

ALASKA COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS GROUP INC

Form 4

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FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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1(b).**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Bishop William H

(Last) (First) (Middle)

600 TELEPHONE AVENUE

(Street)

ANCHORAGE, AK 99503

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
SymbolALASKA COMMUNICATIONS
SYSTEMS GROUP INC [ALSK]3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)

03/01/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify
below)

SVP, Business Market

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common stock, par value \$.01	03/01/2017		M	29,365	A	\$ 0 (1)	110,474.3 (2) D
Common stock, par value \$.01	03/01/2017		F	9,589	D	\$ 1.67	100,885.3 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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	03/01/2017		M	8,497	03/01/2017 ⁽³⁾ 03/01/2017 ⁽³⁾	Common Stock 8
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	03/01/2017		M	2,789	03/01/2017 ⁽⁴⁾ 03/01/2017 ⁽⁴⁾	Common Stock 2
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	03/01/2017		M	18,079	03/01/2017 ⁽⁵⁾ 03/01/2017 ⁽⁵⁾	Common Stock 18

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Bishop William H 600 TELEPHONE AVENUE ANCHORAGE, AK 99503	SVP, Business Market

Signatures

/s/Diedre Williams for William Bishop 03/03/2017

__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) Amount represents restricted stock units granted under the Alaska Communications Systems Group, Inc. 2011 Incentive Award Plan.
- (2) Includes 3669.5 shares purchased through the Alaska Communications Systems Group, Inc. 2012 Employee Stock Purchase Plan
Amount represents restricted stock units granted under the Alaska Communications Systems Group, Inc. 2011 Incentive Award Plan as a
- (3) part of a larger award. The remaining 8496 units will vest on the first company business day on or after March 1, 2018, subject to continued employment.
- (4) Amount represents restricted stock units granted under the Alaska Communications Systems Group, Inc. 2011 Incentive Award Plan as a part of a larger award. The remaining 2789 units will vest on the first company business day on or after March 1, 2018, subject to

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continued employment.

- (5) Amount represents restricted stock units granted under the Alaska Communications Systems Group, Inc. 2011 Incentive Award Plan as a part of a larger award. The remaining 36,158 units will vest in two equal annual installments beginning on the first company business day on or after March 1, 2018, subject to continued employment.

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