TA IX LP Form 4 August 05, 2010

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

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

(First) (Middle)

JOHN HANCOCK TOWER, 200 CLARENDON ST, 56TH FLOOR

(Street)

(State)

BOSTON, MA 02116

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

METROPCS COMMUNICATIONS INC [PCS]

(Month/Day/Year) 08/03/2010

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

below)

Issuer

_X__ Director

Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person

Officer (give title

X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

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below)

10% Owner __X_ Other (specify

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	08/03/2010		S <u>(7)</u>	9,461 (1)	D	\$ 8.9704	17,443,277	I	See Footnote 4 (4)
Common Stock	08/03/2010		S <u>(7)</u>	4,381 (2)	D	\$ 8.9704	8,073,187	I	See Footnote 5 (5)
Common Stock	08/03/2010		S <u>(7)</u>	841 (3)	D	\$ 8.9704	1,548,281	I	See Footnote 6 (6)
Common	08/05/2010		S(7)	93,990	D	\$	17,349,287	I	See

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Stock			<u>(1)</u>		9.4033			Footnote 4 (4)
Common Stock	08/05/2010	S <u>(7)</u>	43,515 (2)	D	\$ 9.4033	8,029,672	I	See Footnote 5 (5)
Common Stock	08/05/2010	S <u>(7)</u>	8,355 (3)	D	\$ 9.4033	1,539,926	I	See Footnote 6 (6)

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exercises Expiration D		7. Title a		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
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					(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or	umber		
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Marcis	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				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 200 CLARENDON ST. 56TH FLOOR

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**Signature of Reporting Person

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

**Signature of Reporting Person

BOSTON, MA 02116

Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

TA Associates, Inc. By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer 08/05/2010 **Signature of Reporting Person Date TA IX L.P., By TA Associates IX LLC, Its General Partner, By TA Associates, Inc., Its 08/05/2010 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 08/05/2010 Financial Officer **Signature of Reporting Person Date TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P., By TA Associates AP V L.P., Its General Partner, By TA 08/05/2010 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, 08/05/2010 Chief Financial Officer **Signature of Reporting Person Date TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P., By TA Associates AP IV L.P., Its General Partner, By TA 08/05/2010 Associates, Inc., Its General Partner, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

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Date

08/05/2010

Date

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- * 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.
- 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.
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- (7) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by TA Associates, Inc. on March 3, 2010 and amended on March 12, 2010.

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.