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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MENG TERESA H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ATHEROS COMMUNICATIONS INC [ATHR]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

_X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title _ Other (specify

C/O ATHEROS COMMUNICATIONS, INC., 5480

GREAT AMERICA PARKWAY

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

02/22/2007

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

SANTA CLARA,, CA 95054

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit ord Dispos (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of (` ′	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	02/22/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	1,000	D	\$ 26.94	409,000	I	See Footnote (2)
Common Stock	02/22/2007		S(1)	2,421	D	\$ 26.93	406,579	I	See Footnote
Common Stock	02/22/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	1,700	D	\$ 26.75	404,879	I	See Footnote (2)

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Common Stock	02/22/2007	S(1)	4,600	D	\$ 26.74	400,279	I	See Footnote
Common Stock	02/22/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	150	D	\$ 26.7399	400,129	I	See Footnote (2)
Common Stock	02/22/2007	S(1)	100	D	\$ 26.73	400,029	I	See Footnote
Common Stock	02/22/2007	S(1)	1,000	D	\$ 26.71	399,029	I	See Footnote
Common Stock	02/22/2007	S(1)	1,400	D	\$ 26.64	397,629	I	See Footnote
Common Stock	02/22/2007	S(1)	1,000	D	\$ 26.615	396,629	Ι	See Footnote
Common Stock	02/22/2007	S <u>(1)</u>	16,629	D	\$ 26.5	380,000	I	See Footnote

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration D (Month/Day/ e	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		le and int of rlying ities . 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MENG TERESA H C/O ATHEROS COMMUNICATIONS, INC. 5480 GREAT AMERICA PARKWAY SANTA CLARA,, CA 95054



Signatures

Bruce P. Johnson, Attorney-in-fact 02/23/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person Date
Description

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) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.
- (2) By Teresa H. Meng Trust

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