FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name an Fitzsim	SH	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SHENANDOAH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CO/VA/ [									5. Relationship of Reporting (Check all applicable) X Director			son(s) to Is					
(Last) (First) (Middle)					SHEN ]											ficer (give title low)		Other ( below)	(specify
PO BOX 459						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2012													
(Street) EDINBURG VA 22824					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
(City)	(St	(State) (Zip)														Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Date						Execution Date			Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		Disposed	ties Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			Sec Ber Ow	mount of urities leficially ned Following lorted	Form (D) o	vnership n: Direct r Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
						Code	v	Amount	(A (D	) or )	Price	Tra	nsaction(s) tr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)			
Common		/2012	2012			A <sup>(1)</sup>		19.084	4 A \$1		\$15.	72 2	2,581.4992		D				
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	rative Conversion Date Execution Date or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Date, Transactio Code (Inst					6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			8. Price of Derivativ Security (Instr. 5)		D O (I	10. 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:

**Tracy Fitzsimmons** 

11/02/2012

\*\* 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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