GOMATAM SUMITHRA

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **GOMATAM SUMITHRA**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP [CTSH]

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2018

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

below) President - Digital Operations

C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP., 500 FRANK W. BURR BLVD.

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

TEANECK, NJ 07666

(Zip)

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

1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	5. Amount of	6.			
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	omr Dispo	sed of	Securities	Ownership	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				Beneficially	Form:
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)			Owned	Direct (D)	
							Following	or Indirect
					(A)		Reported	(I)
					or		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	
Class A								
Common	03/01/2018		M	732 (1)	A	\$0	8,189	D
Stock				_		·	,	
Class A								
Common	03/01/2018		F	257 (2)	D	\$ 81.45	7,932	D
Stock	03/01/2010		1	231 <u>~</u>	D	ψ 01.43	1,732	D
Class A						\$		
Common	03/02/2018		$S^{(3)}$	1,060	D	80.4966	6,872	D
Stock			_			(4)		

7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of

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Date

5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration 7. Title and Amount

Underlying Securitie

Stock

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock	\$ 0 <u>(5)</u>	03/01/2018		M	732	03/01/2018(6)	03/01/2018(6)	Class A Common	732

Reporting Owners

Conversion

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
GOMATAM SUMITHRA C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP. 500 FRANK W. BURR BLVD. TEANECK, NJ 07666			President - Digital Operations			
Signatures						

1. Title of

Derivative

Units

/s/ Harry Demas, on behalf of Sumithra Gomatam, by Power of 03/05/2018 Attorney

> **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).
- Shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock received from the vesting of 1/12 of the restricted stock unit award granted on **(1)** December 1, 2016.
- Represents the portion of shares of Class A Common Stock that the Company determined to settle in cash to pay applicable tax **(2)** withholding.

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- (3) Such shares were sold pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Sales Plan.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$80.02 to \$80.78, inclusive. 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.
- (5) 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 December 1, 2016 under the Cognizant Technology Solutions Corporation 2009 Incentive

 Compensation Plan and vest in quarterly installments over three years, commencing on March 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 December 1, 2019.

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