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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TA ASSOCIATES, L.P.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

METROPCS COMMUNICATIONS INC [PCS]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year) 11/19/2012

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

JOHN HANCOCK TOWER, 200 CLARENDON ST, 56TH FLOOR

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

See General Remarks

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

(Street)

BOSTON, MA 02116

Common

11/19/2012

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities A Transaction Disposed o Code (Instr. 3, 4 and (Instr. 8)		ed of ((D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	11/19/2012		S <u>(1)</u>	63,286 (2)	D	\$ 10.9976	864,653	I	See Footnote 7 (7)
Common Stock	11/19/2012		S <u>(1)</u>	29,282 (3)	D	\$ 10.9976	399,869	I	See Footnote 8 (8)
Common Stock	11/19/2012		S <u>(1)</u>	1,312 (4)	D	\$ 10.9976	17,724	I	See Footnote 9 (9)

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Stock					10.9976			Footnote 10 (10)
Common Stock	11/19/2012	S <u>(1)</u>	284 (6)	D	\$ 10.9976	76,027	I	See Footnote 11 (11)
Common Stock	11/20/2012	S <u>(1)</u>	938 (2)	D	\$ 10.98	863,715	I	See Footnote 7 (7)
Common Stock	11/20/2012	S <u>(1)</u>	434 (3)	D	\$ 10.98	399,435	I	See Footnote 8 (8)
Common Stock	11/20/2012	S <u>(1)</u>	20 (4)	D	\$ 10.98	17,704	I	See Footnote 9 (9)
Common Stock	11/20/2012	S <u>(1)</u>	4 (5)	D	\$ 10.98	3,223	I	See Footnote 10 (10)
Common Stock	11/20/2012	S <u>(1)</u>	4 (6)	D	\$ 10.98	76,023	I	See Footnote 11 (11)

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	5. stionNumber of Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	s 	ate	7. Title Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

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Reporting Owners

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
TA ASSOCIATES, L.P. JOHN HANCOCK TOWER 200 CLARENDON ST, 56TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02116				See General Remarks		
TA IX LP JOHN HANCOCK TOWER 200 CLARENDON ST. 56TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02116				See General Remarks		
TA ASSOCIATES IX LLC JOHN HANCOCK TOWER 200 CLARENDON ST. 56TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02116				See General Remarks		
TA Atlantic & Pacific V L P JOHN HANCOCK TOWER 200 CLARENDON ST. 56TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02116				See General Remarks		
TA Associates AP V L.P. JOHN HANCOCK TOWER 200 CLARENDON ST. 56TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02116				See General Remarks		
TA ASSOCIATES STRATEGIC PARTNERS FUND A LP JOHN HANCOCK TOWER 200 CLARENDON ST 56TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02116				See General Remarks		
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TA ASSOCIATES SPF LP JOHN HANCOCK TOWER 200 CLARENDON ST. 56TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02116				See General Remarks		
TA Investors II L.P. JOHN HANCOCK TOWER 200 CLARENDON ST. 56TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02116				See General Remarks		
Signatures						
TA Associates, L.P. By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Off	ficer			11/21/2012		
**Signature of Reporting Person				Date		
				11/21/2012		

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TA IX L.P., By TA Associates IX LLC, Its General Partner, By TA Associates, L.P., Its Manager, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
TA Associates IX LLC, By TA Associates, L.P., Its Manager, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer	11/21/2012
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P., By TA Associates AP V L.P., Its General Partner, By TA Associates, L.P., Its General Partner, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer	11/21/2012
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
TA Associates AP V L.P., By TA Associates, L.P., Its General Parter, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer	11/21/2012
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
TA Strategic Partners Fund A L.P., By TA Associates SPF L.P., Its General Partner, By TA Associates, L.P., Its General Partner, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer	11/21/2012
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P., By TA Associates SPF L.P., Its General Partner, By TA Associates, L.P., Its General Partner, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer	11/21/2012
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TA Associates SPF L.P., By TA Associates, L.P., Its General Partner, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer	11/21/2012
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
TA Investors II L.P., By TA Associates, L.P., Its General Partner, By Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer	11/21/2012
**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).
- The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 trading plans adopted by TA Associates, L.P. on February 29, 2012 and March 1, 2012.
- (2) These securities were sold solely by TA IX L.P.
- (3) These securities were sold solely by TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P.
- (4) These securities were sold solely by TA Strategic Partners Fund A L.P.
- (5) These securities were sold solely by TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P.
- (6) These securities were sold solely by TA Investors II L.P.
- These securities are owned solely by TA IX L.P. TA Associates, L.P. is the Manager of TA Associates IX LLC, which is the General Partner of TA IX L.P. Each of TA Associates, L.P. and TA Associates IX LLC may be deemed to have a beneficial interest in shares held by TA IX L.P. and each disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest in such shares which is subject to indeterminable future events.
- These securities are owned solely by TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P. TA Associates, L.P. is the General Partner of TA Associates AP V L.P., which is the General Partner of TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P. Each of TA Associates, L.P. and TA Associates AP V L.P. may be deemed to have a beneficial interest in shares held by TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P. and each disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest in such shares which is subject to indeterminable future events.

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- These securities are owned solely by TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P. TA Associates, L.P. is the General Partner of TA Associates

 SPF L.P., which is the General Partner of TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P. Each of TA Associates, L.P. and TA Associates SPF

 L.P. may be deemed to have a beneficial interest in shares held by TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P. and each disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest in such shares which is subject to indeterminable future events.
- These securities are owned solely by TA Investors II L.P., TA Associates, L.P. is the General Partner of TA Investors II L.P. TA

 (11) Associates, L.P. may be deemed to have a beneficial interest in shares held by TA Investors II L.P. and disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares.

Remarks:

The Reporting Persons are members of a 13(d) group. The Reporting Persons have a representative on the Issuer's board of di 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 a currently valid OMB number.