#### FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS CORP

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# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* KAHAN JAMES S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

below)

Symbol

FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS

(Check all applicable)

CORP [FTR]

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

(Month/Day/Year) 06/29/2012

3 HIGH RIDGE PARK

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

STAMFORD, CT 06905

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

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

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

5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	Dispo	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code	V (	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock Units	(1)	06/29/2012		A(2)	934	4.98		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	934.98
Phantom Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	07/02/2012		A(3)	11,1	127.6		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	11,127.6

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
KAHAN JAMES S 3 HIGH RIDGE PARK STAMFORD, CT 06905	X						

### **Signatures**

/s/ David G. Schwartz, under Power of
Attorney

\*\*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) Phantom stock units convert one-for-one into shares of common stock or cash equivalent, at the election of the Reporting Person, upon the Reporting Person's termination of service as a director of the Company.
- (2) Acquired pursuant to a divident reinvestment feature of the Non-Employee Directors' Incentive Plan.
- Quarterly payment of annual retainer paid in the form of phantom stock units, one half of which was pursuant to the Reporting Person's election to receive phantom stock units in lieu of cash.

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