder		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Female	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values	Voting	0.1%	Jointly Held? No
from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.3%	
	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	

FRN	0019276997		
Name	Gary L. Kaseff		
Address	РО Вох		
	Street 1	25040 Ashley Ridge I	Road
	Street 2		
	City	Hidden Hills	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	CA	
	Zip/Postal Code	91302	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Director, Stockholder		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	0.3%	Jointly Held? No

	Equity	0.5%	
	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	

Ownership Information			
FRN	0019277037		
Name	Richard A. Leventhal		
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	12059 Hampton Court	
	Street 2		
	City	Carmel	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IN	
	Zip/Postal Code	46033	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Director, Stockholder		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values	Voting	0.4%	Jointly Held? No
from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.7%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations No that do not appear on this report?			No

Ownership Information		
FRN	0019277045	
Name	Peter A. Lund	
Address	PO Box	
	Street 1	236 Locha Drive
	Street 2	
	City	Jupiter

	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	FL	
	Zip/Postal Code	33458	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Director, Stockholder		
Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Citizenship	US	
	Gender	Male	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	0.6%	Jointly Held? No
	Equity	1.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have a	an attributable interest in one o	r more broadcast stations	No

Ownership Information			
FRN	0019277003		
Name	Greg A. Nathanson		
Address	РО Вох		
	Street 1	951 Manning Avenue	
	Street 2		
	City	Los Angeles	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	CA	
	Zip/Postal Code	90024	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Director, Stockholder		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Gender	Male	
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	0.6%	Jointly Held? No

	Equity	1.2%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have an that do not appear on this re	n attributable interest in one of eport?	r more broadcast stations	No

Ownership Information			
FRN	0019277060		
Name	Lawrence B. Sorrel		
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	Tailwind Capital Partners, LLC	
	Street 2	485 Lexington Ave., 23rd Floor	
	City	New York	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	NY	
	Zip/Postal Code	10017	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Director, Stockholder		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	0.6%	Jointly Held? No
	Equity	1.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have a	n attributable interest in one o	r more broadcast stations	No

Ownership Information			
FRN	0022381107	0022381107	
Name	James Dubin	James Dubin	
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	One Madison Place	
	Street 2		
	City	Harrison	

	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	NY	
	Zip/Postal Code	10528	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Director, Stockholder		
Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Citizenship	US	
	Gender	Male	
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values	Voting	0.1%	Jointly Held? No
from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.2%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have that do not appear on this	an attributable interest in one o	r more broadcast stations	No
	nat any interests, including equi his filing are non-attributable. an explanation.	ty, financial, or voting	Yes

(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.

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?

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)?

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.

No

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	
	LICENSEOR CONSTRUCTION	
	PERMIT (U.S. CODE, TITLE 47,	
	SECTION 312(a)(1)), AND/OR	
	FORFEITURE (U.S. CODE, TITLE 47,	
	SECTION 503).	

No

No

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: Executive Vice President Exact Legal Title or Name of Respondent: Emmis Communications Corporation Name: J Scott Enright Phone: 3176846565
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