#### **COMMSCOPE INC**

Form 4

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### FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

DRENDEL FRANK M			, and the second	Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(First)	, , , ,			`	**	Í	
MSCOPE PLAC	`	•		_X_ Officer (give below)	e titleOt	her (specify	
(Street)			Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
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(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficia	ally Owned	
2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
	(Street)  Control (Street)  Co	FRANK M Symbo COM  (First) (Middle) 3. Date (Month)  MSCOPE PLACE, SE 08/28/  (Street) 4. If Ar Filed(Month)  To a comparison of the compa	FRANK M Symbol COMMSCOPE  (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest (Month/Day/Year)  MSCOPE PLACE, SE 08/28/2008  (Street) 4. If Amendment, J Filed(Month/Day/Year)  7, NC 28602 (State) (Zip) Table I - Non  2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction any Code	Symbol COMMSCOPE INC [CTV]  (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  MSCOPE PLACE, SE 08/28/2008  (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  7, NC 28602  (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) any Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Symbol COMMSCOPE INC [CTV] (Chec (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) (MSCOPE PLACE, SE 08/28/2008  (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  (State) (Zip)  Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  (State) (Zip)  Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) any Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)  Owned	Symbol COMMSCOPE INC [CTV]  (Check all applicab (Check all applica	

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			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	08/28/2008		M(1)	10,000	A	\$ 17.25	472,422	D	
Common Stock	08/28/2008		S(1)	10,000	D	\$ 48.3303 (2)	462,422	D	
Common Stock							112,000	I	Drendel Investments, Inc.
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Common By Savings Plan (3) Stock

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

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6. Date Exercisable and

7. Title and Amount

Stock

5. Number of

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	sctionDerivative Securities 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		curities (Month/Day/Year) equired (A) Disposed of ) sstr. 3, 4,		Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
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Common	\$ 17.25	08/28/2008		M <u>(1)</u>		10,000	12/14/2001(4)	12/14/2010	Common	10,00

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
DRENDEL FRANK M 1100 COMMSCOPE PLACE, SE HICKORY, NC 28602	X		Chairman & CEO			

## **Signatures**

Reporting Person

1. Title of

Stock

/s/Frank M. 08/29/2008 Drendel \*\*Signature of 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).
- The transactions reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person May 16, **(1)** 2008.
- The price shown is the weighted average price of the shares sold in this transaction. The price range for this transaction is \$48.00 to (2) \$48.575. The reporting person undertakes to provide, upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price for this transaction.

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- (3) Shares held by Savings Plan as of August 28, 2008.
- (4) This option was originally granted in respect to 120,000 shares and vested in three equal annual installments beginning on the date indicated.

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