

Stubbs Charles J  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Stubbs Charles J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
PRIMEDIA INC [PRM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
3585 ENGINEERING  
DRIVE, SUITE 100  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/25/2009

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
President and CEO

NORCROSS, GA 30092  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	03/25/2009		F		21,691 (1)	D	1.67 (1)
Common Stock	03/25/2009		A		175,884 (3) (4)	A	\$ 0
							480,701 (2)

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Stubbs Charles J 3585 ENGINEERING DRIVE SUITE 100 NORCROSS, GA 30092	X		President and CEO	

## Signatures

/s/ KRISTI O. CRAWFORD, as  
Attorney-in-Fact

03/27/2009

\_\_\_\_\_  
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).
- (1) Number of shares withheld to satisfy withholding tax requirements of vested restricted stock at the request of insider. Determination of the number of shares withheld based on common stock closing price of \$1.67 on March 5, 2009.
- (2) Share total adjusted to include March 5, 2009 vesting of award of 65,496 shares pursuant to the Company's Long-Term Incentive Plan for 2008.
- (3) Supplemental grant on March 25, 2009 of restricted stock, the vesting of which is subject to the achievement of annual EBITDA performance target established as part of the Company's Long-Term Incentive Plan for 2009.
- (4) Includes a grant on March 25, 2009 of 131,913 shares of restricted stock, which fully vests on December 31, 2012, so long as the reporting person remains employed with the Company through such date.

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