

PRATHER ROBERT S JR
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PRATHER ROBERT S JR

(Last) (First) (Middle)

4370 PEACHTREE ROAD,NE

(Street)

ATLANTA, GA 30319

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
GRAY TELEVISION INC [GTN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
06/07/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President and C.O.O.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price | | | |
| Class A Common Stock (GTN.A) | | | | | 231,505 | D | |
| Class A Common Stock (GTN.A) | | | | | 225 | I | By Spouse <u>(1)</u> |
| Common Stock (GTN) | | | | | 200 | I | By Spouse <u>(1)</u> |

| | | |
|--------------------|------------------------|---|
| Common Stock (GTN) | 106,000 ⁽²⁾ | D |
| Common Stock (GTN) | 1,344 ⁽³⁾ | D |

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 Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title Underlying Instrument (Instr. 3) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---------|-----|--|------------------|---|
| | | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | |
| Option - Common Stock (GTN) | \$ 10.95 | | | | | | | 09/30/2004 | 09/30/2007 | Common Stock |
| Option - Common Stock (GTN) | \$ 12.5 | | | | | | | 11/20/2005 | 11/20/2008 | Common Stock |
| Option - Class A Common Stock (GTN.A) | \$ 17.81 | | | | | | | 11/19/2000 | 11/19/2008 | Class A Common Stock |
| Option - Common Stock (GTN) | \$ 11.23 | | | | | | | 01/07/2004 | 01/07/2007 | Common Stock |
| Options - Common Stock (GTN) | \$ 14.06 | | | | | | | 05/18/2005 | 11/19/2007 | Common Stock |
| Options-Common Stock (GTN) | \$ 10.13 | 05/25/2005 | | J | | 100,000 | | 05/25/2002 | 05/25/2005 | Common Stock |
| Options-Common Stock (GTN) | \$ 11.1 | 06/07/2005 | | A | | 125,000 | | 06/07/2005 | 06/07/2010 | Common Stock |

Reporting Owners

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

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President
and C.O.O.

Signatures

Jackson S. Cowart IV, by Power of
Attorney

06/24/2005

__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) Owned by reporting person's wife, as to which shares Mr. Prather disclaims beneficial ownership.
 - (2) Amount includes 5,000 shares of restricted stock awarded in January 2003, 100,000 shares of restricted stock awarded in August 2003 and 1,000 shares of restricted stock awarded in August 2004. A portion of the restricted stock has now vested.
 - (3) Held in 401K plan.
 - (4) Option expired unexercised.

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