FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SHENANDOAH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CO/VA/						(Ch	 Relationship of Report (Check all applicable) X Director 			son(s) to Iss 10% Ov					
(Last) (First) (Middle)		SHEN]							Officer below)	(give title		Other (s	specify					
PO BOX	459				3. Date 02/16/	of Earliest Trar 2017	sac	ction (M	onth/E	Day/Year)								
(Street) EDINBURG VA 22824			4. If Am	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)							
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	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D			Execution Date,		·	Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			Benefici	es ally Following	Form:	: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
								Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(111511.4)
Common	Common Stock		02/16	/2017			A 3		3,226 A		\$0	22,695			D			
Common	Stock			02/16	/2017			F		991		A	\$27.	9 21	,704	D		
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																	
		ransactio Code (Insti		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)				le and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) (Instr. 5) (Instr. 5) (Instr. 5) (Instr. 5)		is Silly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			

Date

02/16/2017

Expiration

02/16/2017

Title

Common

Explanation of Responses:

(1)

Restricted

Stock Units

1. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.

Raymond B Ostroski Attorney in fact for Dale S Lam

Amount or Number

3,226

\$0

02/17/2017

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** 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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Know all by these present that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Christopher E. French and Raymond B. Ostroski, as the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to: 1) Execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as a Director of Shenandoah Telecommunications Company (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities and Exchange Act, and the Form 10-K or any other Securities Exchange Act filings as may be required by the rules thereunder ("SEC Filings"); 2) Do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned that may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such SEC Filings, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such forms with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and any stock exchange or similar authority; and 3) Take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing that, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned?s responsibilities to comply with SEC rules or associated SEC Filings.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to execute SEC Filings of the Company in his/her role as a Director of the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 24th day of June, 2016.

Signature: /s/ Dale S Lam

Print Name: Dale S Lam