

BRANSCUM JOHN
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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 *
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)
07/31/2017

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
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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) |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount (A) or (D) Price | | |
| Common stock par value \$.10 per share | 07/31/2017 | | M | | 445 A <u>(1)</u> 25,707 | D | |
| Common stock par value \$.10 per share | 07/31/2017 | | F | | 445 D \$ 18 25,262 | 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. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|---|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Share Unit | (2) | 07/31/2017 | | A | (2) 12,259 | (2) | (2) | Common stock par value \$.10 per share | 12,259 |
| Share Unit | (1) | 07/31/2017 | | M | 445 | (2) | (2) | Common stock par value \$.10 per share | 445 |

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 08/02/2017
 **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) These transactions represent the net settlement of share units (see footnote #2) to withhold the reporting person's Federal Insurance Contributions Act ("FICA") tax and certain federal and state income taxes.
- (2)

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Share units are rights to convert solely into Comtech Telecommunications Corp. common stock on a one-for-one basis. The share units were issued in lieu of cash settlements based on the achievement of pre-established non-equity incentive goals for the fiscal year ending July 31, 2017, pursuant to the 2000 Stock Incentive Plan. These share units are fully vested, are subject to certain transfer restrictions, cannot be assigned, and will be converted into Comtech Telecommunications Corp. common stock following the one-year anniversary of the grant date which will occur on July 31, 2018.

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