Ciarfella Mark R Form 4 May 03, 2013

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Ciarfella Mark R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

SBA COMMUNICATIONS CORP

[SBAC]

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

C/O SBA COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION, 5900 BROKEN SOUND PARKWAY, NW

(First)

(Middle)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

05/02/2013

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

SVP - Operations

10% Owner

_ Other (specify

Issuer

below)

Director

X_ Officer (give title

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BOCA RATON, FL 33487

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Securi	ties Acqu	iired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of 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)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Class A Common Stock	05/02/2013		M	3,156	A	\$ 35.71	6,443	D	
Class A Common Stock	05/02/2013		M	3,656	A	\$ 42.15	10,099	D	
Class A Common Stock	05/02/2013		M	3,950	A	\$ 47.52	14,049	D	

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Class A					\$		
Common	05/02/2013	S	10,762	D	79.53	3,287	D
Stock					(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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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 Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 35.71	05/02/2013		M		3,156	<u>(2)</u>	03/04/2017	Class A Common Stock	3,156
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>						<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Class A Common Stock	721
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 42.15	05/02/2013		M		3,656	<u>(5)</u>	03/04/2018	Class A Common Stock	3,656
Restricted Stock Units	(3)						<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Class A Common Stock	1,683
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 47.52	05/02/2013		M		3,950	<u>(7)</u>	03/06/2019	Class A Common Stock	3,950
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>						(8)	(8)	Class A Common Stock	2,621
Stock	\$ 72.99						<u>(9)</u>	03/06/2020	Class A	22,692

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Options (Right to Buy)				Common Stock	
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	(10)	(10)	Class A Common Stock	2,971

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Ciarfella Mark R C/O SBA COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION 5900 BROKEN SOUND PARKWAY, NW BOCA RATON, FL 33487

SVP - Operations

Signatures

/s/ Joshua M. Koenig, Attorney-in-Fact 05/03/2013

**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).
- Represents the weighted average price of the shares sold. The prices of the shares sold pursuant to the transactions ranged from \$79.50 to \$79.58 per share. The Reporting Person, upon request, will provide the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- These options vest in accordance with the following schedule: 3,156 vest on each of the first and third anniversaries of the grant date and 3,157 vest on each of the second and fourth anniversaries of the grant date (March 4, 2010).
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Class A Common Stock.
- (4) These restricted stock units vest in accordance with the following schedule: 720 vest on each of the first through third anniversaries of the grant date and 721 vest on the fourth anniversary of the grant date (March 4, 2010).
- These options vest in accordance with the following schedule: 3,655 vest on each of the first and third anniversaries of the grant date and 3,656 vest on each of the second and fourth anniversaries of the grant date (March 4, 2011).
- These restricted stock units vest in accordance with the following schedule: 841 vest on each of the first through third anniversaries of the grant date and 842 vest on the fourth anniversary of the grant date (March 4, 2011).
- (7) These options vest in accordance with the following schedule: 3,950 vest on each of the first through third anniversaries of the grant date and 3,951 vest on the fourth anniversary of the grant date (March 6, 2012).
- (8) These restricted stock units vest in accordance with the following schedule: 873 vest on each of the first and the third anniversary of the grant date and 874 vest on each of the second and the fourth anniversary of the grant date (March 6, 2012).
- (9) These options vest in accordance with the following schedule: 5,673 vest on each of the first through fourth anniversaries of the grant date (March 6, 2013).
- (10) These restricted stock units vest in accordance with the following schedule: 742 vest on the first anniversary of the grant date and 743 vest on each of the second through fourth anniversaries of the grant date (March 6, 2013).

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