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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Holmes John J		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First)	(Middle) COWEN INC. [COWN] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction					
COWEN INC., 599 LEXINGTON AVENUE		(Month/Day/Year) 03/29/2018	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specification) below) Chief Operating Officer			
(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
NEW YORK, NY 10022			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

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1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. 4. Securities Acquire Transaction(A) or Disposed of			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect		
(Instr. 3)	(Wolldin Buyl Tear)	any	Code	(D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial		
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					(A) or	Reported Transaction(s)				
			Code V	Amount	(D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Class A	02/20/2010		37	17.006	A (1)	154,000	D			
Common Stock	03/29/2018		X	17,986	A (1)	154,000	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Property Security (Institute of Security)
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
RSU Right	(1)	03/29/2018		X	17	7,986	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Class A Common Stock	17,986	:

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Holmes John J COWEN INC. 599 LEXINGTON AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022

Chief Operating Officer

Signatures

/s/ John Holmes 04/02/2018

**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).
- (1) Each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") Right represents the right to receive RSUs for no monetary consideration. The RSUs will vest on March 10, 2022.

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