

CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS, INC. /MO/
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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 *
Rutledge Thomas

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS, INC. /MO/ [CHTR]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS, INC., 400 ATLANTIC STREET

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/22/2015

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

STAMFORD, CT 06901

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Class A Common Stock	12/22/2015		M	166,350 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$ 53.595	561,994 D
Class A Common Stock	12/22/2015		F	106,225 ⁽²⁾	D	\$ 180.99 ⁽³⁾	455,769 D
Class A Common Stock	12/22/2015		G	83,696 ⁽⁴⁾	D	\$ 0	372,073 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Performance Vesting Stock Options	\$ 53.595	12/22/2015		M	166,350	(5) 02/19/2016	Class A Common Stock 166,350

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Rutledge Thomas
C/O CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
400 ATLANTIC STREET
STAMFORD, CT 06901

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President and CEO

Signatures

/s/ Daniel J. Bollinger as attorney-in-fact for Thomas M. Rutledge

12/23/2015

__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) Securities acquired upon exercise of all of the vested performance-vesting stock options with a \$125 or \$150 per-share stock price target granted on December 19, 2011 under the Charter Communications, Inc. Amended and Restated 2009 Stock Incentive Plan. These options had an expiration date in February 2016.
- (2) Withholding of securities for the purpose of paying the exercise price and taxes due upon exercise of the stock options.
- (3) Per-share value assigned to the shares withheld based on the fair market value of the shares at the time the stock options were exercised on December 22, 2015.
- (4) Gift to a non-profit charitable foundation pursuant to a 10b5-1 plan.

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- The options, representing the right to purchase 110,900 shares of Class A Common Stock subject to the attainment of a \$125 per-share stock price for a sixty-day period (with a 4-year term); and 110,900 shares of Class A Common Stock subject to the attainment of a \$150
- (5) per-share stock price for a sixty-day period (with a 4-year term), vest as follows: (i) 25% were first eligible to vest on December 19, 2012; (ii) 25% were first eligible to vest on December 19, 2013; (iii) 25% were first eligible to vest on December 19, 2014; and (iv) 25% were first eligible to vest on December 19, 2015.

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