FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BURCH KEN L					SH	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SHENANDOAH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CO/VA/									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issu (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Own				
(Last)	(First) (Middle)				-	SHEN]									Officer (give title below)			Other (specify below)	
PO BOX 459					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2012														
(Street) EDINBURG VA 22824				4. If	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					
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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)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of		Expiration	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			itle and ount of curities derlying ivative curity (In	str. 3	8. Price Derivati Security (Instr. 5	derivative Securities	/ Ov Fo Di or (I)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares received in lieu of director fees.

Remarks:

<u>Ken L Burch</u> <u>10/01/2012</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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