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SECURITIES

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Stratford Patricia

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

CITADEL BROADCASTING

CORP [CDELA]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

(Check all applicable)

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C/O CITADEL BROADCASTING CORPORATION, 7690 W. CHEYENNE AVE., SUITE 220

(Street)

(First)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

(Month/Day/Year)

05/26/2011

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

LAS VEGAS, NV 89129

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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

3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Securities Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported

D

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V (D) Price Amount

Common Stock ??

05/26/2011

13,000 A \$0 13,000 (1)(2)

(A)

Class A

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)

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				C-1- V	(A) (D)				of		
				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Stratford Patricia C/O CITADEL BROADCASTING **CORPORATION** 7690 W. CHEYENNE AVE., SUITE 220 LAS VEGAS, NV 89129

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Signatures

/s/ Patricia 05/27/2011 Stratford

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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- Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

As previously disclosed in its Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 11, 2011, on March 10, 2011, the Issuer, Cumulus Media Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Cumulus"), Cadet Holding Corporation, a Delaware

- Corporation and wholly-owned subsidiary of Cumulus ("HoldCo"), and Cadet Merger Corporation, a Delaware corporation and wholly-owned subsidiary of HoldCo ("Merger Sub"), entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger, pursuant to which subject to the satisfaction of conditions therein, Merger Sub will merge with and into the Issuer (the "Merger"), with the Issuer surviving the Merger as the surviving corporation and an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Cumulus.
 - The reporting person received a grant of restricted shares of common stock of Issuer which vests in full on May 26, 2013; provided, that, if the Merger is consummated before May 26, 2013, half of the unvested restricted shares of common stock will vest upon the
- consummation of the Merger and the remaining half of the unvested restricted shares of common stock will vest on the date that is six months following the date of the Merger, in each case subject to the reporting person's continued employment on the applicable vesting

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