

BRANSCUM JOHN  
Form 4  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
BRANSCUM JOHN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
COMTECH  
TELECOMMUNICATIONS CORP  
/DE/ [CMTL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below) Sr. Vice President  
\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/26/2017

68 SOUTH SERVICE ROAD,  
SUITE 230

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

MELVILLE, NY 11747

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock Par Value \$0.10 Per Share	09/26/2017		A		4,081 (1)	A	(2) 28,823
Common Stock Par Value \$0.10 Per Share	09/26/2017		F(3)		2,130	A	\$ 20.35 26,693

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**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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BRANSCUM JOHN 68 SOUTH SERVICE ROAD, SUITE 230 MELVILLE, NY 11747			Sr. Vice President	

## Signatures

John Branscum                      09/28/2017  
 \_\_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) This transaction represents the issuance of Comtech Telecommunications Corp. common stock on September 26, 2017 as a result of the settlement of a Long Term Performance Share Award granted on August 4, 2014 in connection with the achievement of pre-established goals over the three-year performance period ended July 31, 2017.
- (2) Long Term Performance shares convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (3) The 2,130 reflected on this table represents the shares withheld to pay the Reporting Person's federal, state and Federal Insurance Contributions Act ("FICA") tax.

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