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MINSTER DOUGLAS J

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Form 4 or

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MINSTER DOUGLAS J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

Symbol ATLANTIC TELE NETWORK INC

/DE [ATNI]

Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

VP and General Counsel

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year) 12/05/2008

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

C/O ATLANTIC TELE-NETWORK, INC., 10

DERBY SQUARE

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

SALEM, MA 01970

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

Stock

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount Price (D)

Common 12/05/2008 Α

1,000 \$0 3,000 (1)

D

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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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. 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.78	12/05/2008		A	2,000	(2)	12/05/2018	Common Stock	2,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MINSTER DOUGLAS J C/O ATLANTIC TELE-NETWORK, INC. 10 DERBY SQUARE SALEM, MA 01970

VP and General Counsel

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Signatures

/s/ Douglas J.

Minster 12/09/2008

**Signature of Date

Reporting Person

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 securities described are restricted stock and will vest in four equal annual installments on each of 12/05/2009, 12/05/2010, 12/05/2011, and 12/05/2012.
- The securities described are stock options and will vest in four equal annual installments on each of 12/05/2009, 12/05/2010, 12/05/2011, and 12/05/2012.

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