

Gladden Brian T
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Gladden Brian T

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE DELL WAY

(Street)

ROUND ROCK, TX 78682

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 DELL INC [DELL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 03/26/2010

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 ___X___ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 Senior Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/26/2010		A	(A) Amount 76,051 (1)	(D) Price \$ 0	355,679 (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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Nonqualified Stock Options	\$ 14.99	03/26/2010		A	316,878	(3) 03/29/2020	Common Stock	316,878	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Gladden Brian T ONE DELL WAY ROUND ROCK, TX 78682			Senior Vice President	

Signatures

/s/ Janet B. Wright,
Attorney-in-Fact
03/30/2010

**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 minimum number (60%) of performance based stock units, which will vest on 3/26/2013. No less than 60% and no more than 150% of the target award will be earned based on company performance.
- (2) Represents 30,460 unrestricted shares and 325,219 restricted stock units vesting as follows: 74,326 units on 5/20/2010, 74,325 units on 5/20/2011, 100,517 units on 3/5/2012 and 76,051 units on 3/26/2013.
- (3) Exercisable as follows: 107,739 shares on 3/26/2011, 104,570 shares on 3/26/2012 and 104,569 shares on 3/26/2013.

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