Angerthal Michael A Form 4 February 05, 2019

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Angerthal Michael A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

VIRTUS INVESTMENT PARTNERS, INC. [VRTS]

(Check all applicable)

EVP, Chief Financial Officer

10% Owner

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

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

02/04/2019

Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below) below)

C/O VIRTUS INVESTMENT PARTNERS, ONE FINANCIAL **PLAZA**

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Director

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

HARTFORD, CT 06103

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

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

(State)

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

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Indirect Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) Following (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price (D)

Code V Amount

\$

Common 02/04/2019 Stock

9.4 M 8,000 Α 56,734 (2) D (1)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number op for 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 A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 9.4	02/04/2019		M	8,000	04/20/2012	04/20/2019	Common Stock	8,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Angerthal Michael A C/O VIRTUS INVESTMENT PARTNERS ONE FINANCIAL PLAZA HARTFORD, CT 06103

EVP, Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Mark S. Flynn, Attorney-in-Fact 02/05/2019

**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) The aggregate option exercise price and associated payroll taxes were paid in cash.

This number includes (i) 2,719 RSUs that are scheduled to cliff vest on February 22, 2019; (ii) 2,610 RSUs that are scheduled to cliff vest on March 15, 2019; (iii) 3,652 RSUs that are scheduled to cliff vest on March 15, 2020 and (iv) 1,533 RSUs that are scheduled to cliff vest on March 15, 2021.

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