

VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC  
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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 \*  
 Mead Daniel S.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC [VZ]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 EVP&Pres. of Strat Initiatives

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC., 1095 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 04/29/2015

(Street)  
 NEW YORK, NY 10036

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

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |           |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|-----------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |  |           |
| Common Stock                    | 04/29/2015                           |  | S                              | 24,945  | D   | \$ 50.45   | 0  | D         |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   | (1)  |  |           |
| Common Stock                    | 04/29/2015                           |  | I                              | 9,907   | D   | \$ 50.47   | 1,226                                      | I         |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (2)   |   |  |  | By 401(k) |
| Common Stock                    | 04/30/2015                           |  | I                              | 1,226   | D   | \$ 50.44   | 0  | I         |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (2)   |   |  |  | By 401(k) |

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
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## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                                |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                        | Other |
| Mead Daniel S.<br>VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC.<br>1095 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS<br>NEW YORK, NY 10036 |               |           | EVP&Pres. of Strat Initiatives |       |

## Signatures

William L. Horton, Jr., Attorney-in-fact for Daniel S. Mead  
Date: 05/01/2015

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
  - \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices per share ranging from \$50.41 to \$50.48. The reporting person will provide to Verizon Communications Inc., any security holder of Verizon Communications Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth herein.
- (2) The reporting person had the right to transfer the value of these shares into an alternative investment under the terms of the 401(k) plan.

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