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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 * Perna Joseph R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

CORE LABORATORIES N V

(Check all applicable)

[CLB]

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

_X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

12/31/2012

5459 WOODBURY STREET

(Middle)

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

below)

WESTON LAKES, TX 77441

(City)

(Street)

(State)

(City)	(State)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Shares	12/31/2012		M	1,530	A	\$ 0	47,826	D	
Common Shares	12/31/2012		F	12	D	\$ 109.31	47,814	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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on Derivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Performance Shares	\$ 0	12/31/2012		M	1,530	<u>(1)</u>	(1)	Common Shares	1,530

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Perna Joseph R 5459 WOODBURY STREET WESTON LAKES, TX 77441	X					

Signatures

/s/ Mark Elvig, Attorney-in-Fact 01/02/2013

**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).

The shares vesting were awarded as restricted performance shares in April 2010. As reported in the Form 4 filing on April 5, 2010 at the time the award was made, "The Restricted Performance Shares vest based on the Company's return on invested capital for the period that began on January 1, 2010 and ends on December 31, 2012 (the "performance period") as follows. If the Company's return on invested

(1) capital at the end of the performance period is in the top decile of the return on invested capital of the Company's peers as published by Bloomberg, then the Restricted Performance Shares will fully vest. If this criteria is not met, then no shares shall vest and the award will be forfeited." The performance criteria and all requirements for vesting have been met and thus the shares fully vested on December 31, 2012, at the conclusion of the performance period.

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