

COMMSCOPE INC  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**DRENDEL FRANK M**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1100 COMMSCOPE PLACE, SE

(Street)

HICKORY, NC 28602

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**COMMSCOPE INC [CTV]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**10/14/2010**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**Chairman & CEO**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	10/14/2010		M		60,000	A	\$ 17.25
Common Stock					112,000	I	Drendel Investments, Inc.
Common Stock					50,000	I	Frank M. Drendel Two-Year Grantor Retained Annuity Trust

Common Stock	50,000	I	Frank M. Drendel Three-Year Grantor Retained Annuity Trust
Common Stock	50,000	I	Frank M. Drendel Four-Year Grantor Retained Annuity Trust
Common Stock	100	I	By Estate of Spouse
Common Stock	3,519.92	I	By Savings Plan <sup>(1)</sup>

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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 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)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)				
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.25	10/14/2010		M	60,000	12/14/2001 <sup>(2)</sup>	12/14/2010	Common Stock	60,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

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	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DRENDEL FRANK M 1100 COMMSCOPE PLACE, SE HICKORY, NC 28602	X		Chairman & CEO	

## Signatures

/s/Frank M.  
Drendel

10/15/2010

\_\_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) Shares held by Savings Plan as of October 14, 2010.
  - (2) This option was originally granted in respect to 120,000 shares and vested in three equal annual installments beginning on the date indicated.

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