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FORM 4	UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549
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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

(Street)

(State)

Ritter Randy M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

ALASKA COMMUNICATIONS

SYSTEMS GROUP INC [ALSK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

12/09/2013

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

600 TELEPHONE AVENUE.

(Middle)

(Zip)

MS#65

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)

Sr Vice Pres, Managed Services

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Director

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

ANCHORAGE, AK 99503

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s)

or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative Conversion

5. Number of

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of Underlying

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			(D) (Instr. 3, 4,	OI .						
				Code V	and 5) (A) (D) Date Expiration Title Exercisable Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	or Number		
restricted stock unit	\$ 0 <u>(1)</u>	12/09/2013		A	12,681	(2)	(2)	common stock	12,681	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Ritter Randy M			Sr Vice Pres,				
600 TELEPHONE AVENUE, MS#65			Managed				
ANCHORAGE, AK 99503			Services				

Signatures

Leonard Steinberg for Randy M Ritter

12/10/2013

**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) Restricted stock unit award under the Alaska Communications Systems Group, Inc. 2011 Incentive Award Plan
- Amount represents restricted stock units granted under the Alaska Communications Systems Group, Inc. 2011 Incentive Award Plan (2) which will vest in three equal annual installments beginning on the first company business day on or after January 11, 2014, subject to continued employment.

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