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1(b).

1. Name and Address Alexander DeLisa		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RED HAT INC [RHT]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (F	irst) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
C/O RED HAT, INC., 1801 VARSITY DRIVE		(Month/Day/Year) 07/16/2012	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP, People & Brand			
(St	reet)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
RALEIGH, NC 27	7606	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reportin Person			

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	` ′	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Beneficially Owned Following	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	07/16/2012		F	2,389	D	\$ 51.97	51,092	D	
Common Stock	07/17/2012		S <u>(1)</u>	2,097	D	\$ 52.29	48,995	D	

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

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				G 1 W	(A) (B)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Alexander DeLisa C/O RED HAT, INC. 1801 VARSITY DRIVE RALEIGH, NC 27606

EVP, People & Brand

Signatures

/s/ Stephanie Trunk, Atty in Fact UPOA

07/18/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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) This stock sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10(b)5-1 trading plan effective January 6, 2012.

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