UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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(Print or Ty	pe Responses)														
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * EVANS DAVID				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SALEM COMMUNICATIONS CORP /DE/ [SALM]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Volter (give title below) Other (specify below)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 4880 SANTA ROSA ROAD				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/10/2010							President - New Business Devel					
(Street)				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
CAMARILLO, CA 93012 (City) (State) (Zip)																
		Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu 2A. Deemed 3. Transaction 4. Securities Acquired												.		
(Instr. 3) Date		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year	Execution Date, if		Code (Instr. 8)		on	(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed (4 and 5)	of (D)	5. Amount of S Owned Followi Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	s)		Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						Cod	e	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price				(I) (Instr. 4)	
Class A	Common St	tock	03/10/2010			M			15,000	A	\$ 0.56	15,000			D	
Class A	Common St	tock	03/10/2010			S			800	D	\$ 5.24	14,200			D	
Class A Common Stock 03/10/2010			03/10/2010			S			1,800	D	\$ 5.25	12,400			D	
Class A Common Stock 03/10/201			03/10/2010			S			3,600	D	\$ 5.22	8,800			D	
Class A Common Stock 03/10/2010			03/10/2010			S			1,000	D	\$ 5.26	7,800			D	
Class A Common Stock 03/10/2010			03/10/2010			S			800	D	\$ 5.30	7,000			D	
Class A Common Stock 03/10/2010			03/10/2010			S			2,517	D	\$ 5.21	4,483			D	
Class A Common Stock 03/10/2010					S			4,483	D	\$ 5.2	0			D		
Class A Common Stock 03/11/2010					M			1,400	A	\$ 0.56	1,400			D		
Class A Common Stock 03/11/2010					S			1,400	D	\$ 5.3	0			D		
Class A Common Stock											600			I	By Daughter (1)	
Class A Common Stock											2,750			I	By Spouse	
Class A Common											2,450			I	By Evans Family Trust (3)	
Reminder:	Report on a se	eparate line for each	class of securities b	peneficially ow	vned dir	ectly or	P	erson this	ons who s form a	re not r	require	ne collection of d to respond u				2 1474 (9-02)
			Table II	- Derivative S			uirec	l, Dis	sposed of,	or Bene	eficially					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Numl	ber (vative les (d (A) osed	6. Da Expii	te Ex	ercisable		7. Ti of Ui Secu	tle and Amount nderlying rities r. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number Derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transaction	Owner Form of Deriva Securit Direct or Indi	f Beneficia Ownersh (Instr. 4)

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			Code	V	(A)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.56	03/10/2010	M			15,000	02/24/2010	02/24/2015	Class A Common Stock	15,000	\$ 0	15,000	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.56	03/11/2010	M			1,400	02/24/2010	02/24/2015	Class A Common Stock	1,400	\$ 0	13,600	D	

Reporting Owners

B 41 0 W 4	Relationships									
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other						
EVANS DAVID 4880 SANTA ROSA ROAD CAMARILLO, CA 93012			President - New Business Devel							

Signatures

By: Evan D. Masyr Attorney-in-fact for David A.R. Evans pursuant to a continuing power of attorney	03/12/2010
**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) Shares held in custody for daughter, Samantha Emily Evans $\,$
- These securities are held in a joint account in the names of Pamela Evans (Mr. Evans' spouse) and Joseph Simon (Mr. Evans' father-in-law). Joseph Simon is the beneficial owner of these (2) securities. Mr. Evans disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and the filing of this report is not an admission that Mr. Evans is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (3) David A. R. Evans as trustee of Evans Family Trust

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