TISCH DANIEL R Form 4

February 17, 2009

### FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TISCH DANIEL R			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			SAGA COMMUNICATIONS INC [SGA]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last) 500 PARK A	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/17/2009	DirectorX 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
NEW YORK,	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		Person		

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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)	 Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
		Code V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Class A Common Stock	02/17/2009	P	900	A \$ 3.89	398,900	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)

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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
TISCH DANIEL R 500 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022		X				
TOWERVIEW LLC 500 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022		X				

### **Signatures**

Daniel R. Tisch	02/17/2009			
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			
Daniel R. Tisch	02/17/2009			
**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:**

1. In addition to TowerView LLC, this Form 4 is being jointly filed by Daniel R. Tisch, who is General Member of, and has the as, TowerView LLC and may be deemed to have a pecuniary interest in securities owned by it.

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