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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** LADA WARREN S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			SAGA COMMUNICATIONS INC [SGA]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner Other (specify			
73 KERCHEVAL (Street)			03/02/2009	below) below) Senior VP - Operations			
			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
GROSSE POINTE				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
FARMS, MI	48236						

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price			0) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Class A Common Stock	03/02/2009		F	552	D	\$ 3.5	6,532	D	
Class A Common Stock							233	I	By 401(k)
Class A Common Stock							1,343	Ι	By ESPP

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

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						Exercisable			of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LADA WARREN S 73 KERCHEVAL GROSSE POINTE FARMS, MI 48236

Senior VP - Operations

Signatures

Fred B. Green as attorney-in-fact 03/04/2009

**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).

Remarks:

Number of shares disclosed reflect January 28, 2009 1-for-4 reverse stock split.

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