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(Print or Type I	Responses)									
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> ROBBINS RICHARD L			Symbol	er Name <b>an</b> 2 SIGNS 1		-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VITAL SIGNS INC, 20 CAMPUS ROAD			<ul><li>3. Date of Earliest Transaction</li><li>(Month/Day/Year)</li><li>05/08/2008</li></ul>				Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check</li> <li>Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> <li> Form filed by More than One Reporting</li> </ul>			
TOTOWA,	NJ 07512						Person		1 0	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tal	ole I - Non-	Derivativo	e Securities A	Acquired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deem Execution any (Month/D	Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	4. Securi onAcquirec Disposec (Instr. 3, Amount	(A) or d 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	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8. I
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	nof Derivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	Der
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Sec

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative		(Instr.	8)	(D)	(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,					(In
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 52.56	05/08/2008		A		6,000		<u>(1)</u>	05/08/2018	Common Stock	6,000	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ROBBINS RICHARD L C/O VITAL SIGNS INC 20 CAMPUS ROAD TOTOWA, NJ 07512	Х			
Signatures				
Richard Robbins, By: Laura R.	05/12/2008			

Attorney-In-Fact

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## **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) These options vest in four equal annual installments starting on 5/8/2009.

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