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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 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person – BLACK LEON D	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SIRIUS XM RADIO INC. [(SIRI)]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner			
(Last) (First) 1301 AVENUE OF THE AMERICA	<b>a</b>	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/05/2009						Officer (give title below)Oth	ner (specify belo	w)
(Street) NEW YORK, NY 10019		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing/Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
I. Title of Security 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yee		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	-	(A) or Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. 7. Nature Ownership Form: Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)

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)														
	Conversion	Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	tion	5. Number of Deriva Securities Acquired or Dispos of (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)	(A) sed	6. Date Exercisable and 7 Expiration Date 0 (Month/Day/Year) S		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	Beneficial
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(1150.4)	(11150.4)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.54	08/05/2009		А		53,973 (1)		05/27/2010	05/27/2019	Common Stock	53,973	\$ 0	53,973	D	

### **Reporting Owners**

		Relationships						
	Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
1	BLACK LEON D 301 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10019	Х						

## Signatures

/s/Patrick L. Donnelly, attorney in fact	08/05/2009
Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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(1) Options vest as follows - 13,494 - 05/27/2010; 13,493 - 05/27/2011; 13,493 - 05/27/2012; and 13,493 - 05/27/2013.

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