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# 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*		Person*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS INC		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
MAY ROB	<u>ERI P</u>		<u>/MO/</u> [ CHTR ]	X	Director	10% Owner				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)			Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)				
CHARTER C	OMMUNICATIO	ONS, INC.	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/21/2004		,					
12405 POWERSCOURT DRIVE			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indi Line)	dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street)				X	Form filed by One Re	porting Person				
ST. LOUIS	MO	63104			Form filed by More th Person	an One Reporting				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)								

## 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)	Transaction Code (Instr.						6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock	10/20/2004		Α		19,685	Α	(1)	19,685	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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 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) Securities		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	, (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

#### Explanation of Responses:

1. Grant of restricted stock valued at \$50,000 on the date of the grant, to fully vest on anniversary date of grant.

#### Remarks:

# Robert P. May

<u>10/21/2004</u> Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

\* 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).

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