

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>FRENCH CHRISTOPHER E</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) PO BOX 459 (Street) EDINBURG VA 22824 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>SHENANDOAH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CO/VA/ [SHEN]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <p style="text-align: center;">President</p>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/22/2007	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> 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. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	10/22/2007		M		4,884	A	\$5.9916	125,766	D	
Common Stock								55,230	I	Spouse
Common Stock								6,834	I	By Daughter
Common Stock								6,834	I	By Son
Common Stock								6,834	I	By Son
Common Stock								223,776	I	TTEE U/A WBF fbo Grandchildren
Common Stock								93,744	I	TTEE French Grandchildren Trust
Common Stock								169,983	I	TTEE WBF fbo Anne
Common Stock								169,983	I	TTEE WBF fbo Christopher
Common Stock								75,432	I	TTEE WBF fbo Cynthia
Common Stock								3,240	I	TTEE Gladys H Teale Trust

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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Incentive Stock Option	\$5.9916	10/22/2007		X		4,884		02/10/2004 ⁽¹⁾	02/11/2008	Common Stock	4,884	\$5.9916	11,514	D	
Performance Shares	(2)							(3)	09/17/2015	Common Stock	(4)		4,800	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- The option vests in two equal installments beginning 2-10-04.
- 1-for-1
- Vesting is subject to market and time-based conditions, both of which must be met for vesting to occur. The time-based condition requires that a recipient must remain in the continuous employment of the Company or one of its Affiliates until the date upon which the Performance Shares vest. All of the shares will fully vest on September 17, 2012, 2013, 2014 or 2015 if the average closing price for the common

stock for the 30 day period ending on the day prior to such date is greater than or equal to \$28.70, \$30.34, \$31.98, and \$33.62 respectively. If the Performance Shares do not vest on or prior to September 17, 2015 they will be forfeited.

4. No change.

/s/ Christopher E French

10/23/2007

** 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).

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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