Woodward James F Form 4 February 21, 2018

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

Washington, D.C. 20549

if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5

obligations

may continue.

See Instruction

Check this box

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

PO BOX 459

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Woodward James F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

SHENANDOAH

TELECOMMUNICATIONS

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

CO/VA/[SHEN]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year)

02/20/2018

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

OMB

Number:

Expires:

response...

Estimated average

burden hours per

OMB APPROVAL

3235-0287

January 31,

2005

0.5

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

Sr VP-Finance & CFO

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

EDINBURG, VA 22824

(State) (Zip) (City) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 8)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

or

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (Instr. 4)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

SEC 1474 (9-02)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of

Derivative

Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

4 5. Number

6. Date Exercisable and Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date

7. Title and Amount of 8 **Underlying Securities**

Edgar Filing: Woodward James F - Form 4

Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit	<u>(1)</u>	02/20/2018		A	7,610	(2)	02/16/2022	Common Stock	7,610

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Woodward James F

PO BOX 459 Sr VP-Finance & CFO

EDINBURG, VA 22824

Signatures

James F

Woodward 02/21/2018

**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 units vest one-fourth on the third Thursday of each February beginning in 2019 subject to the continuous employment (2) by the Company or one of its affiliates until the date of vesting. The restricted stock units are subject to forfeiture in accordance with the Company's executive compensation policy.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

Reporting Owners 2