FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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| ı | obligations may continue. See |
| | Instruction 1(b) |

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP hours per response: 0.5 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BROWN CLARKE ROGER JR | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SAGA COMMUNICATIONS INC [SGA] | | | | | | | | | | | | | o of Reportin blicable) | ıg Pei | rson(s) to Is | | |
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| (Last) (First) (Middle) 73 KERCHEVAL AVENUE | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/28/2018 | | | | | | | | | | | A | | cer (give title | | Other (specify below) | |
| (Street) GROSSE POINTE FARMS (City) | M | | 18236 Zip) | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | Individ ne) X | Form | r Joint/Group n filed by One n filed by Mor on | e Rep | porting Pers | on | |
| | | Tabl | e I - Non- | Deriva | ative | Sec | curitie | s Ac | qui | red, Di | sp | osed o | f, or | Ben | eficia | ally C |)wne | ed | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D | | | | | ar) E | Execution f any | . Deemed ecution Date, iny onth/Day/Year) | | Transaction Dis | | Disposed | . Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, D) | | | 4 and Se | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | | wnership m: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | | | | | (| Code V | | Amount | | (A) or (D) | Price | , l- | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | (111501.4) |
| Class A Common Stock 11/28/ | | | | | | 2/2018 | | | | Α | | 468(1) | | A | \$0 | | 5,339 | | | D | |
| | 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 Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye | ate, Transactio | | | | | 6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year | | | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) | | | | | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Ins | Ownership | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exe | te ercisable | | xpiration ate | Title | or Nur of | nber | | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Grant of restricted stock which vests in one-third increments on November 6, 2019, 2020 and 2021 unless the reporting person is no longer a director on the applicable date. Any restricted stock which does not vest is forfeited. Notwithstanding the above, if the reporting person is a director on the occurrence or deemed occurrence of a change in control, all restricted stock shall vest.

> Carrie Leahy, Attorney-in-Fact by Power of Attorney

11/30/2018

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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