

COMTECH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORP /DE/
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FORM 4

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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 *
BRANSCUM JOHN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
COMTECH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORP /DE/ [CMTL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)
 Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Sr. Vice President

(Last) (First) (Middle)
**68 SOUTH SERVICE ROAD,
 SUITE 230**
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
09/23/2015

MELVILLE, NY 11747
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock Par Value \$.10 Per Share | 09/23/2015 | | M | 521 ⁽³⁾ A <u>(1)</u> | 7,839 | D | |

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) | 8. P... Der... Sec... (Ins... |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Performance Shares | (1) | 09/23/2015 | | M | 521 | (2) (2) | Common stock par value \$.10 per share | 521 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BRANSCUM JOHN
68 SOUTH SERVICE ROAD, SUITE 230
MELVILLE, NY 11747

Sr. Vice President

Signatures

John Branscum 09/25/2015

__Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Performance shares convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis.

20% of the 2,605 performance shares issued to the Reporting Person on June 5, 2013 have vested. 20% had previously vested on September 23, 2014, and the remaining 60% will vest 20% per year on the second through fourth anniversaries of September 23, 2014, assuming continued service through the vesting date.

(3) All rights to the common stock are deferred and will be delivered to the reporting person within 30 days of termination.

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