SALERNO FREDERIC V

Form 4 May 31, 2005

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

VIACOM INC [VIA, VIAB]

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SALERNO FREDERIC V

(First) (Middle) (Last)

1515 BROADWAY

(Street)

Symbol

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

05/26/2005

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(Instr. 4)

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Indirect

Person

5. Amount of

Securities

Owned

Beneficially

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

NEW YORK, NY 10036

(City)

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

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or

Following Reported Transaction(s) (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 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount 4. Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date of Underlying Security or Exercise Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) Securities (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (Instr. 3 and 4)

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	Derivative Security					(A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)					
			(Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Share Units (1)	\$0	05/26/2005		A		1,563		05/26/2006(2)	(2)	Class B common stock	1,563

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer Other					
SALERNO FREDERIC V 1515 BROADWAY NEW YORK, NY 10036	X							

Signatures

By: /s/ Michael D. Fricklas,
Attorney-in-Fact

**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) Granted under the Viacom Inc. 2005 RSU Plan for Outside Directors.
- The Restricted Share Units will vest May 26, 2006 and will be settled by delivery of a corresponding number of shares of the Issuer's Class B Common Stock upon vesting, unless the Reporting Person has elected to defer settlement.

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