TA IX LP Form 4 April 08, 2009

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TA ASSOCIATES INC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

METROPCS COMMUNICATIONS INC [PCS]

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(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title __X_ Other (specify

04/06/2009

below) below) See General Remarks

JOHN HANCOCK TOWER, 200 CLARENDON ST, 56TH FLOOR

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

BOSTON, MA 02116

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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)	onor Dispos (Instr. 3,	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)	
Common Stock	04/06/2009		S <u>(11)</u>	11,403 (1)	D	\$ 17.9737	18,501,478	I	See Footnote 6 (6)	
Common Stock	04/06/2009		S <u>(11)</u>	5,280 (2)	D	\$ 17.9737	8,563,109	I	See Footnote 7 (7)	
Common Stock	04/06/2009		S <u>(11)</u>	1,014 (3)	D	\$ 17.9737	1,642,347	I	See Footnote 8 (8)	
Common	04/06/2009		S <u>(11)</u>	233 (4)	D	\$	379,056	I	See	

Stock					17.9737			Footnote 9 (9)
Common Stock	04/06/2009	S <u>(11)</u>	42 (5)	D	\$ 17.9737	68,046	I	See Footnote 10 (10)

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)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	(Month/Day/Year) vative rities aired or osed		7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
and a second of the second	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
TA ASSOCIATES INC JOHN HANCOCK TOWER 200 CLARENDON ST, 56TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02116	X			See General Remarks		
TA IX LP JOHN HANCOCK TOWER 200 CLARENDON ST. 56TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02116				See General Remarks		
TA ASSOCIATES IX LLC JOHN HANCOCK TOWER 200 CLARENDON ST. 56TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02116				See General Remarks		
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TA Atlantic & Pacific V L P JOHN HANCOCK TOWER

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TA Associates AP V L.P. JOHN HANCOCK TOWER

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TA / ATLANTIC & PACIFIC IV LP

JOHN HANCOCK TOWER

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TA ASSOCIATES AP IV LP

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TA ASSOCIATES STRATEGIC PARTNERS FUND A LP

JOHN HANCOCK TOWER

200 CLARENDON ST 56TH FLOOR

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JOHN HANCOCK TOWER

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TA ASSOCIATES SPF LP

JOHN HANCOCK TOWER

200 CLARENDON ST. 56TH FLOOR

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Signatures

TA Associates, Inc. By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer 04/08/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

TA IX L.P., By TA Associates IX LLC, Its General Partner, By TA Associates, Inc., Its
04/08/2009

Manager, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

TA Associates IX LLC, By TA Associates, Inc., Its Manager, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief
04/08/2009

Financial Officer

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Date

TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P., By TA Associates AP V L.P., Its General Partner, By TA Associates, Inc., Its General Partner, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

TA Associates AP V L.P., By TA Associates, Inc., Its General Parter, By Thomas P. Alber,

Chief Financial Officer

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P., By TA Associates AP IV L.P., Its General Partner, By TA Associates, Inc., Its General Partner, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

04/08/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

TA Associates AP IV L.P., By TA Associates, Inc., Its General Partner, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

04/08/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

TA Strategic Partners Fund A L.P., By TA Associates SPF L.P., Its General Partner, By TA Associates, Inc., Its General Partner, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

04/08/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P., By TA Associates SPF L.P., Its General Partner, By TA Associates, Inc., Its General Partner, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

04/08/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

TA Associates SPF L.P., By TA Associates, Inc., Its General Partner, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

04/08/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
- (1) These securities were sold solely by TA IX L.P.
- (2) These securities were sold solely by TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P.
- (3) These securities were sold solely by TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P.
- (4) These securities were sold solely by TA Strategic Partners Fund A L.P.
- (5) These securities were sold solely by TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P.
- These securities are owned solely by TA IX L.P. TA Associates, Inc. is the Manager of TA Associates IX LLC, which is the General Partner of TA IX L.P. Each of TA Associates, Inc. and TA Associates IX LLC may be deemed to have a beneficial interest in shares held by TA IX L.P. and each disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest in such shares which is subject to indeterminable future events.
 - These securities are owned solely by TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P. TA Associates, Inc. is the General Partner of TA Associates AP V L.P., which is the General Partner of TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P. Each of TA Associates, Inc. and TA Associates AP V L.P.
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- (10) L.P. may be deemed to have a beneficial interest in shares held by TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P. and each disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest in such shares which is subject to indeterminable future events.

The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by TA Associates, Inc. on May 20, 2008 and amended on December 3, 2008.

Remarks:

The Reporting Persons are members of a 13(d) group. The Reporting Persons have a representative on the Issuer's board of di Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.