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 * $\underline{Koontz\;Richard\;L\;Jr}$						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SHENANDOAH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CO/VA/ [5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to (Check all applicable) X Director 10%) to Is	
(Last) (First) (Middle)					SHEN]										icer (give title ow)		Other (elow)	(specify	
PO BOX 459						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/03/2012													
(Street) EDINBURG VA 22824					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(City) (State) (Zip)															Fo	orm filed by One Reporting Person orm 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. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4) 8)				Seci Ben Owr	mount of urities eficially ed Following orted	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
						Code	v	Amount (A) or D)	Price	Tran	saction(s) r. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	kercise (Month/Day/Year) if any e of vative (Month/Day/Year)		Code (8)	ransaction of Code (Instr. Deriva		vative rities rired r osed)	6. Date E Expiration (Month/D	е	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amour or Numbe of		ount	8. Price o Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Owne Form: Direct or Ind (I) (Ins	(D) rect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares received in lieu of director fees.

Remarks:

Richard L Koontz Jr

04/03/2012

** 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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