FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DONNELLY PATRICK L | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SIRIUS XM RADIO INC. [(SIRI)] | | | | | | 5 | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)Director10% Owner | | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 1221 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/03/2009 | | | | | | | X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) EVP, General Counsel & Sec. | | | | | |
| (Street) NEW YORK, NY 10020 | | | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| (City | | (State) | (Zip) | | Т | able I - N | Non-I | Derivativ | e Sec | uritie | s Acquir | ed, Dispo | osed of, or I | Beneficially | Owned | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | any | tion Date, if | if Code (Instr. 8) | | (A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | (D) Beneficial Reported | | nt of Securities ally Owned Following Transaction(s) | | of I Ber | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial | | |
| | | | | (Month/Day/Year) | | Code | V | Amor | | (A) or (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | \ / | | vnership str. 4) |
| Common Stock | | 08/03/2009 | | | S | | 117,4 (1) | ¹⁷⁴ I |) | \$ 0.4717 | 2,445,085 | | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | | 08/04/2009 | | | S | | 46,46 | ⁶⁶ I |) | \$ 0.5105 | 2,398,619 | | D | | | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | 9,979 | | I | By 40 Pla | 1(k) | | |
| Reminder: | Report on a s | separate line | for each class of secu Table II - | · Deriva | ative Securi | ties Acqı | Pe co th | ersons vontained e form | who i d in the display | his fo ays a or Be | orm are curren | not requ tly valid | | formation spond unle trol numbe | ess | C 147 | 4 (9-02) |
| 1. Title of | 2 | 3. Transacti | on 3A Doomad | | outs, calls, w | | | • | | | | lo and | 8. Price of | 9. Number | of 10 | | 11 Notue |
| Derivative Security | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transacti Date (Month/Day | Execution D | ate, if | Transaction Code | 5. Number of Derivati Securiti Acquire (A) or Dispose of (D) (Instr. 3 4, and 5 | ve es d d | and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | Amor Unde Secur | ount of erlying urities tr. 3 and Derivative (Instr. 5) | | 9. Number Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect | | 11. Naturo of Indirect Beneficia Ownershi (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code V | (A) (I | Е | ate xercisab | | piratio | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | |

Reporting Owners

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|---|---|---------------|--------------|-----------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Reporting Owner Name / Address | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| | DONNELLY PATRICK L 1221 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10020 | | | EVP, General Counsel & Sec. | | | | |

Signatures

| Patrick L Donnelly | 08/05/2009 | | | |
|---------------------------------|------------|--|--|--|
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | |

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- * 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) Sale of shares of common stock received upon vesting of certain restricted stock units.

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