

COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP
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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 *
 NARAYANAN LAKSHMI

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP [CTSH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Vice Chairman of the Board

C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP., 500 FRANK W. BURR BLVD

(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

TEANECK, NJ 07666

(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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Class A Common Stock	06/03/2016		M	687 ⁽¹⁾	A \$ 0	87,453	D
Class A Common Stock	06/03/2016		F	213 ⁽²⁾	D \$ 60.72	87,240	D
Class A Common Stock	06/04/2016		M	1,028 ⁽³⁾	A \$ 0	88,268	D

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Class A Common Stock	06/04/2016	F	318 ⁽²⁾	D	\$ 60.12	87,950	D
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽⁴⁾	06/03/2016		M	687	06/03/2016 ⁽⁵⁾ 06/03/2016 ⁽⁵⁾	Class A Common Stock	687
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽⁴⁾	06/04/2016		M	1,028	06/04/2016 ⁽⁶⁾ 06/04/2016 ⁽⁶⁾	Class A Common Stock	1,028

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
NARAYANAN LAKSHMI C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP. 500 FRANK W. BURR BLVD TEANECK, NJ 07666	X			Vice Chairman of the Board

Signatures

/s/ Harry Demas, on behalf of Lakshmi Narayanan, by Power of Attorney

06/07/2016

__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) Shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock received from the vesting of 1/3 of the restricted stock unit award granted on June 3, 2014.
- (2) Represents the portion of shares of Class A Common Stock that the Company determined to settle in cash to pay applicable tax withholding.
- (3) Shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock received from the vesting of 1/3 of the restricted stock unit award granted on June 4, 2013.
- (4) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's Class A Common Stock.
- (5) The restricted stock units were granted on June 3, 2014 and vest in three equal annual installments over three years, with 1/3rd of the stock units vesting on each annual vesting date so that the stock units will be fully vested on June 3, 2017.
- (6) The restricted stock units were granted on June 4, 2013 and vest in three equal annual installments over three years, with 1/3rd of the stock units vesting on each annual vesting date so that the stock units were fully vested on June 4, 2016.

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