

Carter J Braxton II
Form 4
April 06, 2009

FORM 4

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Carter J Braxton II

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
METROPCS COMMUNICATIONS
INC [PCS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2250 LAKESIDE BOULEVARD
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
04/02/2009

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
Executive VP and CFO

RICHARDSON, TX 75082

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
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Person

(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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	04/02/2009		M	85,500 A	\$ 7.1333 175,461 ⁽²⁾	D	
Common Stock	04/02/2009		M	669 A	\$ 7.1533 176,130 ⁽²⁾	D	
Common Stock	04/02/2009		M	50,831 A	\$ 7.1533 226,961 ⁽²⁾	D	
Common Stock	04/02/2009		S ⁽¹⁾	85,500 D	\$ 18.88 141,461 ⁽²⁾	D	
Common Stock	04/02/2009		S ⁽¹⁾	669 D	\$ 18.88 140,792 ⁽²⁾	D	

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Common Stock 04/02/2009 S⁽¹⁾ 50,831 D \$ 18.88 89,961 ⁽²⁾ 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative 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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.1333	04/02/2009	04/02/2009	M	85,500	⁽³⁾ 08/03/2015	Common Stock	85,500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.1533	04/02/2009	04/02/2009	M	669	⁽⁴⁾ 12/30/2015	Common Stock	669
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.1533	04/02/2009	04/02/2009	M	50,831	⁽⁵⁾ 03/14/2016	Common Stock	50,831

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Carter J Braxton II 2250 LAKESIDE BOULEVARD RICHARDSON, TX 75082	Executive VP and CFO

Signatures

/s/ Damien Falgoust, as Attorney in Fact for J. Braxton
Carter

04/06/2009

__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) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 18, 2007.
- (2) Includes 75,000 shares of unvested restricted stock that vest as previously disclosed.

This option was granted on August 3, 2005. Twenty-five percent (25%) of the option vested on March 31, 2006, and the remainder vested
- (3) upon the reporting person's completion of each additional month of service, in a series of thirty-six (36) successive, equal monthly installments.
- (4) This option was granted on December 30, 2005. The option vested over a one-year period as follows: fifty percent (50%) of the underlying shares vested on January 1, 2006 and the remaining fifty percent (50%) of the underlying shares vested on January 1, 2007.

This option was granted on March 14, 2006. Twenty-five percent (25%) of the option vested on March 14, 2007, and the remainder
- (5) vested upon the reporting person's completion of each additional month of service, in a series of thirty-six (36) successive, equal monthly installments.

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