

Rutledge Thomas
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Â Rutledge Thomas
 (Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement
 (Month/Day/Year)
 02/13/2012

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS, INC. /MO/ [CHTR]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

C/O CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS, INC., Â 12405 POWERSCOURT DRIVE
 (Street)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer Other
 (give title below) (specify below)
 President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

ST. LOUIS, Â MO Â 63131
 (City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Class A Common Stock	306,700 ⁽¹⁾	D	Â
Class A Common Stock	305,000 ⁽²⁾	D	Â

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Performance Vesting Stock Options	Â (3)	12/19/2021	Class A Common Stock	446,800	\$ 53.595	D	Â
Time-Vesting Stock Options	Â (4)	12/19/2021	Class A Common Stock	200,000	\$ 53.595	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Rutledge Thomas C/O CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS, INC. 12405 POWERSCOURT DRIVE ST. LOUIS, MO 63131	Â X	Â	Â President and CEO	Â

Signatures

/s/ Thomas M.
Rutledge

02/22/2012

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).

- Restricted Stock granted on December 19, 2011 under the Charter Communications, Inc. Amended and Restated 2009 Stock Incentive Plan; 102,233 shares subject to the attainment of a \$60 per-share hurdle; 102,233 shares subject to the attainment of a \$80 per-share hurdle; and 102,234 shares subject to the attainment of a \$100 per-share hurdle (each with a ten-year term). Vesting schedule as follows: (i) 25% first eligible to vest on December 19, 2012; (ii) 25% first eligible to vest on December 19, 2013; (iii) 25% first eligible to vest on December 19, 2014; and (iv) 25% first eligible to vest on December 19, 2015.
- (1) Restricted Stock granted on December 19, 2011 under the Charter Communications, Inc. Amended and Restated 2009 Stock Incentive Plan. Vesting in 25% installments on each of the first four anniversaries of February 13, 2012.
- Stock options granted on December 19, 2011 under the Charter Communications, Inc. Amended and Restated 2009 Stock Incentive Plan; 75,000 stock options subject to the attainment of a \$60 per-share hurdle (with a 10-year term); 75,000 stock options subject to the attainment of a \$80 per-share hurdle (with a 10-year term); 75,000 stock options subject to the attainment of a \$100 per-share hurdle (with a 10-year term); 110,900 stock options subject to the attainment of a \$125 per-share hurdle (with a 4-year term); and 110,900 stock options subject to the attainment of a \$150 per-share hurdle (with a four year term). Vesting schedule as follows: (i) 25% first eligible to vest on December 19, 2012; (ii) 25% first eligible to vest on December 19, 2013; (iii) 25% first eligible to vest on December 19, 2014; and (iv) 25% first eligible to vest on December 19, 2015.
- (3) Stock options granted on December 19, 2011 under the Charter Communications, Inc. Amended and Restated 2009 Stock Incentive Plan. Vesting in 25% installments on each of the first four anniversaries of February 13, 2012.

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