Hayes Peter B. Form 4 February 17, 2012

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Hayes Peter B.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS CORP [FTR]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) 3 HIGH RII	(Month/D	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/15/2012					Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP Commercial Sales						
STAMFOR	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting							
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tahl	e I - Nor	ı.D	erivative Se	curiti	es Acai	Person uired, Disposed of	f or Reneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	ar) Execution		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or				uired	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	02/15/2012			A		113,523	A	\$0	239,149	D			
Common Stock									234,572	I	By Family Trust (1)		

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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc		7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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					4, and 5)						
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				C 1 W	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Hayes Peter B.

3 HIGH RIDGE PARK **EVP Commercial Sales**

STAMFORD, CT 06905

Signatures

/s/ David G. Schwartz, under Power of 02/17/2012 Attorney

> **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) Held by a trust, of which the Reporting Person and his wife are the sole beneficiaries and trustees.

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