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(City)	(State) (2	Zip) Table	e I - Non-Deri	vative Sec	curitie	s Acqui	ired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securi Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3, Amount	l (A) of l of (D 4 and (A) or))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/27/2012	Â	G	800	D	\$0	12,281	D	Â
Common Stock	12/28/2012	Â	G	800	D	\$0	11,481	D	Â

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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I S	. Title of Derivative lecurity 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. 6. Date Exercise Number Expiration Dat of (Month/Day/Y) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.
						(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
S	Phantom Stock Jnits	\$ 0	Â	Â	Â	Â	(1)	(2)	Common Stock	11,718	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Minnick David M 12609 CONWAY ROAD CREVE COEUR, MO 63141	Â	Â	General Counsel & Senior VP	Â			

Signatures

DAVID MICHAEL 02/12/2013 MINNICK

**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) Units vest 100% three years from the grant date.
- (2) No expiration date for these Units.

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