
**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K/A

(Amendment No. 1)

**CURRENT REPORT
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d)
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): **August 9, 2019**

FIRST HAWAIIAN, INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

001-14585

(Commission File Number)

99-0156159

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**999 Bishop St., 29th Floor
Honolulu, Hawaii**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

96813

(Zip Code)

(808) 525-7000

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class:

Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share

Trading Symbol(s)

FHB

Name of each exchange on which registered:

NASDAQ Global Select Market

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

The sole purpose of this amendment to the Current Report on Form 8-K/A (the "Form 8-K/A"), filed by First Hawaiian, Inc. (the "Company") with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 9, 2019 (the "Form 8-K"), is to add Inline eXtensible Business Reporting Language ("XBRL") tagging to the cover page of this Form 8-K/A and to furnish Exhibit 104 to this Form 8-K/A relating to the same.

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On August 9, 2019, First Hawaiian, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing that the Company's Board of Directors has approved a \$50 million increase in its stock repurchase program to up to \$150 million of its outstanding common stock during 2019. The Company also reported that it recently sold approximately \$400 million in shared national credits at a weighted average price of 99.7% and an estimated loss of \$1.2 million.

A copy of the Company's press release was attached to the Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release, dated August 9, 2019*
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File - the cover page XBRL tags are embedded within the Inline XBRL document

* Previously filed

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be filed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

FIRST HAWAIIAN, INC.

Date: August 15, 2019

By: /s/ Robert S. Harrison

Robert S. Harrison

Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer

(Principal Executive Officer)