REDDIN THOMAS

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

REDDIN THOMAS

(Last)

(City)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(First) (Middle)

(Zip)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

VALASSIS COMMUNICATIONS. INC., 19975 VICTOR PARKWAY

(Street)

(State)

LIVONIA, MI 48152

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

VALASSIS COMMUNICATIONS INC [VCI]

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

04/01/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or

> (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

Code

Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Derivative Conversion

5. Number

6. Date Exercisable and

7. Title and Amount of 8 Underlying Securities

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(I)

(Instr. 4)

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership (Instr. 4)

Indirect

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(D) or Indirect Beneficial

Issuer

below)

X_ Director

Applicable Line)

5. Amount of

Securities

Following

Reported

Owned

Beneficially

Officer (give title

Estimated average

burden hours per

1

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) A (A		Securities 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	Amount or Number of Shares
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 29.36	04/01/2011		A		1,000 (1)		04/01/2012	04/01/2021	Common Stock	1,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

REDDIN THOMAS VALASSIS COMMUNICATIONS, INC. 19975 VICTOR PARKWAY LIVONIA, MI 48152



Signatures

Linda J Schalek, Power of Attorney 04/05/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person Da

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) Award granted pursuant to Company's 2008 Omnibus Incentive Compensation Plan.

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