POST GLEN F III Form 4

February 22, 2013

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad POST GLEN	^	orting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CENTURYLINK, INC [CTL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
CENTURYL CENTURYL			(Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2013	X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) CEO & President		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
MONROE, L	A 71203		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zin)				

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly 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. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed	of (D)	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)
Common Stock	02/20/2013		F	6,299	D	\$ 33.93	633,550.7473 (1)	D	
Common Stock	02/21/2013		F	11,213	D	\$ 34.27	622,337.7473 (1)	D	
Common Stock							21,872.03	I	By 401(k) plan
Common Stock							30,267.62	I	By ESOP
Common Stock							8,613.26	I	By PAYSOP
							74,074.25	I	

Common By Stock Stock Bonus Plan

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. onNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Titl		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
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					of (D)						(Instr
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					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number		
				Code V	(A) (D)				of Shares		
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
POST GLEN F III CENTURYLINK, INC. 100 CENTURYLINK DRIVE MONROE, LA 71203	X		CEO & President					

Signatures

/s/ Jennifer A. D'Alessandro, as 02/22/2013 attorney-in-fact

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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) Includes ESPP purchases through February 21, 2013.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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