

CUMULUS MEDIA INC  
 Form 3  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Â MARCUS JEFFREY  
 (Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)  
 09/16/2011

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 CUMULUS MEDIA INC [CMLS]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

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

C/O CRESTVIEW ADVISORS,  
 L.L.C.,Â 667 MADISON  
 AVENUE, 10TH FLOOR

(Street)

NEW YORK,Â NYÂ 10065

(City) (State) (Zip)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security  
 (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned  
 (Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:  
 Direct (D)  
 or Indirect (I)  
 (Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership  
 (Instr. 5)

Filer does not beneficially own securities of issuer. <sup>(1)</sup> 0

I See footnote <sup>(1)</sup>

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security  
 (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date  
 (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security

4. Conversion or Exercise

5. Ownership Form of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MARCUS JEFFREY C/O CRESTVIEW ADVISORS, L.L.C. 667 MADISON AVENUE, 10TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10065	X	A	A	A

## Signatures

/s/ EVELYN C. PELLICONE, as attorney-in-fact 09/21/2011

\_\_\_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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 reporting person is a member of the board of directors of the issuer and is a Managing Director of Crestview, L.L.C., which is the general partner of Crestview Partners II GP, L.P., which serves as the general partner of Crestview Partners II, L.P., Crestview Partners II (TE), L.P., Crestview Partners (FF), L.P., Crestview Offshore Holdings II (Cayman), L.P., Crestview Offshore Holdings II (FF Cayman),
- (1) L.P. and Crestview Offshore Holdings II (892 Cayman), L.P. (collectively, the "Crestview Funds"). Each of the Crestview Funds is a member of Crestview Radio Investors, LLC, which on September 16, 2011 acquired 51,843,318 shares of Class A Common Stock and 7,776,498 warrants of the issuer. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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