### FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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					or	Sect	ion 30(l	n) of th	e Inve	estment	Con	ipany Ad	t of 194	0								
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PRATHER ROBERT S JR						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol GRAY TELEVISION INC [ GTN ]										Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner						
(Last) 4370 PE	(First) (Middle) PEACHTREE ROAD,NE				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/25/2004										X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  President and C.O.O.							
(Street)	ΓA G	A	30319				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)													Person						
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		te,	, Transaction I Code (Instr. 5		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				4 and Securition Benefici Owned I		es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
										Code	v	Amoun		A) or D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111501. 4)	
Common Stock		08/2	25/2004					A		1,000		A	\$0.00	(1) 1,		,000		D				
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Common Stock															5,000			D <sup>(4)</sup>				
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  3. Transacti Date (Month/Day.			3A. Deeme Execution I if any (Month/Day	emed 4 on Date, T				5. Number 6.		6. Date Exercised Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		le and	ertible securitie  d 7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		mount	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	e rcisable	Ex <sub>I</sub>	oiration te	Title	or Nu	nount mber Shares							
Option to Purchase	\$10.95								09/3	30/2004	09/	30/2007	Commo		0,000			110,00	0	D		
Option to Purchase	\$14								11/1	19/2000	11/	19/2003	Commo		1,000			41,000	0	D		
Option to Purchase	\$17.81								11/1	19/2000	11/	19/2008	Class . Commo Stock	on S	,337			9,337		D		
Option to Purchase	\$10.13								05/2	25/2002	05/	25/2005	Common Stock 10		00,000		100,000		0	D		
Option to Purchase	\$12.75								11/1	18/2001	11/	18/2004	Commo		0,000			50,000	0	D		
Option to Purchase	\$11.23								01/0	07/2004	01/	07/2007	Commo		7,000			67,000	0	D		
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- 1. 1,000 shares of restricted common stock (GTN) were awarded on August 25, 2004. These shares will fully vest on January 1, 2005.
- 2. Owned by reporting person's wife, as to which shares Mr. Prather disclaims beneficial ownership.
- $3. \ Grant \ of \ restricted \ stock \ that \ vests \ in \ five \ equal \ annual \ increments \ beginning \ on \ September \ 1, \ 2003.$
- 4. 5,000 shares of restricted common stock (GTN) was awarded on January 1, 2003. These shares will vest in five equal annual increments beginning on December 31, 2003.

## Remarks:

Jackson S. Cowart IV, by Power of Attorney

08/27/2004

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* 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).

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