#### CITADEL BROADCASTING CORP

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## FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading FREEDLINE ROBERT G Issuer Symbol CITADEL BROADCASTING (Check all applicable) CORP [CDL] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) C/O CITADEL BROADCASTING 05/25/2007 Chief Financial Officer CORPORATION, 7201 W. LAKE MEAD BLVD (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting LAS VEGAS, NV 89128 (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Indirect Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Securities Ownership (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V (D) Price Amount Common 05/25/2007 F 12,599 D 87,401 D 8.52 Stock Common 05/26/2007 A 117,371 \$0 204,772 (1) D Α Stock

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.52	05/26/2007		A	131,447	<u>(2)</u>	05/25/2017	Common Stock	131,447

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

FREEDLINE ROBERT G C/O CITADEL BROADCASTING CORPORATION 7201 W. LAKE MEAD BLVD LAS VEGAS, NV 89128

Chief Financial Officer

### **Signatures**

/s/ Robert G.
Freedline 05/30/2007

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

### **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).
- Includes 66,667 shares of restricted stock which shall vest in one-half installments annually, beginning on May 25, 2008, and 117,371 shares of restricted stock which shall vest in one-third installments annually, beginning on May 25, 2008, in each case subject to terms and conditions that do not differ materially from the Issuer's Form of Restricted Stock Grant for grants made under the Issuer's Amended and Restated 2002 Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- Options become exercisable to the extent they have vested. Options vest with respect to shares of Common Stock in three equal installments commencing on May 25, 2008, subject to terms and conditions that do not differ materially from the Issuer's Form of Stock Option Agreement for grants made under the Issuer's Amended and Restated 2002 Long-Term Incentive Plan, except as described in footnote (3) of this Form 4.
- (3) Includes options to acquire 150,000 shares of Common Stock granted to Mr. Freedline on May 26, 2006 and options to acquire 131,447 shares of Common Stock granted to Mr. Freedline on May 26, 2007 (collectively, the "Options"), in each case pursuant to the terms of the Employment Agreement by and between the Issuer and Mr. Freedline dated May 26, 2006 (the "Employment Agreement"). Upon the payment by the Issuer of the special cash distribution to holders of record of Common Stock in connection with the transactions contemplated by the Merger Agreement dated as of February 6, 2006 and amended on November 19, 2006, by and among the Issuer, Alphabet Acquisition Corp., The Walt Disney Company and ABC Radio Holdings, Inc. (f/k/a ABC Chicago FM Radio, Inc.), the per share exercise price of each Option and number of shares of Common Stock subject to that Option shall be adjusted in accordance with

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the formula contained in the Employment Agreement.

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