CENTURYLINK, INC

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Common

Stock

05/29/2014

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A OWENS WI	R Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CENTURYLINK, INC [CTL]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(T4)	(E:t) (M				•	(Che	eck all applicable	e)
(Last)	(First) (M		Earliest Tra	ansaction				
		(Month/D	ay/Year)			_X_ Director		6 Owner
CENTURYI	05/29/20	05/29/2014			below)	ve title Oth below)	er (specify	
CENTURYI	LINK DRIVE					below)	below)	
	4. If Amer	4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
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MONROE, I	LA 71203					Person	More than One Ro	eporung
(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securit	ies	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	onAcquired	(A) or	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed	` ′	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)	Reported Transaction(s)		
					or	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D) Price	(msu. 3 and 4)		

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

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(1)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	of ng s	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Nu of	umber		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
·L	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
OWENS WILLIAM ARTHUR CENTURYLINK, INC. 100 CENTURYLINK DRIVE MONROE, LA 71203	X					

Signatures

/s/ Jennifer A. D'Alessandro, as attorney-in-fact

06/02/2014

**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) The grants of 3,957 shares and 5,458 shares each vest on May 29, 2015.

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