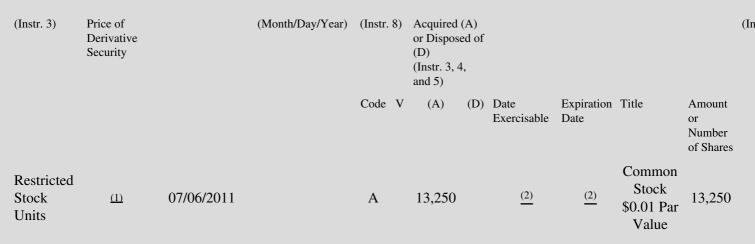
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(Print or Type R	esponses)								
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Merrill Deborah H			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DELTA APPAREL, INC [DLA]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			(Check an applicable)			
322 S. MAIN ST.			(Month/Day/Year) 07/06/2011				Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) VP CFO and Treasurer		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(CheckApplicable Line)_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
GREENVIL	LE, Q1 29601						Form filed by Person	More than One R	eporting
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Securities A	Acquired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemo Execution any (Month/Da	Date, if	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 Amount	(A) or of (D) 4 and 5) (A) or	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)
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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8.1
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	De
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Sec

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Addre	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Merrill Deborah H 322 S. MAIN ST. GREENVILLE, Q1 29601			VP CFO and Treasurer			
Signatures						
/s/Deborah H.	07/08/2011					

Merrill **Signature of Date

Reporting Person

07/08/2011

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) Converts into Common Stock on a one-for-one basis.

(2) These RSU's vest on the date of the Company's filing of its Form 10k for the fiscal year ending June 29, 2013.

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