

WATSA V PREM ET AL
Form 4
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
FAIRFAX FINANCIAL HOLDINGS LTD/ CAN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
LEVEL 3 COMMUNICATIONS INC [LVLT]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)
95 WELLINGTON STREET
WEST, SUITE 800

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/31/2011

____ Director
____ Officer (give title below)
__X__ 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)

TORONTO, A6 M5J 2N7

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

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

(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) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|-----|-------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | 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 Derivative | 2. Conversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 4. Transaction | 5. Number of Derivative Securities | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security |
|------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|------------------------------------|---|--|
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| Security (Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
|---|--|----------------------|-----------------|--|------------------|------------------|---|-------|
| | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | AN SH |
| 9% Convertible Senior Discount Notes due 2013 (Notes) | (1) | 01/31/2011 | J(2) | \$ 294,732,000 (3) | 04/24/2004 | (4) | Common Stock, \$0.01 par value (?Shares?) | 2 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| FAIRFAX FINANCIAL HOLDINGS LTD/ CAN 95 WELLINGTON STREET WEST SUITE 800 TORONTO, A6 M5J 2N7 | | X | | |
| WATSA V PREM ET AL 95 WELLINGTON STREET WEST SUITE 800 TORONTO, A6 M5J 2N7 | | X | | |
| 1109519 ONTARIO LTD 95 WELLINGTON STREET WEST SUITE 800 TORONTO, A6 M5J 2N7 | | X | | |
| SIXTY TWO INVESTMENT CO LTD 1600 CATHEDRAL PLACE 925 WEST GEORGIA ST. VANCOUVER, A1 V6C 3L3 | | X | | |
| 810679 ONTARIO LTD 95 WELLINGTON STREET WEST SUITE 800 TORONTO, A6 M5J 2N7 | | X | | |

Signatures

/s/ V. Prem Watsa, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer
 01/31/2011
 **Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ V. Prem Watsa
 01/31/2011

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| <u> </u> **Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| /s/ V. Prem Watsa, President | 01/31/2011 |
| <u> </u> **Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| /s/ V. Prem Watsa, President | 01/31/2011 |
| <u> </u> **Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| /s/ V. Prem Watsa, President | 01/31/2011 |
| <u> </u> **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) The Notes were convertible into Shares based on a conversion price of \$9.991 per Share, subject to adjustment under certain circumstances.
- (2) \$294,732,000 aggregate principal amount of Notes were disposed of in exchange for \$300,217,000 aggregate principal amount of 11.875% Senior Notes due 2019 of Level 3 Communications Inc. and a net accrued interest payment of \$6,622,003.
- (3) Aggregate principal amount of Notes
- (4) The Notes were convertible into Shares at the option of the holder thereof at any time prior to the close of business on the last trading day immediately preceding October 15, 2013, the maturity date of the Notes.

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