

VALOR COMMUNICATIONS GROUP INC  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

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|--|---|--|--|---|---|
| <p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â CLARK JOHN D</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>C/O WELSH, CARSON,<br/>             ANDERSON &amp; STOWE,Â 320<br/>             PARK AVENUE, SUITE 2500</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>NEW YORK,Â NYÂ 10022</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p> | <p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>02/14/2005</p> | <p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>VALOR COMMUNICATIONS GROUP INC [VCG]</p> | <p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p>___ Director ___X_ 10% Owner<br/>             ___ Officer ___ Other<br/>             (give title below) (specify below)</p> | <p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p> | <p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person<br/>             ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p> |
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned<br>(Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5)     |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| Common Stock                       | 760  | D   | Â  |
| Common Stock                       | 10,422,599   | I   | By Welsh, Carson, Anderson & Stowe IX, L.P. <sup>(1)</sup>   |
| Common Stock                       | 10,368,552   | I   | By Welsh, Carson, Anderson & Stowe VIII, L.P. <sup>(1)</sup> |
| Common Stock                       | 1,380,897  | I   | By WCAS Capital Partners III, L.P. <sup>(1)</sup>            |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially 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<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of<br>Securities Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 5. Ownership<br>Form of<br>Derivative<br>Security:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 6. Nature of Indirect<br>Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|---|--|--|--|--|---|
|   | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date   | Title  | Amount or<br>Number of<br>Shares   |   |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| CLARK JOHN D<br>C/O WELSH, CARSON, ANDERSON & STOWE<br>320 PARK AVENUE, SUITE 2500<br>NEW YORK, NY 10022 | ^             | ^ X       | ^       | ^     |

## Signatures

Jonathan M. Rather,  
Attorney-in-Fact

02/16/2005

\*\*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).

The Reporting Person is one of several managing members of the respective sole general partners of Welsh, Carson, Anderson & Stowe IX, L.P., Welsh, Carson, Anderson & Stowe VIII, L.P. and WCAS Capital Partners III, L.P. Pursuant to Instruction 5(b)(iv) of Form 3, (1) the Reporting Person has elected to report as indirectly beneficially owned the entire number of securities beneficially owned by each such limited partnership. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of any securities, and any proceeds thereof, that exceed his pecuniary interest therein, and/or that are not actually distributed to him.

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