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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * PONS ROBERT M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HC2 Holdings, Inc. [HCHC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

EVP Business Development

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director X_ Officer (give title

below)

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O HC2 HOLDINGS, INC., 460 HERNDON PARKWAY, SUITE

150

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

09/16/2014

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HERNDON, VA 20170

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)

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

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

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

or Price

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V (D) Amount

Common Stock (1)

09/16/2014

A 62,500 Α \$0 77,083 D

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)

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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 of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.06	09/16/2014		A	12,500	(2)	09/15/2024	Common Stock	12,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
PONS ROBERT M C/O HC2 HOLDINGS, INC. 460 HERNDON PARKWAY, SUITE 150 HERNDON, VA 20170	X		EVP Business Development			

Signatures

Robert M. Pons 09/18/2014

**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).
- Reflects the restricted stock granted on September 16, 2014, 20,833 shares vested on September 16, 2014, 20,833 shares shall vest on (1) May 21, 2015, and 20,834 shares shall vest on May 21, 2016, provided Mr. Pons is employed by HC2 Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") on each such vesting date.
- Reflects the shares of common stock underlying the options granted on September 16, 2014, 4,167 shares vested on September 16, 2014, (2) 4,167 shares shall vest on May 21, 2015, and 4,166 shares shall vest on May 21, 2016, provided Mr. Pons is employed by the Company on each such vesting date.

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