BRADY BRIAN Form 4 August 06, 2009

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

SAGA COMMUNICATIONS INC

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

**BRADY BRIAN** 

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

See Instruction

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(Last) (First) (Middle)  2111 UNIVERSITY PARK DRIVE SUITE 650			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/05/2009					_X_ Director Officer (giv below)	ve title Other (specify below)		
		4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
OKEMOS, I	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	any		emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or Amount (D) Price			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	08/05/2009			M	341 (1)	A	\$ 0.04	341	D		
Class A Common Stock	08/05/2009			G <u>(1)</u>	341	D	\$ 0	0	D		
Class A Common Stock	08/05/2009			G <u>(1)</u>	170	A	\$0	1,131	I	By daughter	
Class A	08/05/2009			G <u>(1)</u>	171	A	\$0	1,132	I	Ву	

Common daughter Stock

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)		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
Directors Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.04	08/05/2009		M	235	01/30/2004	01/30/2014	Class A Common Stock	235
Directors Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.04	08/05/2009		M	106	01/31/2003	01/31/2013	Class A Common Stock	106

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BRADY BRIAN
2111 UNIVERSITY PARK DRIVE SUITE 650 X
OKEMOS, MI 48864

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Relationships

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### **Signatures**

or for any other purpose.

Fred B. Green as attorney-in-fact 08/06/2009

\*\*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).
- This transaction involved the exercise of stock options and the gift of shares of Class A Common Stock acquired upon such exercise by (1) the reporting person to his two daughters. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of their shares for purposes of Section 16

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