

LASALA JOSEPH A JR
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol |
| Â LASALA JOSEPH A JR (Last) (First) (Middle) | (Month/Day/Year) 09/17/2008 | Discovery Communications, Inc. [DISAD] |
| | | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer |
| | | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |

ONE DISCOVERY PLACE
(Street)

(Check all applicable)

SILVER
SPRING, Â MD Â 20910
(City) (State) (Zip)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer Other
 (give title below) (specify below)
 SEVP Gen. Counsel; Secretary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
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| No securities are beneficially owned | 0 | D | Â |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
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| | Date Exercisable Expiration Date | Title Amount or Number of | | | |

Shares (I)
(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| LASALA JOSEPH A JR ONE DISCOVERY PLACE SILVER SPRING, MD 20910 | Â | Â | Â SEVP Gen. Counsel; Secretary | Â |

Signatures

/s/ Joseph A.
LaSala, Jr. 09/18/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).

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Remarks:

The trading symbols for the Issuer's Series A, Series B and Series C Common Stock are, respectively

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