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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Wortham Coleman III

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

MEDIA GENERAL INC [MEG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(First) (Last)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X Director

(Check all applicable)

333 EAST FRANKLIN ST

(Month/Day/Year)

06/30/2009

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

RICHMOND, VA 23219

(City)

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

Person

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 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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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Security or Exercise (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year)

4. Code (Instr. 8)

5. Number of TransactionDerivative Securities Acquired (A)

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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Derivative or Disposed of Security (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration Title Amount Exercisable Date Number of Shares Class A Phantom $$0^{(4)}$ 06/30/2009 16,855 (2) (2) Common 16,855 A Stock (1) Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Wortham Coleman III
333 EAST FRANKLIN ST X
RICHMOND, VA 23219

Signatures

/s/ Coleman Wortham III, by George L. Mahoney,
Attorney-in-fact

07/02/2009

**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) Reports quarterly allocations under the Company deferred compensation plan for outside directors fees.
- (2) Upon termination of service as a director, the units become payable in accordance with the settlement election of the reporting person.
- (3) Additionally, 40,000 non-derivative Class A common shares are held directly.
- (4) Each unit is the economic equivalent of one share of Class A common stock.

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