

COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP

Form 4

November 04, 2014

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
KRISHNASWAMY VENKAT

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

(Street)

TEANECK, NJ 07666

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
**COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY
SOLUTIONS CORP [CTSH]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/31/2014

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
EVP, Pres Healthcare & Life Sc

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		
Class A Common Stock	10/31/2014		S		3,000	<u>D</u> ⁽¹⁾	\$ 48.95	21,813	D
Class A Common Stock	11/01/2014		M		<u>2,333</u> ⁽²⁾	A	\$ 0	24,146	D
Class A Common Stock	11/01/2014		F		<u>1,051</u> ⁽³⁾	D	\$ 48.85	23,095	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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Date Exercisable	9. Expiration Date	10. Title	11. Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽⁴⁾	11/01/2014		M	2,333	11/01/2014 ⁽⁵⁾ 11/01/2014 ⁽⁵⁾	Class A Common Stock				2,333

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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CORP.
500 FRANK W. BURR BLVD
TEANECK, NJ 07666

EVP, Pres Healthcare & Life
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Signatures

/s/ Dana L. Gilbert, on behalf of Venkat Krishnaswamy, by Power of Attorney

11/04/2014

**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).

(1) Such shares were sold pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Sales Plan.

(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 March 21, 2011.

(3)

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Represents the portion of shares of Class A Common Stock that the Company determined to settle in cash to pay applicable tax withholding.

- (4) 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 March 21, 2011 under the Cognizant Technology Solutions Corporation 2009 Incentive

- (5) Compensation Plan and vest in quarterly installments over three years, beginning February 1, 2012, 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 November 1, 2014.

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