Wynschenk Michael J Form 4 March 21, 2012

# 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 Address of Reporting Person \*

Wynschenk Michael J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ALASKA COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS GROUP INC [ALSK] Issuer

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Zip)

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

03/19/2012

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title

below) Senior Vice President, Sales

600 TELEPHONE AVENUE, MS

(Street)

(State)

#65

(City)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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### ANCHORAGE, AK 99503

| (City)                              | (State)                              | Table                         | e I - Non-De     | erivative               | Secur        | ities Aco   | quired, Disposed o                      | f, or Beneficial           | ly Owned                |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1.Title of<br>Security              | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 3.<br>Transactio | 4. Securi<br>n(A) or Di |              | •           | 5. Amount of Securities                 | 6. Ownership Form: Direct  | 7. Nature of Indirect   |
| (Instr. 3)                          |                                      | any                           | Code             | (D)                     |              |             | Beneficially                            | (D) or                     | Beneficial              |
|                                     |                                      | (Month/Day/Year)              | (Instr. 8)       | (Instr. 3,              | 4 and (A) or | 5)          | Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|                                     |                                      |                               | Code V           | Amount                  | (D)          | Price       | (Instr. 3 and 4)                        |                            |                         |
| common<br>stock, \$.01<br>par value | 03/19/2012                           |                               | A                | 6,639                   | A            | \$ 0<br>(1) | 10,522                                  | D                          |                         |
| common<br>stock, \$.01<br>par value | 03/19/2012                           |                               | F                | 2,035                   | D            | \$<br>3.19  | 8,487                                   | D                          |                         |

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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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiratio<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amo<br>Underlying Secu<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|
|                                                     |                                                                       |                                         |                                                             | Code V                                 | (A) (D)                                                                                   | Date Exercisable Expiration Date                              | Ar<br>or<br>Nu<br>of                                    |
| Restricted                                          | \$ 0 (2)                                                              | 03/19/2012                              |                                                             | A                                      | 21,379                                                                                    | 03/01/2013(3) 03/01/2013(                                     | Common 2:                                               |

stock

## **Reporting Owners**

| Director 10% Owner Officer Othe Wynschenk Michael J 600 TELEPHONE AVENUE, MS #65 ANCHORAGE, AK 99503  Director 10% Owner Officer Othe Senior Vice President, Sales | Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |           |            |       |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|------------|-------|--|--|--|
| 600 TELEPHONE AVENUE, MS #65 President,                                                                                                                            |                                | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer    | Other |  |  |  |
|                                                                                                                                                                    | 600 TELEPHONE AVENUE, MS #65   |               |           | President, |       |  |  |  |

# **Signatures**

stock units

/s/Leonard Steinberg for Michael J Wynschenk

03/21/2012

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).
- Performance stock unit award granted under the Alaska Communications Systems Group, Inc. 2011 Incentive Award Plan and vested **(1)** upon acheivement of previously established peformance criteria.
- Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Alaska Communications Systems Group, Inc. common **(2)** stock.
- (3) The restricted stock units will vest on March 1, 2013, subject to continued employment.

(4) Restricted stock unit award under the Alaska Communications Systems Group, Inc. 2011 Incentive Award Plan

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