SEC Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person[*]	2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
FRENCH CHRISTOPHER E	SHENANDOAH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CO/VA/ [SHEN]	X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

(Last)   (First)   (Middle)

PO BOX 459

(Street)

EDINBURG   VA   22824

(City)   (State)   (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
09/16/2008

President

4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

X 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. 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	09/16/2008		M		5,394	A	$8.0833	146,110	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 Christopher
Common Stock								75,432	I	TTEE WBF 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	Amount or Number of Shares				
Incentive Stock Option	$8.0833	09/16/2008		X			5,394	03/09/2005[1]	03/07/2009	Common Stock	5,394	$8.0833	6,120	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option vests in two equal installments beginning 3-9-05.

/s/ Christopher E French   09/16/2008

** 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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