FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  SCHWARTZ WILLIAM  (Last) (First) (Middle)  1515 BROADWAY					Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VIACOM INC [ VIA, VIAB ]      Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2005								Relationship of Reporting R (Check all applicable)     Director     Officer (give title below)			g Person	Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner  Other (specify below)	
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10036  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  Ative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefic								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D				saction	2A. Deemed Execution Date			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)		nstr. 3, 4	or and	5. Amo Securit Benefic Owned Reporte	unt of ties cially Following	6. Owne Form: D (D) or In (I) (Instr	irect direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficial (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities													lly O	(Instr. 3	3 and 4)			
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)	Code (Ins				6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		le and	and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrand 4)		De Se	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Own For Dire or II (I) (I	nership m: ect (D) ndirect nstr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		oiration e	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	er					
Phantom Class A Common Stock Units	(1)	07/01/2005		A		455		(1)		(1)	Class A common stock	455	\$	32.42	21,200		D	
Phantom Class B Common Stock Units	(1)	07/01/2005		A		459		(1)		(1)	Class B common stock	459	\$	32.18	21,521		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Reporting Person has elected to defer payment of Board retainer and fees pursuant to Viacom's deferred compensation arrangement for directors. Deferred amounts (including any cash dividends credited during the previous quarter) are deemed invested quarterly in the number of Phantom Common Stock Units equal to the number of shares of Class A and Class B Common Stock that such amounts would have purchased when converted. Phantom Common Stock Units are paid out after the Director's retirement from the Board and are settled in cash.

## Remarks:

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

07/06/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person D

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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