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(Print or Type	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> VIACOM INC								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Lost)	(Eirot)							(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1515 BROADWAY,			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/05/2004					DirectorX10% Owner Officer (give titleOther (specify below)			
(Street)							5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person				
NEW YOR	RK, NY 10036							K_ Form filed by M erson			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I	- Non-	Derivative Sec	urities	Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	ecurity (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction		4. Securities Acquired (A) mr Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A)			Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			C	ode V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Class A Common Stock	10/05/2004			С	72,000,000	А	\$0	72,000,000	D <u>(1)</u>		
Class B Common Stock								72,000,000	D (1)		

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	 5. Number of ctionDerivative Securities Acquired 8) (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) 		Derivative Expiration Date Securities Acquired (Month/Day/Year) (A) or Disposed of (D)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount o Number o Shares
Class B Common Stock (1)	\$ 0	10/05/2004		С		72,000,000	(1)	<u>(1)</u>	Class A Common Stock	72,000,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
VIACOM INC 1515 BROADWAY NEW YORK, NY 10036		Х					
NAIRI INC 200 ELM STREET DEDHAM, MA 02026		Х					
NATIONAL AMUSEMENTS INC /MD/ 200 ELM STREET DEDHAM, MA 02026		Х					
REDSTONE SUMNER M C/O VIACOM INC. 1515 BROADWAY NEW YORK, NY 10036	Х	Х					
VIACOM INTERNATIONAL INC /DE/ 1515 BROADWAY NEW YORK, NY 10036		Х					
Signatures							
By: Michael D. Fricklas, Executive Vice President		10/07/2004					
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date					
By: Sumner M. Redstone, Chairman & President		10/07/2004					
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date					
By: Sumner M. Redstone, Chairman & CE	0	10/07/2004					
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date					

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By: Sumner M. Redstone	10/07/2004		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		
By: Michael D. Fricklas, Executive Vice President	10/07/2004		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		
Explanation of Responses:			

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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On October 1, 2004, joint reporting person Viacom International Inc. transferred 144 million shares of Blockbuster Inc. Class B common stock (the Class B Stock) to its sole stockholder and joint reporting person, Viacom Inc. (Viacom). On October 5, 2004, Viacom converted 72 million shares of the Class B Stock on a one-for-one basis into 72 million shares of Blockbuster Class A common stock. The

(1) 72 million shares of Class B Stock remaining after the conversion described in the preceding sentence are no longer convertible and are now reflected on Table I of this report. These securities are owned directly by Viacom, but may also be deemed to be beneficially owned by (1) NAIRI, Inc. (NAIRI), which owns approximately 71% of Viacom's voting stock, (2) NAIRI's parent corporation, National Amusements, Inc. (NAI) and (3) Sumner M. Redstone, who is the controlling stockholder of NAI.

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