EMMIS COMMUNICATIONS CORP Form SC TO-I/A June 06, 2005

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE TO

TENDER OFFER STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 14(D)(1) OR 13(E)(1)

OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

(AMENDMENT NO. 3)

EMMIS COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION (Name of Subject Company and Filing Person)

CLASS A COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE \$0.01 PER SHARE (Title of Class of Securities)

291525103

(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

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CALCULATION OF FILING FEE

- * Estimated for purposes of calculating the amount of the filing fee only, this amount is based on the purchase of 20,250,000 shares of Class A common stock at the maximum tender offer price of \$19.75 per share.
- ** The amount of the filing fee, calculated in accordance with Rule 0-11 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, equals \$117.70 per million of the aggregate amount of the cash offered by Emmis Communications Corporation
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 made before the commencement of a tender offer.
 Check the appropriate boxes below to designate any transaction to which the
 statement relates:
- |_| third-party tender offer subject to Rule 14d-1.
- |X| issuer tender offer subject to Rule 13e-4.
- |_| going-private transaction subject to Rule 13e-3.
- |_| amendment to Schedule 13D under Rule 13d-2.

Check the following box if the filing is a final amendment reporting the results of the tender offer: $|_|$

INTRODUCTION

This Amendment No. 3 (this "Amendment") amends and supplements the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO originally filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on May 16, 2005, and amended and supplemented by Amendment No. 1 to the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on May 25, 2005, and Amendment No. 2 to the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on June 2, 2005 (collectively, the "Schedule TO") by Emmis Communications Corporation, an Indiana corporation ("Emmis" or the "Company") relating to the offer by Emmis to purchase up to 20,250,000 shares of its Class A common stock, \$0.01 par value per share (the "Class A common stock") at a price not greater than \$19.75 nor less than \$17.25 per share, net to the seller in cash, without interest, upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in the Offer to Purchase, dated May 16, 2005 (as amended, the "Offer to Purchase") and in the related Letter of Transmittal (the "Letter of Transmittal").

ITEMS 1 THROUGH 11.

Items 1 through 11 of the Schedule TO, which incorporate by reference the information contained in the Offer to Purchase and the related Letter of Transmittal, copies of which were filed with the original Schedule TO as Exhibits (a)(1)(A) and (a)(1)(B), respectively, are hereby amended as follows:

In the sixth paragraph of the cover page of the Offer to Purchase, the last two sentences are amended and restated as follows:

"As a result, Mr. Smulyan's voting interest in Emmis (calculated based only on the total number of outstanding shares) will increase from approximately 49% to approximately 61%, assuming that the maximum 20,250,000 shares of Class A common stock are purchased in the Offer. Because this increase in voting interest will result in a "transfer of control" under the Communications Act, it requires Federal Communications Commission approvals, which approvals were obtained on May 31, 2005."

- ITEM 1. SUMMARY TERM SHEET
- ITEM 4. TERMS OF TRANSACTION.
- ITEM 7. SOURCE AND AMOUNT OF FUND OR OTHER CONSIDERATION.

On June 6, 2005, Emmis and its principal operating subsidiary, Emmis Operating Company ("Emmis Operating Company"), entered into the First Amendment (the "Amendment") to the Revolving Credit and Term Loan Agreement, dated as of May 10, 2004, by and among Emmis Operating Company, as the borrower, Bank of America, N.A. as administrative agent for the lenders, Goldman Sachs Credit Partners L.P., as syndication agent for the lenders, Wachovia Bank, N.A, Deutsche Bank Securities Inc., and Credit Suisse First Boston acting through its

Cayman Islands branch as co-documentation agents for the lenders, and the named financial institutions as lenders. Among other things, the Amendment, which is subject to customary closing conditions, modifies certain negative covenants to permit (i) Emmis to incur additional indebtedness and (ii) Emmis Operating Company to make payments to Emmis to fund interest payments on the Emmis floating rate senior notes described below, each in connection with the Offer. Emmis intends to use borrowings of approximately \$100.0 million under the revolving portion of the amended credit facility to pay a portion of the cash consideration in the Offer and related fees and expenses.

In addition, on June 6, 2005, Emmis delivered a commitment notice (the "Notice") to Bank of America Securities LLC under the Commitment and Engagement Letter (the "Commitment Letter") between the parties, dated as of May 15, 2005. The Commitment Letter and the Notice require Banc of America Securities LLC, subject to customary closing conditions, to purchase \$300.0 million of Emmis floating rate senior notes due 2012 on June 13, 2005. Emmis intends to use a portion of this borrowing to pay a portion of the cash consideration in the Offer and related fees and expenses.

As a result, the condition to the Offer that Emmis receive debt financing on terms and conditions consistent with those set forth in the Amendment Commitment Letter, dated as of May 15, 2005, and the Commitment and Engagement Letter, dated as of May 15, 2005, as they may be amended, supplemented or modified, in an amount sufficient to purchase shares of Class A common stock pursuant to the Offer and to pay related fees and expenses, has been satisfied. The Offer remains subject to certain other conditions specified in the Offer to Purchase.

ITEM 11. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

On June 2, 2005, the Indiana Securities Commissioner held a hearing to determine whether the Offer is exempt from certain provisions of the Indiana Business Takeover Offers Act. Following the hearing, the Indiana Commissioner issued an order stating that the Offer is exempt because the Offer is not intended to, and will not have the effect of, changing or influencing control of the Company.

ITEM 12. EXHIBITS.

Item 12 of the Schedule TO is hereby amended and supplemented by adding the following exhibits:

- (a) (1) (0) ** Press Release, dated June 6, 2005.
- (b) (4)** First Amendment to the Revolving Credit and Term Loan Agreement, dated as of June 6, 2005.
- ** Filed herewith.

SIGNATURE

After due inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

EMMIS COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION

By: /s/ J. Scott Enright

Name: J. Scott Enright

Title: Vice President, Associate
General Counsel and Secretary

Dated: June 6, 2005

EXHIBIT INDEX

(a)(1)(A)*	Offer to Purchase dated May 16, 2005.
(a)(1)(B)*	Letter of Transmittal.
(a)(1)(C)*	Notice of Guaranteed Delivery.
(a)(1)(D)*	Letter to Brokers, Dealers, Commercial Banks, Trust Companies and Other Nominees dated May 16, 2005.
(a)(1)(E)*	Letter to Clients for use by Brokers, Dealers, Commercial Banks, Trust Companies and Other Nominees dated May 16, 2005.
(a) (1) (F) *	Guidelines for Certification of Taxpayer Identification Number on Substitute Form W-9.
(a) (1) (G)	Press Release, dated May 10, 2005, incorporated by reference to the Company's Statement on Schedule TO filed on May 10, 2005.
(a)(1)(H)*	Press Release, dated May 16, 2005.
(a)(1)(I)*	Summary Advertisement.
(a) (1) (J) *	Letter to Shareholders from the Chief Executive Officer of the Company, dated May 16, 2005.
(a) (1) (K) *	Letter to Participants in the Emmis Operating Company 401(k) Plan.
(a)(1)(L)*	Letter to Participants in the Emmis Operating Company Profit Sharing Plan.
(a) (1) (M) *	Letter to Participants in the Emmis Communications Corporation Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
(a)(1)(N)*	Press Release, dated June 1, 2005.
(a)(1)(0)**	Press Release, dated June 6, 2005.
(a) (2)	Not Applicable.
(a) (3)	Not Applicable.

(a) (4) Not Applicable. (a) (5) (A) * Notice of Hearing. (b) (1) *Amendment Commitment Letter, dated as of May 15, 2005, among Banc of America Securities LLC, Bank of America, N.A. and Emmis Operating Company. Commitment and Engagement Letter, dated as of May 15, 2005, (b)(2)*between Banc of America Securities LLC and the Company. (b)(3)Revolving Credit and Term Loan Agreement dated May 10, 2004, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.1 to Emmis' Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended February 29, 2004. First Amendment to the Revolving Credit and Term Loan Agreement (b) (4) **dated as of June 6, 2005. (d) (1) Employment Agreement, dated as of March 1, 2004, by and between Emmis Operating Company and Jeffrey H. Smulyan, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended August 31, 2004. (d) (2) Employment Agreement, dated as of March 1, 2002, by and between Emmis Operating Company and Richard Cummings, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.21 to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended February 28, 2003. (d) (3) Amendment to Employment Agreement, dated February 7, 2005, by and between Emmis Operating Company and Richard Cummings, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.2 to the Company's Form 8-K filed February 11, 2005. Employment Agreement, dated as of March 1, 2002, by and between (d) (4) Emmis Operating Company and Walter Z. Berger, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.24 to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended February 28, 2003. Amendment to Employment Agreement, dated February 7, 2005, by (d)(5)and between Emmis Operating Company and Walter Z. Berger, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.4 to the Company's Form 8-K filed February 11, 2005. (d) (6) Employment Agreement, dated as of March 1, 2003, by and between Emmis Operating Company and Randall D. Bongarten, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.4 to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended May 31, 2003. Amendment to Employment Agreement, dated May 13, 2005, by and (d)(7)among the Company, Emmis Operating Company and Randall D. Bongarten, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.16 to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended February 28, 2005. (d) (8) Employment Agreement, effective as of March 1, 2003, by and between Emmis Operating Company and Gary L. Kaseff, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended August 31, 2003. (d) (9) Amendment to Employment Agreement, dated February 7, 2005, by and between Emmis Operating Company and Gary L. Kaseff, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.3 to the Company's

Form 8-K filed February 11, 2005.

Change in Control Severance Agreement, dated as of March 1,
2004, by and between the Company and Jeffrey H. Smulyan,
incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's
Quarterly Report on Form $10-Q$ for the quarter ended August 31, 2004.

- (d) (11) Change in Control Severance Agreement, dated as of August 11, 2003, by and between the Company and Walter Z. Berger, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.2 to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended August 31, 2003.
- (d) (12) Change in Control Severance Agreement, dated as of August 11, 2003, by and between the Company and Gary L. Kaseff, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.3 to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended August 31, 2003.
- (d) (13) Change in Control Severance Agreement, dated as of August 11, 2003, by and between the Company and Randall D. Bongarten, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.4 to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended August 31, 2003, as amended by Amendment to Employment Agreement, dated May 13, 2005, by and among the Company, Emmis Operating Company and Randall D. Bongarten, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.16 to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended February 28, 2005.
- (d) (14) Change in Control Severance Agreement, dated as of August 11, 2003, by and between the Company and Richard F. Cummings, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.5 to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended August 31, 2003.
- (d) (15) Emmis Operating Company Profit Sharing Plan, as amended, effective March 1, 1997 incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended February 28, 2003.
- (d) (16) Emmis Communications Corporation 1994 Equity Incentive Plan, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.5 to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-1, File No. 33-73218.
- (d) (17) The Emmis Communications Corporation 1995 Non-Employee Director Stock Option Plan, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.15 to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended February 28, 1995.
- (d) (18) The Emmis Communications Corporation 1995 Equity Incentive Plan, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.16 to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended February 28, 2005.
- (d) (19) Emmis Communications Corporation 1997 Equity Incentive Plan, incorporated by reference from Exhibit 10.5 to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended February 28, 1998.
- (d) (20) Emmis Communications Corporation 1999 Equity Incentive Plan, incorporated by reference from the Company's proxy statement

dated May 26, 1999.

(d) (21)	Emmis Communications Corporation 2001 Equity Incentive Plan, incorporated by reference from the Company's proxy statement dated May 25, 2001.
(d) (22)	Emmis Communications Corporation 2002 Equity Compensation Plan, incorporated by reference from the Company's proxy statement dated May 30, 2002.
(d) (23)	Emmis Communications Corporation 2004 Equity Compensation Plan, incorporated by reference from the Company's proxy statement dated May 28, 2004.
(d) (24)	2005 Stock Compensation Program Restricted Stock Agreement Form (tax vesting option), incorporated by reference to the Company's Form 10-Q for the quarter ended November 30, 2004.
(d) (25)	2005 Stock Compensation Program Restricted Stock Agreement Form (non-tax vesting option), incorporated by reference to the Company's Form 10-Q for the quarter ended November 30, 2004.
(d) (26)	2005 Stock Compensation Program, incorporated by reference to the Company's Form 8-K filed December 21, 2004.
(d) (27)	2005 Outside Director Stock Compensation Program, incorporated by reference to the Company's Form 8-K filed December 21, 2004.
(d) (28)	Form of Stock Option Grant Agreement, incorporated by reference to the Company's Form 8-K filed March 7, 2005.
(d) (29)	Form of Restricted Stock Option Grant Agreement, incorporated by reference to the Company's Form 8-K filed March 7, 2005.
(d) (30)	Director Compensation Policy effective May 13, 2005, incorporated by reference to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended February 28, 2005.
(g)	Not Applicable.
(h)	Not Applicable.

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^{*} Previously filed.

^{**} Filed herewith.