SBA COMMUNICATIONS CORP

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NIELSEN STEVEN E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol SBA COMMUNICATIONS CORP

(Check all applicable)

[SBAC]

(Month/Day/Year)

03/12/2009

(Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O SBA COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION, 5900 BROKEN SOUND PARKWAY N.W.

(First)

(Middle)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

BOCA RATON, FL 33487

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquii	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (` '	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock	03/12/2009		M	10,000	A	\$ 14.8	20,000	D	
Class A Common Stock	03/12/2009		S	10,000	D	\$ 23.4672 (1)	10,000	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.8	03/12/2009		M		10,000	(2)	07/22/2015	Class A Common Stock	10,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 26.36						(3)	05/05/2016	Class A Common Stock	10,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 30.07						<u>(4)</u>	05/17/2014	Class A Common Stock	10,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 34.49						<u>(5)</u>	05/06/2015	Class A Common Stock	9,514

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationsnips					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
NIELSEN STEVEN E						
A.C. A.C A.C						

Date

C/O SBA COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION 5900 BROKEN SOUND PARKWAY N.W. BOCA RATON, FL 33487

X

Signatures

/s/ Thomas P. Hunt,
Attorney-in-Fact
03/13/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

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Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- Represents the weighted average price of the shares sold. The prices of the shares sold pursuant to the transactions ranged from \$23.45 to (1) \$23.49 per share. The reporting person, upon request, will provide the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (2) These options are immediately exercisable.
- These options vest in accordance with the following schedule: 3,333 vested on the earlier of the anniversary of the grant date or the day immediately prior to the 2007 annual meeting of shareholders; 3,333 vested on the earlier of the second anniversary of the grant date or the day immediately prior to the 2008 annual meeting of shareholders; and 3,334 vest on the earlier of the third anniversary of the grant date or the day immediately prior to the 2009 annual meeting of shareholders.
- These options vest in accordance with the following schedule: 3,333 vested on the day immediately prior to the 2008 annual meeting of shareholders; 3,333 vest on the day immediately prior to the 2009 annual meeting of shareholders; and 3,334 vest on the day immediately prior to the 2010 annual meeting of shareholders.
- These options vest in accordance with the following schedule: 3,171 vest on the day immediately prior to the 2009 annual meeting of shareholders; 3,171 vest on the day immediately prior to the 2010 annual meeting of shareholders; and 3,172 vest on the day immediately prior to the 2011 annual meeting of shareholders.

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