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* <u>Koontz Richard L Jr</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SHENANDOAH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CO/VA/									neck all ap	nip of Reportin oplicable) ector		o Issuer 6 Owner	
(Last)	ast) (First) (Middle)							SHEN]								cer (give title ow)	Oth bel	er (specify ow)	
							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/02/2009												
(Street) EDINBURG VA 22824 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Lin	ie) <mark>X</mark> For For	lividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person 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 Disposed Code (Instr.			ties Acquired (A) I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			l 5) Secu Bene	ficially ed Following	6. Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indiret (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect	
										v	Amount	(A) (D)	or	Price	Trans	saction(s) : 3 and 4)		(3 4)	
Common		/2009	2009		A ⁽¹⁾		59.916	61 A \$		\$16.	69 1,4	434.5118	D						
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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) (Month/Day/Year) 3. A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		n Date,	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) Date Expiration Date Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		ount	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares received in lieu of director fees.

Remarks:

Richard L Koontz Jr

11/03/2009

** 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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