#### Mulvaney Timothy J Form 3 July 08, 2009 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION **OMB APPROVAL** FORM 3 Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB 3235-0104 Number:

## **INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Mulvaney Timothy J			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MEDIA GENERAL INC [MEG]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	07/01/2009	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
333 E FRAM	VKLIN ST							
(Street)			(Check all applicable)			1	6. Individual or Joint/Group	
RICHMON	D, VA 2	23219		.e	<pre>10%Other v) (specify belo ontroller</pre>		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 Beneficially Owned					
1.Title of Secu (Instr. 4)	rity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.		
Class A Cor	nmon Stoc	k	1,950		D	Â		
Class A Common Stock			7,648		Ι	401(	k) Plan	
-	ort on a separ		ach class of securities benefic	ially S	EC 1473 (7-02	2)		

owned directly or indirectly.

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### Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Ownership
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
			Derivative	Security:	

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2005

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(1)	01/30/2011	Class A Common Stock	400	\$ 51.405	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(2)	01/31/2012	Class A Common Stock	700	\$ 50.355	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	( <u>3)</u>	01/29/2013	Class A Common Stock	1,000	\$ 56.025	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(4)	01/28/2014	Class A Common Stock	900	\$ 63.23	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(5)	01/27/2015	Class A Common Stock	1,400	\$ 63.18	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(6)	01/26/2016	Class A Common Stock	2,100	\$ 49.66	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(7)	01/29/2018	Class A Common Stock	3,300	\$ 20.3	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(8)	01/29/2019	Class A Common Stock	3,800	\$ 2.16	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Right	( <u>9)</u>	01/31/2012	Class A Common Stock	1,400	\$ 40.01	D	Â

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Mulvaney Timothy J 333 E FRANKLIN ST RICHMOND, VA 23219	Â	Â	Controller	Â		
Signatures						
/s/ Timothy J. Mulvaney, by Ge Attorney-in-fact		07/08/2009				

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Options granted under 1996 Non-qualified Stock Option Plan, which became fully exercisable on 1/30/2004.
- (2) Options granted under 1996 Non-qualified Stock Option Plan, which became fully exercisable on 1/31/2005.
- (3) Options granted under 1996 Non-qualified Stock Option Plan, which became fully exercisable on 1/29/2006.
- (4) Options granted under 1996 Non-qualified Stock Option Plan, which became fully exercisable on 1/28/2007.
- (5) Options granted under 1996 Non-qualified Stock Option Plan, which became fully exercisable on 1/27/2008.
- (6) Options granted under 1996 Non-qualified Stock Option Plan, which became fully exercisable on 1/26/2009.
- (7) Options granted under 1996 Non-qualified Stock Option Plan, which become exercisable 1/3 per year on January 29, 2009, 2010, and 2011.
- (8) Options granted under 1996 Non-qualified Stock Option Plan, which become exercisable 1/3 per year on January 29, 2010, 2011, and 2012.
- (9) Stock appreciation rights granted under the Stock Appreciation Rights Plan which become exercisable 1/3 per year on January 31, 2008, 2009, and 2010 and are settled in cash.

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### **Remarks:**

# Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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