

PARENT DENISE M  
Form 4/A  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
PARENT DENISE M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O LIN TV CORP, FOUR RICHMOND SQUARE

(Street)

PROVIDENCE, RI 02906

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
LIN TV CORP [TVL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/22/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  
12/22/2005

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
VP, Deputy General Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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) Price			
Common Stock (restricted)	12/22/2005		A	38,668 A \$ 0	50,890	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)**

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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 and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Stock Options	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	12/22/2005		M	8,929	03/03/1999 03/03/2008	Class A Common Stock	8,929	
Stock Options	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	12/22/2005		M	4,762	12/15/1999 12/15/2008	Class A Common Stock	4,762	
Stock Options	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	12/22/2005		M	9,814	09/30/1999 09/30/2008	Class A Common Stock	9,814	
Stock Options	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	12/22/2005		M	30,000	05/02/2003 05/02/2012	Class A Common Stock	30,000	
Stock Option	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	12/22/2005		M	18,750	05/02/2004 05/02/2013	Class A Common Stock	18,750	
Stock Options	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	12/22/2005		M	18,750	03/18/2005 03/18/2014	Class A Common Stock	18,750	
Stock Option	\$ 0 <sup>(1)</sup>	12/22/2005		M	25,000	02/13/2005 02/13/2014	Class A Common Stock	25,000	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PARENT DENISE M C/O LIN TV CORP FOUR RICHMOND SQUARE PROVIDENCE, RI 02906			VP, Deputy General Counsel	

## Signatures

/s/ Peter E. Maloney, Attorney-in-fact for Denise M.  
Parent

12/22/2005

\_\_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).

Pursuant to the Company's exchange offer to exchange existing stock options for restricted stock on a 3 to 1 ratio. Executive surrendered a  
(1) total of 116,005 options in receipt for a grant of 38,668 shares of restricted stock. The restricted stock received vests in five equal installments from July 2006 to July 2010.

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