COMMSCOPE INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Add DRENDEL F | | rting Person * | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COMMSCOPE INC [CTV] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|------------------------------|----------|----------------|--|---|--|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | | | | |
| 1100 COMMSCOPE PLACE, SE | | ACE, SE | (Month/Day/Year) 12/13/2009 | _X Director 10% Owner Start Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman and CEO | | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) | | | |
| HICKORY, NC 28602 | | | | _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |

| | | | Person | | | | | | | |
|--|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|--|-------|-------------|--|--|---|
| | (City) | (State) | (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficia | | | | | | cially 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. Securition(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4) | posed | of (D) | 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) |
| | Common Stock | 12/13/2009 | | A(1) | 43,500 | A | \$0 | 576,655 | D | |
| | Common Stock | 12/13/2009 | | F | 15,743 | D | \$ 25.67 | 560,912 | D | |
| | Common Stock | | | | | | | 112,000 | I | Drendel Investments, Inc. |
| | Common Stock | | | | | | | 50,000 | I | Frank M. Drendel Two-Year |

Grantor

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| | | | 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 | 2,986.49 | I | By Savings Plan (2) |
| Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially own | ed 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. Transact Code (Instr. 8) | 5. ionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 5 | ate | Amou Unde Secur | rlying | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) |
|---|---|---|---|--------------------------------------|--|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--|---|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DRENDEL FRANK M

1100 COMMSCOPE PLACE, SE X Chairman and CEO

HICKORY, NC 28602

Signatures

/s/Frank M. 12/14/2009 Drendel

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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 shares were acquired in connection with the vesting of performance unit awards granted in December 2006.
- (2) Shares held by Savings Plan as of December 13, 2009.

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