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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: 11/30/2021

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

#### 1. Respondent

FRN	Entity Name	
0023159932	PEORIA (WYZZ-TV) LICENSEE, INC.	

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	Zip Code	Phone	Email
2000 W. 41st Stree	Baltimore	MD	21211	+1 (410) 662- 9688	scott. flick@pillsburylaw. com

### 2. Contact Representative

Name	Organization	
Scott R. Flick, Esq.	Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP	

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State	Zip Code	Phone	Email
1200 Seventeenth Street, NW	Washington	DC	20036	+1 (202) 663- 8167	scott.flick@pillsburylaw.

## 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	1	95	\$85.00
				Total	\$85.00

### 4. Nature of Respondent

(a) Provide the following information about the Respondent:		
Relationship to stations/permits	Licensee	
Nature of Respondent	For-profit corporation	

(b) Provide the following information about this report:			
Purpose	Biennial		
"As of" date 10/01/2021			
	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
PEORIA (WYZZ-TV) LICENSEE, INC.	0023159932

Fac. ID No.	Call Sign	City	State	Service
5875	WYZZ-TV	BLOOMINGTON	IL	DTV

### **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	Security Agreement (CBC)
Parties to contract or instrument	Cunningham Broadcasting Corporation, The Subsidiary Guarantors Party Thereto, The Lenders Party Thereto, and JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as Administrative Agent
Date of execution	07/2013
Date of expiration	12/2022
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Security Agreement

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Credit Agreement (CBC), as most recently amended by the Ninth Amendment dated 02/2021
Parties to contract or instrument	Cunningham Broadcasting Corporation, The Subsidiary Guarantors Party Thereto, The Lenders Party Thereto, and JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as Administrative Agent
Date of execution	07/2013
Date of expiration	12/2022
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Credit Agreement

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Articles of Incorporation (CBC)
Parties to contract or instrument	State of Maryland
Date of execution	08/1993
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Articles of Incorporation

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Bylaws (CBC)
Parties to contract or instrument	State of Maryland
Date of execution	08/1993
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Bylaws

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Articles of Amendment and Restatement (CBC)
Parties to contract or instrument	State of Maryland
Date of execution	01/2002
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other  Agreement Type: Articles of Amendment and Restatement

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Articles of Amendment (CBC)
Parties to contract or instrument	State of Maryland
Date of execution	06/2005
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other  Agreement Type: Articles of Amendment

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Articles of Amendment and Name Change (CBC)
Parties to contract or instrument	State of Maryland
Date of execution	02/2002
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Articles of Amendment and Name Change

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Articles of Incorporation (Peoria (WYZZ-TV), Licensee, Inc.)
Parties to contract or instrument	State of Maryland
Date of execution	03/2013
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Articles of Incorporation

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Articles of Incorporation (Peoria (WYZZ-TV), Inc.)
Parties to contract or instrument	State of Maryland
Date of execution	03/2013
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other  Agreement Type: Articles of Incorporation

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Bylaws (Peoria (WYZZ-TV) Licensee, Inc.)
Parties to contract or instrument	State of Maryland
Date of execution	03/2013
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Bylaws

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Bylaws (Peoria (WYZZ-TV), Inc.)
Parties to contract or instrument	State of Maryland
Date of execution	03/2013
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Bylaws

### **Document Information**

Description of contract or instrument	Option Agreement
Parties to contract or instrument	David D. Smith and Michael E. Anderson
Date of execution	01/2018
Date of expiration	01/2038
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Option Agreement

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Option Agreement
Parties to contract or instrument	Frederick G. Smith and Michael E. Anderson
Date of execution	01/2018
Date of expiration	01/2038
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Option Agreement

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Option Agreement
Parties to contract or instrument	J. Duncan Smith and Michael E. Anderson
Date of execution	01/2018
Date of expiration	01/2038
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Option Agreement

Document Information		
Description of contract or instrument	Option Agreement	
Parties to contract or instrument	Robert E. Smith and Michael E. Anderson	
Date of execution	01/2018	
Date of expiration	01/2038	
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Option Agreement	

Document Information		
Description of contract or instrument	Option Agreement, as amended 9/2014	
Parties to contract or instrument	Sinclair Television Group, Inc. and Cunningham Broadcasting Corporation	
Date of execution	11/2013	
Date of expiration	11/2023	
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Option Agreement	

Document Information		
	Description of contract or instrument	Network Affiliation Agreement

Parties to contract or instrument	Fox Broadcasting Company and Peoria (WYZZ-TV) Licensee, Inc.
Date of execution	12/2020
Date of expiration	12/2021
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Network Affiliation Agreement

Document Information		
Description of contract or instrument	Network Affiliation Agreement	
Parties to contract or instrument	Sony Pictures Entertainment Inc., CPE US Networks III Inc. and Cunningham Broadcasting Corporation	
Date of execution	07/2015	
Date of expiration	07/2022	
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Network Affiliation Agreement	

Document Information		
Description of contract or instrument	Network Affiliation Agreement	
Parties to contract or instrument	Weather Group Television, LLC and Cunningham Broadcasting Corporation	
Date of execution	02/2021	
Date of expiration	12/2023	
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Network Affiliation Agreement	

### 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 0023159932	
Entity Name PEORIA (WYZZ-TV) LICENSEE, INC.	

Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	2000 W. 41st Street	
	Street 2		
	City	Baltimore	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MD	
	Zip/Postal Code	21211	
	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	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 an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations  No that do not appear on this report?			

Ownership Information			
FRN	0023330541		
Entity Name	PEORIA (WYZZ-TV), INC.		
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	2000 W. 41st Street	
	Street 2		
	City	Baltimore	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MD	
	Zip/Postal Code	21211	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Stockholder		
Tribal Nation or Tribal Entity	Interest holder is not a Tribal nation or Tribal entity		
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values	Voting	100.0%	Jointly Held? No
from 0.0 to 100.0)	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?		more broadcast stations	No

Ownership Information			
FRN	0027300987		
Name	Michael Anderson		
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	2000 W. 41st Street	
	Street 2		
	City	Baltimore	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MD	
	Zip/Postal Code	21211	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Director		
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 an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?  Yes			

Ownership Information			
FRN	9990018179	9990018179	
Name	Lisa Asher	Lisa Asher	
Address PO Box			
	Street 1	2000 W. 41st Street	
	Street 2		
	City	Balt	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MD	

	Zip/Postal Code	21211	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer		
Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Citizenship	US	
	Gender	Female	
	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 that do not appear on this	an attributable interest in one o	r more broadcast stations	Yes

Ownership Information			
FRN	9990108236		
Name	Mark Knobloch		
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	2000 W. 41st Street	
	Street 2		
	City	Baltimore	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MD	
	Zip/Postal Code	21211	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Director		
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	Voting	0.0%	Jointly Held? No
from 0.0 to 100.0)	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?		Yes	

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(c) Does the Respondent or any reported interest holder No 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.

question. Please see the Instructions for detailed information and guidance concerning this requirement.

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

The Respondent must provide an FCC Registration Number

for each interest holder reported in response to this

(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?

(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.

# 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
Cunningham Broadcasting Corporation Ownership Structure Chart 2021 Biennial.pdf	Applicant	Ownership Chart	Ownership Chart

### 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 and that to the best of my knowledge and belief, all statements in this report are true, correct and complete.	Official Title: President Exact Legal Title or Name of Respondent: Peoria (WYZZ-TV) Licensee, Inc. Name: Michael E. Anderson Phone: 4106629688  11/29/2021