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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

Alpert-Romm Adria

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Discovery Communications, Inc.

[DISCA]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 06/05/2009

(Zip)

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner __X_ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify below)

SEVP Human Resources

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SILVER SPRING, MD 20910

(State)

ONE DISCOVERY PLACE

(City)	(State)	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)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed 4 and : (A) or	of (D) 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	(D)	Price				
Series A Common Stock	06/05/2009		M	20,149	A	\$ 16.55	20,149	D		
Series A Common Stock	06/05/2009		D	20,149	D	\$ 23.03	0	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. Transac Code (Instr. 8	etion 3)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Sh
Stock Appreciation Right (1)	\$ 16.55	06/05/2009		M			20,149	03/15/2009	03/15/2010	Series A Common Stock	20,1

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Alpert-Romm Adria

ONE DISCOVERY PLACE SEVP Human Resources

SILVER SPRING, MD 20910

Signatures

/s/ Joseph A. LaSala, Jr., by power of attorney 06/09/2009

**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).
- (1) The Stock Appreciation Right may only be settled in cash.

Remarks:

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The trading symbols for the Issuer's Series A, Series B and Series C common stock are, respectively, DISCA, DISCB and DIS Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays

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