ALASKA COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS GROUP INC Form 8-K April 17, 2017

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported):

Alaska Communications Systems Group, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

000-28167

(Commission

File Number)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

600 Telephone Avenue, Anchorage, Alaska

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code:

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

52-2126573

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

99503-6091

(Zip Code)

(907) 297-3000

April 3, 2017

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Alaska Communications Systems Group, Inc. (the "Company") entered into employment arrangements with Randy Ritter, the Company's Senior Vice President, Shared Services, and William Bishop, the Company's Senior Vice President, Business Market, effective June 25, 2017. Compensation details are described in the attached Compensation Letters filed herewith as Exchibits 10.1 and 10.2.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

Exhibit 10.1 Compensation Letter from Alaska Communications Systems Group, Inc. to Randy Ritter dated April 3, 2017.

Exhibit 10.2 Compensation Letter from Alaska Communications Systems Group, Inc. to William Bishop dated April 3, 2017.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Alaska Communications Systems Group, Inc.

April 17, 2017

By: Leonard A. Steinberg

Name: Leonard A. Steinberg Title: Corporate Secretary

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