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Statement of changes in beneficial ownership of securities

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person TOSE MAURICE B			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TELECOMMUNICATION SYSTEMS INC /FA/ [TSYS]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) Chairman, President & CEO		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/01/2006					
C/O TELECOMMUNICATION SYSTEMS, INC., 275 WEST STREET			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check applicable line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(Street)								
ANNAPOLIS, MD 21401								
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)			

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

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. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Class B Common Stock	(1)	08/01/2006		S		4,200 (2)		(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	4,200	\$2.26	7,497,958	D
Class B Common Stock	(1)	08/01/2006		S		1,800 (2)		(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	1,800	\$2.27	7,496,158	D
Class B Common Stock	(1)	08/01/2006		S		1,500 (2)		(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	1,500	\$2.28	7,494,658	D

Class B Common Stock	(1)	08/02/2006		<u>S</u>		3,000 (2)	(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	3,000	\$2.37	7,491,658	D	
Class B Common Stock	(1)	08/02/2006		<u>S</u>		1,000 (2)	(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	1,000	\$2.4	7,490,658	D	
Class B Common Stock	(1)	08/02/2006		<u>S</u>		1,200 (2)	(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	1,200	\$2.44	7,489,458	D	
Class B Common Stock	(1)	08/02/2006		<u>S</u>		2,300 (2)	(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	2,300	\$2.45	7,487,158	D	
Class B Common Stock	(1)						(1)	(1)	Class A Common Stock	215,753		215,753	I	By Trust (4)
Class B Common Stock	(1)						(1)	(1)	Class A Common Stock	25,142		25,142	I	By Children (5)

Explanation of Responses:

- The shares of Class B Common Stock are convertible, at any time, at the option of the holder, into shares of Class A Common Stock on a one-for-one basis.
- These shares were sold under a 10b5-1 selling plan.
- Shares of Class B Common Stock automatically converted into an equal number of shares of Class A Common Stock immediately upon the sale.
- These shares are held in an irrevocable trust for the benefit of Mr. Tose's children. Mr. Tose is the settlor and Mr. Tose's spouse is the trustee of the trust. Mr. Tose disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that Mr. Tose is the beneficial owner of such securities for the purposes of Section 16 or any other purpose.
- These shares are held by Mr. Tose's children. Mr. Tose disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that Mr. Tose is the beneficial owner of such securities for the purposes of Section 16 or any other purpose.

Signatures

/s/ Bruce A. White, by Power-of-Attorney

** Signature of Reporting Person

08/03/2006

Date

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

* 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).

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