FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BURCH KEN L							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SHENANDOAH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CO/VA/									applicable) rector		Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle)					_	SHEN]										fficer (give title elow)	Other below	(specify)
PO BOX 459						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/22/2003												
Street) EDINBURG VA 22824					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Zip)																Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
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Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Ken L. Burch

03/23/2003

** 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).
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