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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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See Instruction 1(b).

Common

Stock

02/16/2017

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

OSTROSKI RAYMOND B			Symbol SHENANDOAH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CO/VA/ [SHEN]					Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)			X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP Legal & General Counsel						
PO BOX 459			02/16/20	02/16/2017								
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
Fi				nth/Day/Yea	r)			Applicable Line)				
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Ac	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution any (Month/D			3. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	on(A) or D (D)	ispose	d of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	02/16/2017			A	756	A	\$0	11,761.9135	D			
Common Stock	02/16/2017			F	290	D	\$ 27.9	11,471.9135	D			
Common Stock	02/16/2017			A	816	A	\$0	12,287.9135	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction of Code Derivative		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day)	ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/16/2017		M		756	(2)	02/21/2019	Common Stock	756
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	02/16/2017		M		816	(2)	02/20/2020	Common Stock	816

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

OSTROSKI RAYMOND B PO BOX 459

EDINBURG, VA 22824

VP Legal & General Counsel

Signatures

Raymond B
Ostroski

**Signature of Date

Signature of 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.

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The restricted stock units vest 1/4 on the third Thursday of each February beginning in 2016 subject to the continuous employment by the Company or one of its affiliates until the date of vesting. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on the vesting date. The restricted stock units are subject to forfeiture in accordance with the Company's executive compensation policy.

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