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	Address of Reportin	g Person [*]	2. Issue	er Name and Ticker or Trading				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to				
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VE			VENTA	AS INC [V	VTR]			(Check all applicable)				
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				. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
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WOODLAN	ND HILLS, CA	91367						Form filed by M Person	1 0			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-E	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of	2. Transaction Da			3.	4. Securit			5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of		
Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year		Execution Date, if any		on(A) or Dis	-		Securities Beneficially	Ownership Form: Direct	Indirect Beneficial		
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								Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)		
						(A)		Reported Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)			
				Code V	A	or	Dein	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common				Code V	Amount 24.116	(D)	Price \$	117,914.298				
Stock	12/07/2016			Μ	(1)	А	ф 62.2	(2)	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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	;	ate	Secur	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owna Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	7 (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
GELLERT JAY M 21650 OXNARD STREET 22ND FLOOR WOODLAND HILLS, CA 91367	Х							
Signatures								
Jay M. Gellert, By: T. Richard Rin Attorney-In-Fact	ey,		12/	08/2016				
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Perso	on			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).
- Common stock in the form of units granted under the Ventas Nonemployee Directors' Deferred Stock Compensation Plan (the "Plan") in
 (1) lieu of director fees pursuant to the director's deferral election. Such units are payable solely in common stock and subject to the terms and conditions of the director's deferral election and the Plan.
- (2) As of December 7, 2016, Reporting Person owns options to purchase an aggregate of 29,700 shares of Issuer's common stock.

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