

RAMAKRISHNAN CHANDRASEKARAN
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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 *
RAMAKRISHNAN
CHANDRASEKARAN

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)
C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY
SOLUTIONS CORP, 500
GLENPOINTE CENTRE WEST

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/16/2007

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
____ 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)
Pres. & MD, Global Delivery

(Street)
TEANECK, NJ 07666

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

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

(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)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	
Class A Common Stock	01/16/2007		M		5,000	A	\$ 2.06 0	D
Class A Common Stock	01/16/2007		S		4,500 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 82.25 0	D
Class A Common Stock	01/16/2007		S		500 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 82.26 0	D

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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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Class A Common Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽²⁾	\$ 2.06	01/16/2007		M	5,000	08/06/2000 08/06/2009	Class A Common Stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
RAMAKRISHNAN CHANDRASEKARAN C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP 500 GLENPOINTE CENTRE WEST TEANECK, NJ 07666	Director 10% Owner Officer Pres. & MD, Global Delivery

Signatures

/s/ Steven E. Schwartz on behalf of Chandrasekaran Ramakrishnan, by Power of Attorney 01/17/2007

__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.

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- (2) Such options were granted on August 6, 1999 pursuant to the Company's 1999 Incentive Compensation Plan, as amended. Such options were 100% vested on August 6, 2003.
- (3) Includes multiple option grants with different exercise prices and vesting dates.

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