

Henderson Christopher J
Form 4
March 12, 2010

FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Henderson Christopher J

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
SALEM COMMUNICATIONS
CORP /DE/ [SALM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
4880 SANTA ROSA ROAD
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/10/2010

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
Vice President & Secretary

CAMARILLO, CA 93012

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price		
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010		M		10,000	A \$ 0.56	10,000	D
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010		S		100	D \$ 5.3	9,900	D
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010		S		200	D \$ 5.28	9,700	D
Class A Common	03/10/2010		S		200	D \$ 5.35	9,500	D

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Stock								
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010	S	100	D	\$ 5.5	9,400		D
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010	S	100	D	\$ 5.45	9,300		D
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010	S	200	D	\$ 5.41	9,100		D
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010	S	200	D	\$ 5.36	8,900		D
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010	S	102	D	\$ 5.39	8,798		D
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010	S	1,218	D	\$ 5.38	7,580		D
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010	S	700	D	\$ 5.43	6,880		D
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010	S	398	D	\$ 5.32	6,482		D
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010	S	200	D	\$ 5.4	6,282		D
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010	S	300	D	\$ 5.34	5,982		D
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010	S	482	D	\$ 5.37	5,500		D
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010	S	900	D	\$ 5.33	4,600		D
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010	S	100	D	\$ 5.26	4,500		D
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010	S	900	D	\$ 5.31	3,600		D

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Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010	S	1,200	D	\$ 5.29	2,400	D
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010	S	500	D	\$ 5.27	1,900	D
Class A Common Stock	03/10/2010	S	1,900	D	\$ 5.25	0	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)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 56	03/10/2010		M		10,000		02/24/2010	02/24/2015	Class A Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Henderson Christopher J
4880 SANTA ROSA ROAD
CAMARILLO, CA 93012

Vice President & Secretary

Signatures

By: Evan D. Masyr Attorney-in-fact for Christopher J. Henderson pursuant to a continuing power of attorney

03/12/2010

__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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