UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549 SCHEDULE 13D (RULE 13D-101) UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 (AMENDMENT NO. 3) General Communication, Inc. _____ (Name of Issuer) Class B Common Stock _____ (Title of Class of Securities) 369385 20 8 _____ (CUSIP Number) Jeffery C. Garvey AV Partners, L.P. 114 W. 7th Street, Suite 1300 Austin, Texas 78701 (512) 479-0055 _____

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

As of December 5, 1997

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition which is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of Rule 13d-1(b)(3) or (4), check the following box [].

NOTE: Six copies of this statement, including all exhibits, should be filed with the Commission. See Rule 13d-1(a) for other parties to whom copies are to be sent.

The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON S.S. OR IRS. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PER Austin Ventures, L.P.	RSON			
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(a)	amended parties	l such agreemen	nt to provide f	to the New Voting Agreement or the Prime Sellers who were withdraw as parties to the New	
	no long thereto Company or 13(g	er a member of AVLP holds n AVLP express) of the Act,	f the deemed "g no shares of th sly disclaims,	the New Voting Agreement, it is roup" consisting of the parties e Class B common stock of the for the purposes of Section 13(d) ership of any other shares of	
(b)	See Items 7-10 on the cover page.				
(c)	Not applicable.				
(d)	No other person has the right or the power to direct the receipt of dividends or the proceeds from the sale of the securities reported herein.				

(e) With the amendment to the New Voting Agreement, AVLP ceased to be a

member of any purported "group" related thereto. AVLP owns no shares of the Class B common stock of the Company. Therefore, AVLP ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the outstanding Class B common stock of the Company as of December 5, 1997, the effective date of the amendment to the New Voting Agreement.

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, ${\tt I}$ certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Austin Ventures, L.P.

By: AV Partners, L.P., Its: General Partner

Dated: March 31, 1998

By: JEFFERY C. GARVEY -----Jeffery C. Garvey, General Partner

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