CITRIX SYSTEMS INC

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(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 Hylen Christopher Issuer Symbol CITRIX SYSTEMS INC [CTXS] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ __Other (specify C/O CITRIX SYSTEMS, INC., 851 03/28/2016 below) WEST CYPRESS CREEK ROAD SVP & GM, Mobility Apps (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 FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309 Person

(City)	(State) ((Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/28/2016		Code V F	Amount 2,112 (1)	(D) D	Price \$ 76.6	(Instr. 3 and 4) 61,703 (2)	D	
Common Stock	03/29/2016		S	2,455 (3)	D	\$ 76.21	59,248	D	
Common Stock	03/30/2016		A	10,000 (4)	A	\$ 0	69,248	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. Transacti 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)		8. P. Deri Sect (Ins
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Common Stock	\$ 0	03/30/2016		A	10,000	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common	10,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Ketationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

Hylen Christopher C/O CITRIX SYSTEMS, INC. 851 WEST CYPRESS CREEK ROAD FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309

SVP & GM, Mobility Apps

Signatures

Antonio G. Gomes, Attorney-In-Fact for Christopher Hylen 03/30/2016

**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) Represents the withholding of shares received upon the vesting of restricted stock units to cover the associated tax obligations.
- (2) Includes 355 shares acquired under the Citrix Systems, Inc. employee stock purchase plan on February 1, 2016.
- (3) This sale was made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 plan adopted by the Reporting Person.
- (4) These shares of common stock are issuable pursuant to awards of restricted stock units that vest in three annual installments, with 33.4% vesting on the first anniversary of the grant date and 33.3% vesting on each of the second and third anniversaries of the grant date.
- Each performance-based restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock. The

 (5) performance-based units vest based on the Issuer's total shareholder return, determined at the three-year period ending on March 30, 2019 or upon a change in control of the Issuer.

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