

SALEM COMMUNICATIONS CORP /DE/

Form 4

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**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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See Instruction  
1(b).**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN 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 \*  
ANDERSON GREG2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
SALEM COMMUNICATIONS  
CORP /DE/ [SALM]5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
4880 SANTA ROSA ROAD  
(Street)3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/15/2006☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify  
below)  
President of SRN

CAMARILLO, CA 93012

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities<br>Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                       |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V                                                                          | Amount                                                                                                             | (D)                                                                  | Price                                                             |

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

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(9-02)**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any | 4. Transaction<br>Code | 5. Number<br>of Derivative<br>Securities | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. D |
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| (Instr. 3)                           | Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4,<br>and 5) | Code | V | (A)   | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title                      | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------|------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|------|---|-------|-----|---------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy) | \$ 13.51                           | 03/15/2006       |            |                                                                     | A    |   | 5,000 |     | 03/15/2007          | 03/15/2015         | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 5,000                                  |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                               | Relationships |           |                  |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|------------------|-------|
|                                                              | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer          | Other |
| ANDERSON GREG<br>4880 SANTA ROSA ROAD<br>CAMARILLO, CA 93012 |               |           | President of SRN |       |

## Signatures

Jonathan L. Block, Attorney-in-fact for Greg R. Anderson pursuant to a continuing power of attorney 03/17/2006

\_\_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) -The option vests in four equal installments, commencing on March 15, 2007.

(2)

-Each installment of the option expires on the fifth anniversary of the vesting date. The last installment to vest will expire on 1

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