BERNSTEIN STEVEN E

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BERNSTEIN STEVEN E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

SBA COMMUNICATIONS CORP

(Check all applicable)

[SBAC]

(Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title _X_ Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2012

below) below) Chairman

C/O SBA COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION, 5900 BROKEN SOUND PARKWAY N.W.

(First)

(Middle)

(Street)

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

Issuer

BOCA RATON, FL 33487

Stock

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly 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. Securi onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) c l of (D))	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)
Class A Common Stock	05/04/2012		M	615	A	(<u>1</u>)	1,237	D	
Class A Common Stock	05/06/2012		M	622	A	(2)	1,859	D	
Class A Common							240,142	I	See

footnote (3)

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

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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of any Code Derivate (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Securities Acquires (A) or Dispose of (D)		Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		Date	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)	\$ 14.8					<u>(4)</u>	07/22/2015	Class A Common Stock	6,667
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 26.36					<u>(4)</u>	05/05/2016	Class A Common Stock	10,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 30.07					<u>(4)</u>	05/17/2014	Class A Common Stock	10,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 34.49					<u>(4)</u>	05/06/2015	Class A Common Stock	9,514
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.38					<u>(4)</u>	05/07/2016	Class A Common Stock	9,374
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 32.81					<u>(5)</u>	05/06/2017	Class A Common Stock	2,042
Restricted Stock	<u>(6)</u>	05/06/2012		M	62	2 (7)	<u>(7)</u>	Class A Common	622

Units							Stock	
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 37.76				(8)	05/04/2018	Class A Common Stock	2,015
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(6)</u>	05/04/2012	M	615	(9)	<u>(9)</u>	Class A Common Stock	615

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BERNSTEIN STEVEN E C/O SBA COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION 5900 BROKEN SOUND PARKWAY N.W. BOCA RATON, FL 33487

X Chairman

Signatures

/s/ Thomas P. Hunt, Attorney-in-Fact

05/08/2012

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) On May 4, 2012, 615 of the Reporting Person's restricted stock units were settled for an equal number of shares of Class A Common Stock.
- (2) On May 6, 2012, 622 of the Reporting Person's restricted stock units were settled for an equal number of shares of Class A Common Stock.
- (3) These shares are held by Bernstein Limited Partnership II, an entity controlled, in part, by the Reporting Person. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (4) These options are immediately exercisable.
- These options vest in accordance with the following schedule: 680 vest on the earlier of May 6, 2011 or the day immediately prior to the (5) 2011 annual meeting of shareholders; 681 vest on the earlier of May 6, 2012 or the day immediately prior to the 2012 annual meeting of shareholders; and 681 vest on the earlier of May 6, 2013 or the day immediately prior to the 2013 annual meeting of shareholders.
- (6) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Class A common stock.
- These restricted stock units vest in accordance with the following schedule: 622 vest on the earlier of May 6, 2011 or the day immediately prior to the 2011 annual meeting of shareholders; 622 vest on the earlier of May 6, 2012 or the day immediately prior to the 2012 annual meeting of shareholders; and 622 vest on the earlier of May 6, 2013 or the day immediately prior to the 2013 annual meeting of shareholders
- These options vest in accordance with the following schedule: 672 vest on the earlier of May 4, 2012 or the day immediately prior to the 2012 annual meeting of shareholders; 671 vest on the earlier of May 4, 2013 or the day immediately prior to the 2013 annual meeting of shareholders; and 672 vest on the earlier of May 4, 2014 or the day immediately prior to the 2014 annual meeting of shareholders.
- (9) These restricted stock units vest in accordance with the following schedule: 615 vest on the earlier of May 4, 2012 or the day immediately prior to the 2012 annual meeting of shareholders; 615 vest on the earlier of May 4, 2013 or the day immediately prior to the 2013 annual meeting of shareholders; and 615 vest on the earlier of May 4, 2014 or the day immediately prior to the 2014 annual meeting of

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shareholders.

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