STRAUSS THEODORE H

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * STRAUSS THEODORE H			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CLEAR CHANNEL COMMUNICATIONS INC [CCU]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/22/2005			X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)						
	(Street)		4. If Amen	· ·		e Original			6. Individual or J Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Form filed by Person		erson	
(City)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq						quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year) Execut any		emed on Date, if Day/Year)	TransactionAcc Code Dis (Instr. 8) (Ins		Disposed	uired (A) or cosed of (D) tr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	05/23/2005			G	V	30	D	<u>(1)</u>	81,248	D		
Common Stock	08/23/2005			G	V	30	D	(1)	81,218	D		
Common Stock	12/02/2005			G	V	30	D	<u>(1)</u>	81,188	D		
Common Stock	12/22/2005			A		5,625	A	<u>(2)</u>	86,813	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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				Coue v	(A) (D)			Share	es	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

STRAUSS THEODORE H

X

Signatures

Theodore H. Strauss 12/22/2005

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) This reported item is a bonefied gift.
- (2) This reported item is a restricted stock award.

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