FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)														
Name and Address of Reporting Person * CHAPADOS GREGORY F				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GENERAL COMMUNICATION INC [GNCMA]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2550 DENALI STREET, SUITE 1000				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2017								Ex	sec VP and G	200		
(Street)				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 Person					
ANCHO.	RAGE, Al	(State)	(Zip)													
		(State)				-			1					Beneficially		
(Instr. 3)		2. TransactionDate(Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 8)		(A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)			Following	Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial		
					ode	V	Amoun	(A) or t (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 a	nd 4)		` /	Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Class A (Common S	Stock	01/03/2017				F		8,501	D	\$ 20.51	498,866	5		D	
Class A	Common S	Stock										15,607			I	by 401(k)
Reminder:	Report on a s	separate line fo	or each class of secur					Pers cont the f	sons whatained in	no respo n this fo splays a	orm are	not requ ntly valid	OMB con	formation spond unle trol numbe	ess	1474 (9-02)
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transactio Date (Month/Day/	Year) Execution Da			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)		Amo Und Secu	ttle and ount of erlying irities r. 3 and		9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Owners Form o Derivat Security Direct (or Indir	Beneficia Ownersh (Instr. 4)	
				Code	de V	(A)	(D)	Date	e rcisable	Expiration Date	on Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Reporting Owners

D 4 0 N 4	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CHAPADOS GREGORY F 2550 DENALI STREET SUITE 1000 ANCHORAGE, AK 99503			Exec VP and COO					

Signatures

By: Bryan Fick For: Gregory F. Chapados 01/04/2017

**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 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 allocated to Mr. Chapados under the Company's 401(k) Plan as of January 3, 2017.

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