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Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934		
(Amendment No)*		
MetroPCS Communications Inc.		
(Name of Issuer)		
Common Stock Par Value \$.01		
(Title of Class of Securities)		

591708 10 2

(CUSIP Number)

12/31/08

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

This schedule is being filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1 (d)

* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person s initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be filed for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Act) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

S.S. OR I.R.S IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

TA IX L.P.	04-3520503
TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P.	20-1881619
TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P.	04-3465628
TA Strategic Partners Fund A L.P.	01-0682418
TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P.	01-0682422
TA Investors II L.P.	20-1144811

2 CHECK THE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*

(a) x

(b) "

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

TA IX L.P.	Delaware
TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P.	Delaware
TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P.	Delaware
TA Strategic Partners Fund A L.P.	Delaware
TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P.	Delaware
TA Investors II L.P.	Delaware
5 SOLE VOTING POWER	

TA IX L.P. 18,796,253

TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P. 8,699,583

TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P. 1,668,551

NUMBER OF TA Strategic Partners Fund A L.P. 385,078

TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P. 69,129

TA Investors II L.P.

BENEFICIALLY

6 SHARED VOTING POWER

OWNED BY

EACH N/A

7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

REPORTING

WITH

376,172

3

TA IX L.P.	18,796,253
TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P.	8,699,583
TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P.	1,668,551
TA Strategic Partners Fund A L.P.	385,078
TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P.	69,129
TA Investors II L.P.	376,172
8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER	

N/A

9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

TA IX L.P.	18,796,253		
TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P.	8,699,583		
TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P.	1,668,551		
TA Strategic Partners Fund A L.P.	385,078		
TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P.	69,129		
TA Investors II L.P.	376,172		
10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*			

11 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9

TA IX L.P.	5.37%
TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P.	2.48%
TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P.	0.48%
TA Strategic Partners Fund A L.P.	0.11%
TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P.	0.02%
TA Investors II L.P.	0.11%
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Six Limited Partnerships

SEE INSTRUCTION BEFORE FILLING OUT!

Attachment to Form 13G Page 3

Item 1 (a) Name of Issuer:

MetroPCS Communications Inc.

Item 1 (b) Address of Issuer s Principal Executive Offices:

2250 Lakeside Blvd.

Richardson, TX 75082

Item 2 (a) Name of Person Filing:

TA IX L.P.

TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P.

TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P.

TA Strategic Partners Fund A L.P.

TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P.

TA Investors II L.P.

Item 2 (b) Address of Principal Business Office:

c/o TA Associates

John Hancock Tower

200 Clarendon Street, 56th Floor

Boston, MA 02116

Item 2 (c) Citizenship:

Not Applicable

Item 2 (d) Title and Class of Securities:

Common

Item 2 (e) CUSIP Number:

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 $Item \ 3 \quad If \ this \ statement \ is \ filed \ pursuant \ to \ Rules \ 13d-1 \ (b) \ or \ 13d-2 \ (b), check \ whether \ the \ person \ filing \ is \ a:$

Not Applicable

Item 4	Ow	Ownership					
Item 4	(a)	Am	ount Beneficially Owned:	Common Stock			
		TA	IX L.P.	18,796,253			
		TA	Atlantic and Pacific V L.P.	8,699,583			
		TA/	Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P.	1,668,551			
		TA	Strategic Partners Fund A L.P.	385,078			
		TA	Strategic Partners Fund B L.P.	69,129			
		TA	Investors II L.P.	376,172			
Item 4	(b)	Per	cent of Class	<u>Percentage</u>			
		TA	IX L.P.	5.37%			
		TA	Atlantic and Pacific V L.P.	2.48%			
		TA/	Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P.	0.48%			
		TA	Strategic Partners Fund A L.P.	0.11%			
		TA	Strategic Partners Fund B L.P.	0.02%			
		TA	Investors II L.P.	0.11%			
Item 4	(c)	Nur	nber of shares as to which such person has:				
		(i)	sole power to vote or direct the vote:	Common Stock			
			TA IX L.P.	18,796,253			
			TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P.	8,699,583			
			TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P.	1,668,551			
			TA Strategic Partners Fund A L.P.	385,078			
			TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P.	69,129			
			TA Investors II L.P.	376,172			
		(ii)	shared power to vote or direct the vote:				
			N/A				
		(iii)	sole power to dispose or direct the disposition:	Common Stock			
			TA IX L.P.	18,796,253			
			TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P.	8,699,583			
			TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P.	1,668,551			

TA Strategic Partners Fund A L.P.

TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P.

69,129

TA Investors II L.P. 376,172

(iv) shared power to dispose or direct the disposition

N/A

Item 5 Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class:

Not Applicable

Item 6 Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person:

Not Applicable

Item 7 Identification and Classification of the subsidiary that acquired the Security being reported on by the Parent Holding Company:

Not Applicable

Item 8 Identification and Classification of Members of the Group:

This schedule 13G is filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1 (d). For the agreement of the TA group members to a joint filing, see below.

Item 9 Notice of Dissolution of Group:

Not Applicable

Item 10 Certification:

Not Applicable

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Agreement for Joint Filing

TA IX L.P., TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P., TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P., TA Strategic Partners Fund A L.P., TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P., and TA Investors II L.P., hereby agree that TA Associates shall file with the Securities and Exchange Commission a joint schedule 13G on behalf of the above-named parties concerning their beneficial ownership of MetroPCS Communications Inc.

Dated: February 13, 2009

TA IX L.P.

By: TA Associates IX LLC., its General Partner

By: TA Associates, Inc., its Manager

By: /s/ Thomas P. Alber

Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

TA Atlantic and Pacific V L.P.

By: TA Associates AP V L.P., its General Partner

By: TA Associates, Inc., its General Partner

By: /s/ Thomas P. Alber

Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

TA/Atlantic and Pacific IV L.P.

By: TA Associates AP IV L.P., its General Partner

By: TA Associates, Inc., its General Partner

By: /s/ Thomas P. Alber

Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

TA Strategic Partners Fund A L.P.

By: TA Associates SPF L.P., its General Partner

By: TA Associates, Inc., its General Partner

By: /s/ Thomas P. Alber

Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

TA Strategic Partners Fund B L.P.

By: TA Associates SPF L.P., its General Partner

By: TA Associates, Inc., its General Partner

By: /s/ Thomas P. Alber

Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer

TA Investors II L.P.

By: TA Associates, Inc., its General Partner

By: /s/ Thomas P. Alber

Thomas P. Alber, Chief Financial Officer