

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>REDSTONE SUMNER M</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>1515 BROADWAY</u> (Street) <u>NEW YORK NY 10036</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>VIACOM INC [VIA, VIAB]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) <u>Chairman & CEO</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>08/05/2005</u>	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

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 B common stock	08/05/2005		D		1,043,847 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$32.8138 ⁽²⁾	89,198,982	I	By NAIRI, Inc. ⁽³⁾
Class B common stock								10,080	D	
Class B common stock								265	I	By 401(k)
Class B common stock								200	I	By Spouse

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)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*
NAIRI INC
 (Last) (First) (Middle)
200 ELM STREET
 (Street)
DEDHAM MA 02026
 (City) (State) (Zip)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

NATIONAL AMUSEMENTS INC /MD/

(Last) (First) (Middle)

200 ELM STREET

(Street)

DEDHAM MA 02026

(City) (State) (Zip)

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares sold to Viacom Inc. (Viacom) pursuant to a previously disclosed agreement among NAIRI, Inc. (NAIRI), National Amusements Inc. (NAI) and Viacom, pursuant to which NAIRI and NAI participate in Viacom's stock purchase program on a pro-rata basis.
2. Calculated in accordance with the terms of the agreement referred to in footnote 1.
3. These securities are owned directly by NAIRI, but may also be deemed to be beneficially owned by (1) NAIRI's parent corporation, NAI, and (2) Sumner M. Redstone, who is the controlling stockholder of NAI.

Remarks:

By: /s/ Michael D. Fricklas, 08/09/2005
Attorney-in-Fact

By: /s/ Richard J. Sherman, 08/09/2005
Vice President

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Vice President

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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).

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