NEXTEL PARTNERS INC

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading DODGE STEVEN B Issuer Symbol NEXTEL PARTNERS INC [NXTP] (Check all applicable) (Middle) (Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title AMERICAN RADIO SYSTEMS 06/26/2006 below) CORP. 116 HUNTINGTON AVE -11TH FL (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting BOSTON, MA 02116 (State) (Zip) (City) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of

Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership **Following** (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price Code V Amount Class A J(1)Common 06/26/2006 70,000 D 70,000 D Stock

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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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)	
				Code V (A	A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20	06/26/2006		<u>J(1)</u>	25,000	<u>(2)</u>	02/23/2010	Class A Common Stock	25,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.81	06/26/2006		J <u>(1)</u>	15,000	(2)	12/29/2010	Class A Common Stock	15,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.35	06/26/2006		J <u>(1)</u>	7,500	(2)	10/31/2011	Class A Common Stock	7,500
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8	06/26/2006		J <u>(1)</u>	7,500	(2)	01/17/2012	Class A Common Stock	7,500
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.7	06/26/2006		J <u>(1)</u>	15,000	(2)	07/11/2012	Class A Common Stock	15,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.4	06/26/2006		J <u>(1)</u>	15,000	<u>(2)</u>	08/04/2013	Class A Common Stock	15,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.89	06/26/2006		J <u>(1)</u>	25,000	(2)	08/02/2014	Class A Common Stock	25,000
	\$ 20.1	06/26/2006		<u>J(1)</u>	15,000	(2)	01/27/2015		15,000

Employee Stock Option (right to buy) Class A Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DODGE STEVEN B AMERICAN RADIO SYSTEMS CORP 116 HUNTINGTON AVE -11TH FL BOSTON, MA 02116

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Signatures

/s/ Denise Swerland, with Power of Attorney for Steve Dodge

06/26/2006

**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).
- (1) Redemption or Option cash out pursuant to Certificate of Incorporation.
- (2) On or prior to June 26, 2006

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