

InterDigital, Inc.
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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 *
MERRITT WILLIAM J

(Last) (First) (Middle)
781 THIRD AVENUE

(Street)

KING OF PRUSSIA, PA 19406

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
InterDigital, Inc. [IDCC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/01/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 01/01/2012 | | F ⁽¹⁾ | | 3,363 | D | \$ 43.57 |
| Common Stock | 01/01/2012 | | D ⁽²⁾ | | 0.9851 | D | \$ 43.57 |
| Common Stock | 01/01/2012 | | A ⁽³⁾ | | 3,408.347 | A | \$ 0 |
| Common Stock | 01/01/2012 | | F ⁽⁴⁾ | | 1,148 | D | \$ 43.57 |
| Common Stock | 01/01/2012 | | D ⁽⁵⁾ | | 0.347 | D | \$ 43.57 |

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Common Stock 01/01/2012 A⁽⁶⁾ 4,734 A \$ 0 107,829.6204 D

Common Stock 2,939 ⁽⁷⁾ I By 401(k) Plan

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) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 6) |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| MERRITT WILLIAM J 781 THIRD AVENUE KING OF PRUSSIA, PA 19406 | X | | President and CEO | |

Signatures

/s/ Claire H. Hanna, Attorney-in-Fact for William J. Merritt 01/04/2012

^(u)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) The transaction reported reflects the withholding of restricted stock units in satisfaction of the reporting person's tax liability. The restricted stock units were part of an award granted to the reporting person on January 1, 2009 pursuant to the company's 1999 Restricted

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Stock Plan in accordance with the company's Long-Term Compensation Program that vested, in full, on January 1, 2012 together with accrued dividend equivalents.

- (2) The transaction reported reflects the cash settlement of a fractional share in connection with the vesting of restricted stock units, as described in Note (1).
The transaction reported represents the vesting of an award of performance-based restricted stock units granted to the reporting person on January 1, 2009 pursuant to the company's 1999 Restricted Stock Plan in accordance with the 2009-2012 cycle under the company's
- (3) Long-Term Compensation Program. Based on the achievement level of the 2009-2012 cycle performance goals, 31% of the reporting person's target performance-based restricted stock unit award, or 3,382 restricted stock units, vested on January 1, 2012, together with 26.3470 additional shares representing accrued dividend equivalents.
- (4) The transaction reported reflects the withholding of restricted stock units in satisfaction of the reporting person's tax liability in connection with the transaction described in Note (3).
- (5) The transaction reported reflects the cash settlement of a fractional share in connection with the vesting of restricted stock units, as described in Note (3).
- (6) Restricted stock units granted pursuant to the company's 2009 Stock Incentive Plan in accordance with the company's Long-Term Compensation Program.
- (7) As of the most recently published account statement, the reporting person beneficially owned this number of whole shares of common stock pursuant to the InterDigital Savings and Protection Plan.

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