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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Schwartz Steven

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP [CTSH]

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

03/09/2010

Sr VP, General Counsel & Secr.

C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP., 500 FRANK W. BURR BLVD

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

TEANECK, NJ 07666

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of

Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Form: Direct Indirect Securities Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

A

Class A Common 03/09/2010 Stock

3,333 M (1)

\$0 3,333

D

Class A Common

Stock

03/09/2010

F

1,856

D

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)

	itle of	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4.	5. Number on Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit	
Seci	urity tr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Tear)	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	
					Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar
Res Sto Un		\$ 0 (3)	03/09/2010		M	3,333	03/09/2010(4)	03/09/2010(4)	Class A Common Stock	3,3

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address 10% Owner Officer Other Director

Schwartz Steven C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP. 500 FRANK W. BURR BLVD TEANECK, NJ 07666

Sr VP, General Counsel & Secr.

Signatures

/s/ Steven 03/11/2010 Schwartz

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).
- Shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock received from the vesting of 1/12 of the restricted stock unit award granted on **(1)** December 9, 2008.
- Represents the portion of shares of Class A Common Stock that the Company determined to settle in cash to pay applicable tax withholding.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's Class A Common Stock.
- (4) The restricted stock units were granted under the Company's Amended and Restated 1999 Incentive Compensation Plan, as amended, on December 9, 2008 and vest in quarterly installments over three years, with 1/12 of the restricted stock units vesting on each quarterly

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vesting date so that the restricted stock units will be fully vested on the twelfth quarterly vesting date, December 9, 2011.

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