

Telesmanic Robert
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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 *
Telesmanic Robert

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)
06/01/2018

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
SVP, Cont. & Chief Acct. Offc.

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	06/01/2018		M	155 ⁽¹⁾	A \$ 0	23,729 ⁽²⁾	D
Class A Common Stock	06/01/2018		F	73 ⁽³⁾	D \$ 76.87	23,656	D
Class A Common Stock	06/01/2018		M	4,453 ⁽⁴⁾	A \$ 0	28,109	D

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Class A Common Stock	06/01/2018	F	2,079 (3)	D	\$ 76.87	26,030	D	
Class A Common Stock						800	I	By Parent's Estate (5)

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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (6)	06/01/2018		M	155	06/01/2018(7) 06/01/2018(7)	Class A Common Stock 15
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (6)	06/01/2018		M	4,453	06/01/2018(8) 06/01/2018(8)	Class A Common Stock 4,4

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Telesmanic Robert C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP. 500 FRANK W. BURR BLVD. TEANECK, NJ 07666			SVP, Cont. & Chief Acct. Offc.	

Signatures

/s/ Harry Demas, on behalf of Robert Telesmanic, by Power of Attorney

06/05/2018

__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 vesting 1/12 of the restricted stock unit award granted on May 15, 2017.
- (2) Includes 352 shares acquired under the Company's 2004 Employee Stock Purchase Plan, as amended, on March 29, 2018.
- (3) Represents the portion of shares of Class A Common Stock that the Company determined to settle in cash to pay applicable tax withholding.
- (4) Represents the number of shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock received from the vesting of 100% of the vested performance-based restricted stock units previously granted to the reporting person on February 16, 2016.
- (5) The reporting person has been the Appointed Fiduciary of the estate since May 2015. Except to the extent of his pecuniary interest, the reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities held by the estate.
- (6) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's Class A Common Stock.
The restricted stock units were granted on May 15, 2017 under the Cognizant Technology Solutions Corporation 2009 Incentive Compensation Plan and vest in quarterly installments over three years, commencing on September 1, 2017, with 1/12th of the stock units vesting on each quarterly vesting date so that the stock units will be fully vested on the twelfth quarterly vesting date. The stock units will be fully vested on June 1, 2020.
- (7) The performance-based restricted stock units (the "PSUs") were granted on February 16, 2016 under the Cognizant Technology Solutions Corporation 2009 Incentive Compensation Plan. In accordance with the PSU award agreement, 100% of the vested PSUs were issuable on June 1, 2018, provided the reporting person remained in the Company's service through such date.
- (8)

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