

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)
07/23/2010

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

COO, Global Client Services

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)

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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2010		M	24,000	A \$ 5.06	70,667	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2010		M	3,000	A \$ 5.81	73,667	D
Class A Common Stock	07/23/2010		S	47,260 (1)	D \$ 55	26,407	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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Class A Common Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽²⁾	\$ 5.06	07/23/2010		M	24,000	02/05/2004 02/05/2013	Class A Common Stock	24,000	
Class A Common Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 5.81	07/23/2010		M	3,000	03/05/2004 03/05/2013	Class A Common Stock	3,000	

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			COO, Global Client Services	

Signatures

/s/ Steven E. Schwartz on behalf of Rajeev Mehta, by Power of Attorney

07/26/2010

**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) Such shares were sold pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Sales Plan.
- (2) Such options were granted on February 5, 2003 pursuant to the Company's Amended and Restated 1999 Incentive Compensation Plan. Such options were 100% vested on February 5, 2007. The Date Exercisable above reflects the first anniversary date of such option.
- (3) Excludes previously granted options for an aggregate of 352,500 shares of Class A Common Stock, which have different exercise prices and vesting dates.
- (4) Such options were granted on March 5, 2003 pursuant to the Company's Amended and Restated 1999 Incentive Compensation Plan. Such options were 100% vested on March 5, 2007. The Date Exercisable above reflects the first anniversary date of such option.

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