

METROPCS COMMUNICATIONS INC  
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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 \*  
 TA ASSOCIATES IX LLC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 METROPCS COMMUNICATIONS INC [PCS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 JOHN HANCOCK TOWER, 200 CLARENDON ST. 56TH FLOOR  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 04/24/2007

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_X\_\_ 10% Owner  
 \_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_X\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 See General Remarks

BOSTON, MA 02116

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting 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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	04/24/2007		C	10,753,504	A (2) 24,970,567	I	See Footnote 1 (1)
Common Stock	04/24/2007		C	1,965,842	A (3) 26,936,409	I	See Footnote 1 (1)
Common Stock	04/24/2007		S	3,313,772	D \$ 23 23,622,637	I	See Footnote 1 (1)

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



## 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) The reporting person may be deemed to have an indirect pecuniary interest as the General Partner of TA IX L.P. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares because the reporting person's indirect pecuniary interest is subject to indeterminable future events.
- (2) The shares of Series D Convertible Preferred Stock (the "Series D Preferred Stock") converted, along with any accrued but unpaid dividends thereon, into common stock of MetroPCS Communications, Inc. (the "Company"). Each share of Series D Preferred Stock represented an original investment of \$100 which, with the accrued but unpaid dividends thereon, was converted to the Company's common stock at the rate of approximately \$3.13 per share of common stock.
- (3) The shares of Series E Convertible Preferred Stock (the "Series E Preferred Stock") converted, along with any accrued but unpaid dividends thereon, into common stock of MetroPCS Communications, Inc. (the "Company"). Each share of Series E Preferred Stock represented an original investment of \$100 which, with the accrued but unpaid dividends thereon, was converted to the Company's common stock at the rate of \$9.00 per share of common stock.
- (4) The Series D Preferred Stock had been automatically convertible upon (i) completion of a Qualified Public Offering (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement, as amended); (ii) the Common Stock trading on a national securities exchange for a period of 30 consecutive trading dates above a price that implies a market valuation of the Series D Preferred Stock in excess of twice the initial purchase price of the Series D Preferred Stock; or (iii) the date specified by the holders of two-thirds of the initial purchase price of the Series D Preferred Stock. If not previously converted, the Company was required to redeem all outstanding shares of Series D Preferred Stock on July 17, 2015, at the liquidation value plus accrued but unpaid dividends.
- (5) The Series E Preferred Stock had been automatically convertible upon (i) completion of a Qualified Public Offering (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement, as amended); (ii) the Common Stock trading on a national securities exchange for a period of 30 consecutive trading dates above a price that implies a market valuation of the Series E Preferred Stock in excess of twice the initial purchase price of the Series E Preferred Stock; or (iii) the date specified by the holders of two-thirds of the initial purchase price of the Series E Preferred Stock. If not previously converted, the Company was required to redeem all outstanding shares of Series E Preferred Stock on July 17, 2015, at the liquidation value plus accrued but unpaid dividends.

### Remarks:

The Reporting Person is a member of a 13(d) group owning more than 10%. The Reporting Person has a representative on the

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