HOWE ROBERT W Form 4/A March 04, 2010

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type 1	Responses)											
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HOWE ROBERT W			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP [CTSH]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
	IZANT TECHN NS CORP., 500 I		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/09/2009					X Director Officer (give below)	ector 10% Owner cer (give title Other (specify below)			
	(Street)				ate Origina	1		6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line)	oint/Group Filir	ig(Check		
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ILANLCK	, 113 07000							Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deem (Month/Day/Year) Execution any (Month/D		n Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			of (D)	5. Amount of 6. 7. Nat Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficially Owned (D) or Owner Following Indirect (I) (Instr. Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)					
Class A Common Stock	12/09/2009			Code V	Amount 20,000	(D)	Price \$ 21.85	40,592 (1)	D			
Class A Common Stock	12/09/2009			S	14,153	D	\$ 43.9	26,439	D			
Class A Common	12/09/2009			S	3,635	D	\$ 43.91	22,804	D			

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Class A Common Stock	12/09/2009	S	1,200	D	\$ 43.92	21,604	D
Class A Common Stock	12/09/2009	S	1,012	D	\$ 43.93	20,592	D

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
GI. A				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Class A Common Stock Option (Right to Buy) (2)	\$ 21.85	12/09/2009		M	20,000	05/05/2006	05/05/2015	Class A Common Stock	20,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
F-	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
HOWE ROBERT W C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP. 500 FRANK W. BURR BLVD TEANECK, NJ 07666	X				
Signatures					

/s/ Steven Schwartz on behalf of Robert W. Howe, by Power of 03/04/2010 Attorney

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

2 Reporting Owners

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- * 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) Numbers in column 5 of this Table I reflect a gift transaction which occurred prior to the transactions reported in the previously filed Form 4.
- (2) Such options were granted on May 5, 2005 pursuant to the Company's 1999 Incentive Compensation Plan, as amended. Such options vested as follows: 50% on May 5, 2006; and 50% on May 5, 2007. The options were fully vested on May 5, 2007.
- (3) Excludes previously granted options for an aggregate of 60,000 shares of Class A Common Stock, which have different exercise prices and vesting dates.

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