FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Fitzsimmons Tracy							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SHENANDOAH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CO/VA/								heck all ap		,		
(Last)	(Fi	rst) (I	(Middle)			SHEN]									Offi bel	cer (give title ow)		Other below)	(specify
PO BOX 459					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2012														
(Street) EDINBURG VA 22824					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne) X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
(City) (State) (Zip)															For	rm filed by More than One Reporting rson			
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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,		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Expiratio (Month/D	е	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Own Forn Direc or In (I) (Ir	ership n: ct (D) direct nstr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares received in lieu of director fees.

Remarks:

Tracy Fitzsimmons

10/01/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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