FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BROWN CLARKE ROGER JR						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SAGA COMMUNICATIONS INC [SGA]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
BROWN CLARKE RUGER JR														-		X Dir	ecto	r		10% Ov	vner	
(Last) 3350 PE	Last) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/31/2005										Officer (give title Other (specify below)						
PENTHOUSE SUITE						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Menth/Dev/Veer)										6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable						
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(City)	(Si	tate)	(Zip)																			
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curition	es Ac	cqui	ired, D	ispo	osed (of, or I	3en	eficial	ly Ow	ned					
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									(Code V	e V Amo		t (A) or (D)		Price	Tran	sacti	ed ction(s) and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transactio Code (Inst 8)		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) of Dispo of (D) (Instr	rative rities rired r osed)	Expi	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title Amoun Securit Underly Derivat (Instr. 3	t of ies /ing ive Se		8. Price Derivati Security (Instr. 5)	ve	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	
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Directors Stock	\$0.01	01/31/2005			Δ		416		01/3	31/2005	01/3	11/2015	Class A		416	\$0.00		416		D		

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

(right to

buy)

/s/ Clarke R. Brown, by Paul R. Rentenbach attorney-in-fact 02/02/2005

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Stock

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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