MACKENZIE EARLE A

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Add MACKENZIE	-	ng Person * (Middle)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SHENANDOAH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CO/VA/ [SHEN] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specifibelow) below) Executive Vice President			
PO BOX 459			09/25/2017				
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
EDINBURG,	VA 22824			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	-Derivative	ed, 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)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or tiorDisposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)) (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	09/25/2017		Code V S	Amount 46,000	(D)	Price \$ 38.9324	118,047	D	
Common Stock	09/26/2017		A	66,028	A	\$ 8.29	184,075	D	
Common Stock	09/26/2017		A	125,296	A	\$ 5.41	309,371	D	
Common Stock	09/26/2017		A	88,322	A	\$ 6.92	397,693	D	
Common Stock	09/26/2017		F	140,328	D	\$ 38.85	257,365	D	

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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)	onDerivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount o Number o Shares
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 8.29	09/26/2017		X		66,028	<u>(1)</u>	02/20/2021	Common Stock	66,028
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 5.41	09/26/2017		X		125,296	<u>(1)</u>	02/19/2022	Common Stock	125,296
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 6.92	09/26/2017		X		88,322	(1)	02/17/2023	Common Stock	88,322

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MACKENZIE EARLE A **PO BOX 459** EDINBURG, VA 22824

Executive Vice President

Signatures

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MacKenzie 09/27/2017 Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

2 Reporting Owners

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- * 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) Option vests one-fourth on each the first, second, third and fourth anniversary.

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