FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* ALLEN PAUL G						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS INC										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director X 10% Owner						
(Last)	Last) (First) (Middle)					/MO/ [ CHTR ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/23/2003									Offi bel	cer (giv ow)	ve title		Other ( below)	specify		
(Street)						If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)							
(City) (State) (Zip)															X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curiti	es Ac	quired,	Disp	osed (	of, or	Ben	eficial	ly Owr	ed						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						ar) E	f any	med on Date Day/Yea	Code (		ecurities Acquired (A) losed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			1 and Securiti Benefic Owned		ies ially Following			7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
									Code	v	Amount	(A	A) or D)	Price		rted action . 3 and	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)		
Class A Common Stock 07/23/						2003		A		9,882	(1)	A 0		21,678,555		555		D				
	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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		ı of l		6. Date Exe Expiration (Month/Day	Date		e and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	der Ser Be Ow For Re	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Class A Common Stock	0(2)	07/23/2003			A		0(2)		07/23/2004	1 08	/08/1988	Class A Commo	on	0	\$0	2	21,678,5	55	D			

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Grant of restricted stock, to vest fully upon one year anniversary date of grant.
- 2. No securities to be reported.

<u>Paul G. Allen</u> <u>07/25/2003</u>

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

 $Reminder: \ Report \ on \ a \ separate \ line \ for \ each \ class \ of \ securities \ beneficially \ owned \ directly \ or \ indirectly.$ 

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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