

KLEIN JOHN E
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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 *
 KLEIN JOHN E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP [CTSH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)
 Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Chairman of the Board

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP., 500 GLENPOINTE CENTRE WEST
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/14/2005

TEANECK, NJ 07666
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

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)	(A) or (D)	5. Amount or Price	6. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock	12/14/2005		M	30,000	A	\$ 6.5	190,600	D
Class A Common Stock	12/14/2005		S	4,000	D	\$ 49.23	190,600	D
Class A Common Stock	12/14/2005		S	12,000	D	\$ 49.24	190,600	D

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Class A Common Stock	12/14/2005	S	7,000	D	\$ 49.25	190,600	D
Class A Common Stock	12/14/2005	S	4,000	D	\$ 49.26	190,600	D
Class A Common Stock	12/14/2005	S	3,000	D	\$ 49.27	190,600	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. 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V (A) (D)		
Class A Common Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$ 6.5	12/14/2005		M	30,000	07/10/2001	07/10/2010	Class A Common Stock	30,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KLEIN JOHN E
C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP.
500 GLENPOINTE CENTRE WEST
TEANECK, NJ 07666

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Chairman of the Board

Signatures

/s/ Steven E. Schwartz on behalf of John E. Klein, by Power of
Attorney

12/15/2005

__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) Such options were granted on July 10, 2000 pursuant to the Company's 1999 Incentive Compensation Plan, as amended. Such options were 100% vested on July 10, 2002. The Date Exercisable above reflects the first anniversary date of such option.
- (2) Includes multiple option grants with different exercise prices and vesting dates.

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