

METROPCS COMMUNICATIONS INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Young Robert Allen

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 METROPCS COMMUNICATIONS INC [PCS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 2250 LAKESIDE BOULEVARD  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/20/2007

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 EVP/Market Operations/East

RICHARDSON, TX 75082

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	12/20/2007		M		762 A \$ 7.1533	D	
Common Stock	12/20/2007		M		3,493 A \$ 5.4867	D	
Common Stock	12/20/2007		M		48,245 A \$ 7.1333	D	
Common Stock	12/20/2007		S <sup>(1)</sup>		52,500 D \$ 20	D	

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

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**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)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.1533	12/20/2007	12/20/2007	M	762	<u>(2)</u> 12/30/2015	Common Stock	762
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.4867	12/20/2007	12/20/2007	M	3,493	<u>(3)</u> 12/28/2015	Common Stock	3,493
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.1333	12/20/2007	12/20/2007	M	48,245	<u>(4)</u> 08/03/2015	Common Stock	48,245

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Young Robert Allen 2250 LAKESIDE BOULEVARD RICHARDSON, TX 75082			EVP/Market Operations/East	

## Signatures

/s/ Damien Falgoust, as Attorney in Fact for Robert A. Young

12/21/2007

\_\_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).

(1) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 18, 2007.

(2) This option was granted on December 30, 2005. The option vested over a one-year period as follows: fifty percent (50%) of the underlying shares vested on January 1, 2006 and the remaining fifty percent (50%) of the underlying shares vested on January 1, 2007.

This option was granted on March 11, 2004 and was repriced on December 28, 2005. This option vests over a period of four years as follows: twenty-five percent (25%) of the option vests on the first anniversary of service beginning on the "Vesting Commencement

(3) Date" (as defined in the Employee Non-Qualified Option Grant Agreement). The remainder vests upon the reporting person's completion of each additional month of service, in a series of thirty-six (36) successive, equal monthly installments beginning with the first anniversary of the Vesting Commencement Date.

This option was granted on August 3, 2005. Twenty-five percent (25%) of the option vested on March 31, 2006, and the remainder vested

(4) upon the reporting person's completion of each additional month of service, in a series of thirty-six (36) successive, equal monthly installments.

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