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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *  Schmitz Eloise			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS INC /MO/ [CHTR					
(Last) (F	irst)	(Middle)	07/24/2007		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				5. If Amendment, Date Origin Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
C/O CHARTER COMMUNICA INC., 12405 P DRIVE (St	ΓΙΟΝS, OWERS				Direc _X_ Offi (give title b	cer _	10% Other	Owner · ow)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City) (St	tate)	(Zip)		Table I - N	lon-Deriv	vative S	Securiti	es Be	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)				2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		Forr Dire or Ir (I)	nership n: ect (D) ndirect tr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	•	
Class A Commo	n Stock			1,905 (1)			D	Â		
Class A Common Stock				34,931 <u>(2)</u>			D	Â		
Class A Common Stock				176,136 <u>(3)</u>			D	Â		
Class A Commo	on Stock			100,000 (4)	<u>)</u>		D	Â		
Reminder: Report or owned directly or income		e line for ea	ch class of secu	rities benefic	ially	SEC 14	173 (7-02	)		
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Stock Options	07/23/2003	07/23/2012	Class A Common Stock	40,000 (5)	\$ 2.85	D	Â	
Stock Options	04/29/2004	04/29/2013	Class A Common Stock	8,750 <u>(6)</u>	\$ 1.6	D	Â	
Stock Options	01/27/2005	01/27/2014	Class A Common Stock	28,000 (7)	\$ 5.17	D	Â	
Stock Options	03/25/2006	03/25/2015	Class A Common Stock	83,700 (8)	\$ 1.53	D	Â	
Stock Options	03/10/2007	03/10/2016	Class A Common Stock	31,100 (9)	\$ 1	D	Â	
Stock Options	08/29/2007	08/29/2016	Class A Common Stock	100,000 (10)	\$ 1.32	D	Â	
Stock Options	03/09/2008	03/09/2017	Class A Common Stock	31,100 (11)	\$ 2.84	D	Â	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Topot and Common Table	Director 10% Owner Officer		Officer	Other		
Schmitz Eloise C/O CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS, INC. 12405 POWERSCOURT DRIVE ST. LOUIS, MO 63131	Â	Â	SVP - Strategic Planning	Â		

## **Signatures**

/s/ Eloise E. Schmitz	08/02/2007		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

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#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Restricted Shares held at 7/24/2007.
- (2) Performance Shares issued at 3/25/2005 with three-year vesting period.
- (3) Performance Shares issued at 3/10/2006 with three-year vesting period.
- (4) Performance Shares issued at 8/29/2006 with three-year vesting period.
- (5) Stock Option grant of 40,000 shares at 7/23/2002 vesting one quarter at July 23, 2003, 2004, 2005 and 2006.
- (6) Stock Option grant of 35,000 shares at 4/29/2003 vesting one quarter at April 29, 2004, 2005, 2006 and 2007. 26,250 shares previously exercised and sold.
- (7) Stock Option grant of 28,000 shares at 1/27/2004 vesting one quarter at January 27, 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2008.
- (8) Stock Option grant of 83,700 shares at 3/25/2005 vesting one quarter at March 25, 2006, 2007, 2008 and 2009.
- (9) Stock Option grant of 31,100 shares at 3/10/2006 vesting one quarter at March 10, 2007, 2008, 2009 and 2010.
- (10) Stock Option grant of 100,000 shares at 8/29/2006 vesting one quarter at August 29, 2007, 2008, 2009 and 2010.
- (11) Stock Option grant of 31,100 shares at 3/9/2007 vesting one quarter at March 9, 2008, 2009, 2010 and 2011.

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