

Mehta Rajeev
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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 *
Mehta Rajeev

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)
09/01/2017

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
____ 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)
President

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
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Class A Common Stock	09/01/2017		S		32,000	D		\$ 71.02 ⁽¹⁾
Class A Common Stock	09/01/2017		M		2,805 ⁽²⁾	A		\$ 0 190,770
Class A Common Stock	09/01/2017		F		1,170 ⁽³⁾	D		\$ 70.83 189,600

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Class A Common Stock	09/01/2017	M	<u>2,418</u> (4)	A	\$ 0	192,018	D	
Class A Common Stock	09/01/2017	F	<u>1,009</u> (3)	D	\$ 70.83	191,009	D	
Class A Common Stock	09/02/2017	M	<u>3,525</u> (5)	A	\$ 0	194,534	D	
Class A Common Stock	09/02/2017	F	<u>1,471</u> (3)	D	\$ 70.83	193,063	D	
Class A Common Stock						103,856	I	By Rajeev Mehta 2012 Irrevocable Trust
Class A Common Stock						103,858	I	By Ruchita Mehta 2012 Irrevocable Trust

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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽⁶⁾	09/01/2017		M	2,805	09/01/2017 ⁽⁷⁾	09/01/2017 ⁽⁷⁾	Class A Common Stock	2,805
Restricted Stock	\$ 0 ⁽⁶⁾	09/01/2017		M	2,418	09/01/2017 ⁽⁸⁾	09/01/2017 ⁽⁸⁾	Class A Common	2,418

Units								Stock
Restricted								Class A
Stock	\$ 0 ⁽⁶⁾	09/02/2017	M	3,525	09/02/2017 ⁽⁹⁾	09/02/2017 ⁽⁹⁾		Common
Units								Stock 3,5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Mehta Rajeev C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP. 500 FRANK W. BURR BLVD TEANECK, NJ 07666			President	

Signatures

/s/ Harry Demas, on behalf of Rajeev Mehta, by Power of Attorney

09/06/2017

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$71.00 to \$71.10. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Cognizant Technology Solutions Corporation, any security holder of Cognizant Technology Solutions Corporation, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote to this Form 4.

(2) Shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock received from the vesting of 1/12 of the restricted stock unit award granted on December 1, 2014.

(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) Shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock received from the vesting of 1/12 of the restricted stock unit award granted on November 30, 2015.

(5) Shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock received from the vesting of 1/12 of the restricted stock unit award granted on March 2, 2017.

(6) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's Class A Common Stock.

(7) The restricted stock units were granted on December 1, 2014 under the Cognizant Technology Solutions Corporation 2009 Incentive Compensation Plan and vest in quarterly installments over three years, commencing on March 1, 2015, 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 December 1, 2017.

(8) The restricted stock units were granted on November 30, 2015 under the Cognizant Technology Solutions Corporation 2009 Incentive Compensation Plan and vest in quarterly installments over three years, commencing on March 1, 2016, 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 December 1, 2018.

(9) The restricted stock units were granted on March 2, 2017 under the Cognizant Technology Solutions Corporation 2009 Incentive Compensation Plan and vest in quarterly installments over three years, commencing on June 2, 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 March 2, 2020.

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