Abdalla Zein Form 4 June 19, 2018

## FORM 4

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>\*</u> Abdalla Zein

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP [CTSH]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

\_X\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner \_\_\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year) 06/15/2018

C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP., 500 FRANK

(Street)

(State)

(First)

W. BURR BLVD.

4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person \_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

TEANECK, NJ 07666

(City)

Stock

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transactio Code	4. Securit n(A) or Di (D)		*	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
(msure)		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
					(A) or		Following Reported Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Class A Common Stock	06/15/2018		M	587 (1)	A	\$0	3,769	D	
Class A Common	06/15/2018		F	172 (2)	D	\$ 80.7	3,597	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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (3)	06/15/2018	M	587	06/15/2018(4)	06/15/2018(4)	Class A Common Stock	587

X

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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

### **Signatures**

/s/ Harry Demas, on behalf of Zein Abdalla, by Power of Attorney

06/19/2018

\*\*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) Shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock received from the vesting of 1/3 of the restricted stock unit award granted on June 15, 2016.
- (2) 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 on June 15, 2016 and vest in three equal annual installments over three years, with 1/3rd of the stock units vesting on each annual vesting date so that the stock units will be fully vested on June 15, 2019.

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