Consolidated Communications Holdings, Inc.

Form 4

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(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Childers Steven L

(First)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

**Consolidated Communications** Holdings, Inc. [CNSL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

121 SOUTH 17TH STREET

(Month/Day/Year) 12/11/2014

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

(Zip)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

below) Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

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

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1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

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

(A) Code V Amount (D)

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

Common

Stock, par 12/11/2014 value \$0.01 per share

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# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Childers Steven L

Chief Financial Officer 121 SOUTH 17TH STREET

MATTOON, IL 61938-3987

### **Signatures**

/s/ Matt Smith, Power of 12/15/2014 Attorney

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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