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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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02/21/2013

Stock

| Name and Address of Reporting Person * Fitzsimmons Tracy | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SHENANDOAH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CO/VA/ [SHEN] | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director10% Owner | | | |
|--|---|---|---|----------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------|--|--|---|--|
| (Last) PO BOX 45 | | (Mon | e of Earliest Tr h/Day/Year) 0/2013 | ransaction | | | Officer (give below) | e title Other below) | er (specify | |
| EDINBURG | (Street) G, VA 22824 | | Amendment, Da Month/Day/Year | | 1 | | 6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by IncForm filed by Inc. | | rson | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) T | able I - Non-I | Derivative | Secur | ities Acq | uired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficial | ly Owned | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, any (Month/Day/Ye | Code | 4. Securi or(A) or Di (Instr. 3, | ispose 4 and (A) or | d of (D) | 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) | |
| Common Stock | 02/20/2013 | | A | 616 | A | \$ 14.38 | 3,238.5937 | D | | |
| Common | 02/21/2013 | | A | 352 | Α | \$ | 3 590 5937 | D | | |

352

A

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number coof 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) | | 8. F Der Sec (Ins |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--------------------|---|--|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 02/20/2013 | | M | 616 | (2) | 02/20/2015 | Common Stock | 616 | |
| Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 02/21/2012 | | M | 352 | (2) | 02/21/2014 | Common Stock | 352 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| 1 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| Fitzsimmons Tracy | | | | | | | |
| PO BOX 459 | X | | | | | | |
| EDINBURG, VA 22824 | | | | | | | |

Signatures

Tracy

Fitzsimmons 02/22/2013 **Signature of Date Reporting Person

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) 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 (2) 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

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