

SHENANDOAH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CO/VA/  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
ZERKEL JAMES E II

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
SHENANDOAH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CO/VA/ [SHEN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/18/2016

PO BOX 459

(Street)

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

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

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

EDINBURG, VA 22824

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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)	(A) or (D)	5. Amount or Price	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/18/2016		A	964	A	\$ 21.85	72,816	D	
Common Stock	02/18/2016		F	296	D	\$ 21.85	72,520	D	
Common Stock	02/18/2016		A	3,998	A	\$ 21.85	76,518	D	
Common Stock	02/18/2016		F	1,229	D	\$ 21.85	75,289	D	
Common Stock	02/19/2016		A	513	A	\$ 22.03	75,802	D	

Common Stock	02/19/2016	F	157	D	\$ 22.03	75,645 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock						1,500 <sup>(2)</sup>	I	By Spouse

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Restricted Stock Units	<sup>(3)</sup>	02/18/2016		M	964	<sup>(4)</sup> 02/18/2016	Common Stock	964
Restricted Stock Units	<sup>(3)</sup>	02/18/2016		M	3,998	02/18/2016 02/18/2016	Common Stock	3,998
Restricted Stock Units	<sup>(3)</sup>	02/19/2016		M	513	<sup>(4)</sup> 02/19/2017	Common Stock	513

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ZERKEL JAMES E II PO BOX 459 EDINBURG, VA 22824	X			

## Signatures

James E Zerkel

02/22/2016

II

\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* 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).

- (1) On December 31, 2015, the common stock of Shenandoah Telecommunications Company split two-for-one, resulting in the reporting person's acquisition of 35,926 additional shares of common stock.
- (2) On December 31, 2015, the common stock of Shenandoah Telecommunications Company split two-for-one, resulting in the reporting person's acquisition of 750 additional shares of common stock.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.

The restricted stock unit vest 1/3 on each the first, second and third anniversary subject to the continuous service on the Board of

- (4) Directors of the Company or one of its affiliates until the date of vesting. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on the vesting date.

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