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(Print or Type I	Responses)										
1. Name and A JOHNSON	Address of Reporting GLEN D	Person <u>*</u>	Symbol	er Name and		-	5. Relationship o Issuer	of Reporting Per	rson(s) to		
			AMER [AVD]		NGUAI	RD CORP	(Cho	eck all applicabl	e)		
(Last)	(First) (I	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify				
4695 MACA 1200	ARTHUR COUR	T, STE	(Month/ 12/30/2	Day/Year) 2014			below)	below) ce President - A			
	(Street)			nendment, Da	-	ıl	6. Individual or	Joint/Group Fili	ng(Check		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tal	ble I - Non-I	Derivative	Securities A	cquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit nAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	(A) or of (D) 4 and 5) (A)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code V	Amount	or (D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
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	Tab					posed of, or convertible s	Beneficially Owner securities)	d			
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Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction of Derivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 11.49	12/30/2014		A	6,686	12/30/2017 <u>(1)</u>	12/30/2024	Common Stock	6,686
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 11.49	12/30/2014		А	6,686	12/30/2017 <u>(2)</u>	12/30/2024	Common Stock	6,686

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
I G G G G G G G G G G G G G G G G G G G	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
JOHNSON GLEN D 4695 MACARTHUR COURT, STE 1200 NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660			Senior Vice President - AMVAC			
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Signatures

GLEN D. **JOHNSON** 01/02/2015 **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).
- These stock options are exercisable in full on December 30, 2017, provided reporting person is continuously employed by the issuer (1)through that date.

These stock options are exercisable in full on December 30, 2017, provided i) reporting person is continuously employed by the issuer through that date and ii) the Company meets certain financial metrics over the period from January 1, 2015 through December 31,

2017, including, the relative growth of its earnings before income tax ("EBIT") compared to the median growth of EBIT of a certain group (2) of industry peers (weighted at 50%), the relative growth of its net sales as compared to the median growth of net sales of that same group (weighted at 30%) and the relative growth of the fair market value of the Company's common stock as compared to the Russell 200 Index, weighted at 20%).

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