As filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (via EDGAR) on July 10, 1995 Registration No. 33-----------SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 FORM S-8 **REGISTRATION STATEMENT** UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933 VIACOM INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter) -----Delaware 4841 04-2949533 (Primary Standard Industrial (I.R.S. Employer Classification Code Number) Identification No.) (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 1515 Broadway New York, New York 10036 (212) 258-6000 (Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant's principal executive offices) Paramount Communications Inc. 1984 and 1989 Stock Options Plans (Full Name of Plans) Philippe P. Dauman, Esq. Executive Vice President, General Counsel, Chief Administrative Officer and Secretary Viacom Inc. 1515 Broadway New York, New York 10036 (212) 258-6000 (Name, address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of agent for service) CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE _____ -----ProposedProposedMaximumAggregateAmount ofOffering PriceOfferingRegistrationDriceDriceEee (2) Title of Class of Securities Amount to Per Unit To Be Registered be Registered Fee (2) Price _____ Class B Common 1,070,000 (2) \$19,237(3) Stock (1) (1) Not applicable.

(2) The aggregate exercise price for all options is \$65,143,928.

(3) Represents a total fee of \$22,463 less \$3,226 previously paid on Registration Statement (33-55173), filed by Viacom Inc. on August 22, 1994.

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PART II Information Required in the Registration Statement

The contents of the Viacom Inc. Registration Statement on Form S-8 (33-55173) filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (via EDGAR) on August 22, 1994, other than the response to Item 8, is hereby incorporated by reference.

Item 8. Exhibits.

- 4.1 Paramount Communications Inc. 1984 Stock Option Plan, as amended (incorporated by reference to Exhibit (10)(iii)(A)(1) to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of Paramount Communications Inc. for the quarter ended April 30, 1992).
- 4.2 Paramount Communications Inc. 1989 Stock Option Plan, as amended (incorporated by reference to Exhibit (10)(iii)(A)(2) to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of Paramount Communications Inc. for the quarter ended April 30, 1992).
- 4.3 Restated Certificate of Incorporation of Viacom Inc. as filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware on May 21, 1992 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3(a) to the Annual Report on Form 10-K of Viacom Inc. for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1992, as amended by Form 10-K/A Amendment No. 1 dated November 29, 1993 and as further amended by Form 10-K/A Amendment No. 2 dated December 9, 1993 (File No. 1-9553))

- 4.4 Form of Amendment to Restated Certificate of Incorporation of Viacom Inc. (incorporated by reference to Annex VII to the Joint Proxy Statement/Prospectus of Viacom Inc. dated June 6, 1994 (Registration No. 33-53977))
- 4.5 By-laws of Viacom Inc. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.3 to the Registration Statement on Form S-4 filed by Viacom Inc. (Registration No. 33-13812))
- 5 Opinion of Philippe P. Dauman, Esq. as to the legality of the securities being registered
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- 23.2 Consent of Ernst & Young LLP
- 23.3 Consent of Arthur Andersen LLP
- 23.4 Consent of Philippe P. Dauman, Esq. (contained in Exhibit 5)
- 24 Powers of Attorney

Signatures

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the Registrant has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized, in the City of New York, State of New York, on July 10, 1995.

VIACOM INC. (Registrant)

By: /s/ PHILIPPE P. DAUMAN Name: Philippe P. Dauman Title: Executive Vice President, General Counsel, Chief Administrative Officer and Secretary

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Registration Statement has been signed by the following persons on July 10, 1995 in the capacities shown:

Signature

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Title

Director

George S. Abrams

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Director

/s/ PHILIPPE P. DAUMAN

Philippe P. Dauman

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* - -----William C. Ferguson

* H. Wayne Huizenga

George D. Johnson, Jr.

* ------Ken Miller Director, President, Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)

Director

Director

Director

Director

Director

Brent D. Redstone

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* Shari Redstone

Sumner M. Redstone

* Frederic V. Salerno

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William Schwartz

/s/ GEORGE S. SMITH, JR. George S. Smith, Jr.

/s/ SUSAN C. GORDON

Susan C. Gordon

*By: /s/ PHILIPPE P. DAUMAN Philippe P. Dauman Attorney-in-Fact under Powers of Attorney filed as Exhibit 24 to this Registration Statement Director

Director

Director

Director

Director

Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)

Vice President, Controller, Chief Accounting Officer (Principal Accounting Officer)

July 10, 1995

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July 10, 1995

Viacom Inc. 1515 Broadway New York, New York 10036

Dear Sirs:

This opinion is delivered in connection with the Registration Statement on Form S-8 (the "Registration Statement") of Viacom Inc. ("Viacom") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Act"), with respect to 1,070,000 shares of Viacom Class B Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the "Securities"), to be issued in connection with Viacom's assumption of the stock options for shares of Paramount Communications Inc. ("Paramount") common Stock outstanding on July 7, 1994 under Paramount's 1989 and 1984 Stock Option Plans (the "Plans").

In this connection, and as the basis for the opinion expressed below, I have examined and relied on originals or copies, certified or otherwise identified to my satisfaction of such documents, corporate records and other instruments, and have made such examinations of law and fact as I have deemed necessary or appropriate for the purpose of giving the opinion expressed below.

I am a member of the bar of the State of New York and the opinion set forth below are limited to matters controlled by the laws of New York, the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware and the Federal laws of the United States of America.

Based upon the foregoing, it is my opinion that when (i) the applicable provisions of the Act and of such "Blue Sky" or other state securities laws as may be applicable shall have been complied with, and (ii) the Securities shall have been issued and delivered in accordance with the terms of the Plans and paid for in full, the Securities will be legally issued, fully paid and nonassessable.

I hereby consent to the filing of this opinion as an exhibit to the Registration Statement.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Philippe P. Dauman

CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS

We hereby consent to the incorporation by reference in this Registration Statement on Form S-8 of Viacom Inc. of our reports dated February 10, 1995, appearing on pages II-14 and F-2 of the Viacom Inc. Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 1994 and of our reports dated June 3, 1994, appearing on page F-2 and page 4 of Item 14(a) in the Paramount Communications Inc. Transition Report on Form 10-K for the eleven month period ended March 31, 1994, as amended by Form 10-K/A Amendment No. 1 dated July 29, 1994, and as further amended by Form 10-K/A Amendment No. 2 dated August 12, 1994, included in the Viacom Inc. Current Report (Form 8-K) filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 14, 1995.

PRICE WATERHOUSE LLP

New York, New York July 10, 1995

CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

We consent to the incorporation by reference in this Registration Statement (Form S-8) of Viacom Inc. of our report dated August 27, 1993, except for Notes A and J, as to which the date is September 10, 1993, with respect to the consolidated financial statements of Paramount Communications Inc. included in the Viacom Inc. Current Report (Form 8-K) filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 14, 1995.

ERNST & YOUNG LLP

New York, New York July 10, 1995

CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

As independent certified public accountants, we hereby consent to the incorporation by reference in this registration statement, on Form S-8 of Viacom Inc., of our report dated March 23, 1994, on Blockbuster Entertainment Corporation's 1993, 1992 and 1991 financial statements, included in Viacom Inc.'s Form 8-K dated April 13, 1995.

ARTHUR ANDERSEN LLP

Fort Lauderdale, Florida July 10, 1995

EXHIBIT 24

VIACOM INC.

Power of Attorney

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that the undersigned director and/or officer of VIACOM INC., (the "Company"), hereby constitutes and appoints Philippe P. Dauman and Michael D. Fricklas, and each of them, his true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power of substitution and resubstitution, for him and in his name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to sign (1) a registration statement on Form S-8, or such other form as may be recommended by counsel, to be filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission"), and any and all amendments and post-effective amendments thereto and supplements to the Prospectus contained therein, and any and all instruments and documents filed as a part of or in connection with the said registration statement or amendments thereto or supplements or amendments to such Prospectus, covering the securities of Viacom Inc. to be issued pursuant to the Paramount stock options plans assumed by Viacom Inc. pursuant to the Amended and Restated Plan of Merger, dated as of February 4, 1994, as further amended as of May 26, 1994, among Viacom Inc., Viacom International Inc. and Paramount Communications Inc., and (2) any registration statements, reports and applications relating to such securities to be filed by the Company with the Commission and/or any national securities exchanges under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. and any and all amendments thereto, and any and all instruments and documents filed as part of or in connection with such registration statements or reports or amendments thereto; granting unto said attorney-in-fact and agent, full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done, as fully for all intents and purposes as he might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that the said attorney-in-fact and agent, shall do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name this 7th day of July, 1994.

/s/ GEORGE S. ABRAMS George S. Abrams

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/s/ STEVEN R. BERRARD Steven R. Berrard

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/s/ WILLIAM C. FERGUSON William C. Ferguson

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/s/ GEORGE D. JOHNSON, JR. George D. Johnson, Jr.

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/s/ KEN MILLER Ken Miller

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/s/ BRENT D. REDSTONE Brent D. Redstone

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/s/ SUMNER M. REDSTONE Sumner M. Redstone

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/s/ FREDERIC V. SALERNO Frederic V. Salerno

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/s/ WILLIAM SCHWARTZ William Schwartz

Viacom Inc. 1515 Broadway New York, New York 10036

July 10, 1995

Direct (Modem) Transmission

Securities and Exchange Commission Division of Corporate Finance Judiciary Plaza 450 Fifth Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20549

Registration Statement of Viacom Inc. on Form S-8

Ladies and Gentlemen:

On behalf of Viacom Inc., and pursuant to regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission"), following this letter is a direct (modem) transmission submission of a Registration Statement of Viacom Inc. on Form S-8. This filing is being submitted pursuant to the requirements of Regulation S-T promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

The registration fee of \$19,237 has been paid by Viacom Inc. by wire transfer. Viacom Inc.'s account number for fees is 0000813828.

Please contact the undersigned at (212) 258-6149 if you have any questions about this filing.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Katherine B. Rosenberg