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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: 01/28/2020

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#### **Section I - General Information**

### 1. Respondent

| FRN        | Entity Name        |
|------------|--------------------|
| 0027281062 | NWB Holdings, Inc. |

| Street<br>Address      | City (and Country if non U.S. address) | State ("NA" if non-U.S. address) | Zip<br>Code | Phone                 | Email       |
|------------------------|--|----------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| 1765 South<br>King St. | Honolulu                               | н                                | 96826       | +1 (808) 935-<br>5461 | chris@kwxx. |

### 2. Contact Representative

| Name          | Organization                    |
|---------------|---------------------------------|
| Dan J. Alpert | The Law Office of Dan J. Alpert |

| Street Address     | City (and Country if non U.S. address) | State | Zip Code | Phone             | Email          |
|--------------------|--|-------|----------|-------------------|----------------|
| 2120 21st Rd.<br>N | Arlington                              | VA    | 22201    | +1 (703) 243-8690 | dja@commlaw.tv |

### 3. Application Filing Fee

Not Applicable

## 4. Nature of Respondent

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

| (b) Provide the following information about this report: |   |  |  |
|--|---|--|--|
| Purpose  | Validation and resubmission of a previously filed biennial report (certifying no changes from the previously filed biennial report) 0000047875                                |  |  |
| "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        |  |
|-------------------------|--------------------|------------|--|
| New West                | Broadcasting Corp. | 0004327912 |  |

| Fac. ID No. | Call Sign | City         | State | Service |
|-------------|-----------|--------------|-------|---------|
| 48678       | KPUA      | HILO         | н     | AM      |
| 48679       | KWXX-FM   | HILO         | н     | FM      |
| 69054       | KNWB      | HILO         | Н     | FM      |
| 70377       | KAOY      | KEALAKEKUA   | Н     | FM      |
| 164099      | KMWB      | CAPTAIN COOK | Н     | 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                   | 0027281062         |                     |
| Entity Name           | NWB Holdings, Inc. |                     |
| Address               | PO Box             |                     |
|                       | Street 1           | 1765 South King St. |
|                       | Street 2           |                     |
|                       | City               | Honolulu            |
|                       |                    | <u>'</u>            |

|   | State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)  | н   |                     |  |
|---|-----------------------------------|---|---------------------|--|
|   | Zip/Postal Code                   | 96826   |                     |  |
|   | Country (if non-U.S. address)     | United States   |                     |  |
| Listing Type  | Respondent                        | Respondent  |                     |  |
| Positional Interests<br>(check all that apply)          | Respondent                        |   |                     |  |
| Tribal Nation or Tribal<br>Entity                       | Interest holder is not a Tribal   | Interest holder is not a Tribal nation or Tribal entity |                     |  |
| Interest Percentages (enter percentage values           | Voting                            | 0.0%  | Jointly Held?<br>No |  |
| from 0.0 to 100.0)                                      | Equity                            | 0.0%  |                     |  |
|   | Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)   | 0.0%  |                     |  |
| Does interest holder have<br>that do not appear on this | an attributable interest in one c | or more broadcast stations                              | No                  |  |

| Ownership Information   |                                   |                         |                     |  |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|--|
| FRN   | 0027281070                        | 0027281070              |                     |  |
| Entity Name   | FTH Holdings, Inc.                |                         |                     |  |
| Address   | ddress PO Box                     |                         |                     |  |
|   | Street 1                          | 1765 South King St.     |                     |  |
|   | Street 2                          |                         |                     |  |
|   | City                              | Honolulu                |                     |  |
|   | State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)  | HI                      |                     |  |
|   | Zip/Postal Code                   | 96826                   |                     |  |
|   | Country (if non-U.S. address)     | United States           |                     |  |
| Listing Type  | Other Interest Holder             | Other Interest Holder   |                     |  |
| Positional Interests<br>(check all that apply)  | Stockholder                       |                         |                     |  |
| Tribal Nation or Tribal Entity  | Interest holder is not a Tribal ı | nation or Tribal entity |                     |  |
| Interest Percentages (enter percentage values   | Voting                            | 100.0%                  | Jointly Held?<br>No |  |
| from 0.0 to 100.0)  | <b>Equity</b> 100.0%              |                         |                     |  |
|   | 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? |                                   |                         |                     |  |

| Ownership Information                          |   |                        |                     |  |
|--|---|------------------------|---------------------|--|
| FRN  | 2130005420  | 2130005420             |                     |  |
| Name   | Jason Higa  | Jason Higa             |                     |  |
| Address PO Box                                 |   |                        |                     |  |
|  | Street 1  | 1765 South King St.    |                     |  |
|  | Street 2  |                        |                     |  |
|  | City  | Honolulu               |                     |  |
|  | State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)  | HI                     |                     |  |
|  | Zip/Postal Code   | 96826                  |                     |  |
|  | Country (if non-U.S. address)   | United States          |                     |  |
| Listing Type                                   | Other Interest Holder   |                        |                     |  |
| Positional Interests<br>(check all that apply) | Officer, Director   | Officer, Director      |                     |  |
| Citizenship, Gender,                           | Citizenship   | US                     |                     |  |
| Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural       | Gender  | Male                   |                     |  |
| Persons Only)                                  | Ethnicity   | Not Hispanic or Latino |                     |  |
|  | Race  | Asian                  |                     |  |
| Interest Percentages (enter percentage values  | Voting  | 0.0%                   | Jointly Held?<br>No |  |
| from 0.0 to 100.0)                             | 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? |                        |                     |  |

| Ownership Information |                                  |                     |  |  |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|--|--|
| FRN                   | 2130005412                       |                     |  |  |
| Name                  | Douglas Shimabukuro              |                     |  |  |
| Address               | РО Вох                           |                     |  |  |
|                       | Street 1                         | 1765 South King St. |  |  |
|                       | Street 2                         |                     |  |  |
|                       | City                             | Honolulu            |  |  |
|                       | State ("NA" if non-U.S. address) | HI                  |  |  |
|                       | Zip/Postal Code                  | 96826               |  |  |
|                       | Country (if non-U.S. address)    | United States       |  |  |
| Listing Type          | Other Interest Holder            |                     |  |  |

| Positional Interests (check all that apply)  | Officer, Director                 |                          |                     |
|--|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Citizenship, Gender,<br>Ethnicity, and Race<br>Information (Natural<br>Persons Only) | Citizenship                       | US                       |                     |
|  | Gender                            | Male                     |                     |
|  | Ethnicity                         | Not Hispanic or Latino   |                     |
|  | Race                              | Asian                    |                     |
| Interest Percentages<br>(enter percentage values<br>from 0.0 to 100.0)               | Voting                            | 0.0%                     | Jointly Held?<br>No |
|  | Equity                            | 0.0%                     |                     |
|  | Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)   | 0.0%                     |                     |
| Does interest holder have that do not appear on this                                 | No                                |                          |                     |
| (b) Respondent certifies th  | nat any interests, including equi | tv. 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 "No," submit as an exhibit an explanation.

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.

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

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.

#### 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). |  |
| Certification            | I certify that I have examined this report<br>and that to the best of my knowledge and<br>belief, all statements in this report are<br>true, correct and complete.  | Official Title: <b>Treasurer</b> Exact Legal Title or Name of Respondent: <b>NWB Holdings, Inc.</b> Name: <b>Douglas Shimabukuro</b> Phone: <b>8089355461</b> 01/28/2020 |