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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Mehta Rajeev Issuer Symbol COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY (Check all applicable) SOLUTIONS CORP [CTSH] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY 08/30/2012 Group Chief Exec-Ind & Markets SOLUTIONS CORP., 500 FRANK W. BURR BLVD (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_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 Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Form: Direct Indirect Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Securities (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Class A 2,000 Common 08/30/2012 M A \$0 74,914 D (1) Stock Class A 729 (2) D Common 08/30/2012 F 74,185 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)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number op f 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 Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					Code V	ŕ	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar
	Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (3)	08/30/2012		M	2,000	08/30/2012(4)	08/30/2012(4)	Class A Common Stock	2,0

### **Reporting Owners**

Relationships

Reporting Owner Name / Address 10% Officer Other Director Owner

Mehta Rajeev

C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS

500 FRANK W. BURR BLVD TEANECK, NJ 07666

Group Chief Exec-Ind & CORP. Markets

## **Signatures**

/s/ Steven Schwartz, on behalf of Rajeev Mehta, by Power of 09/04/2012 Attorney

> \*\*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).
- Shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock received from the vesting of 1/12 of the restricted stock unit award granted on November 30, 2010.
- Represents the portion of shares of Class A Common Stock that the Company determined to settle in cash to pay applicable tax **(2)** withholding.
- 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 on November 30, 2010 under the Cognizant Technology Solutions Corporation 2009 Incentive Compensation Plan, and vest in quarterly installments over three years, with 1/12th 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, November 30, 2013.

(5) Excludes previously granted restricted stock units for an aggregate of 98,178 shares of Class A Common Stock, which have different vesting schedules.

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