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(Print or Type I	Responses)											
Brown Laura D Sym			Symbol	Name and GER W V			-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(M			(Month/Da	3. Date of Earliest Transaction(Month/Day/Year)03/04/2016					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Sr. VP, Inv Rel & Comm			
				ndment, Dat th/Day/Year)	-			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
LAKE FOR	EST, IL 60045							Form filed by M Person	Aore than One Re	eporting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Yea	r) Executi any	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)		l (A) o l of (D 4 and (A) or) 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)	Indirect Beneficial		
Common Stock	03/04/2016			Code V S(1)	Amount 242	(D) D	Price \$ 219		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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Prio Deriv Secur (Instr.
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option	\$ 81.49					04/29/2012	04/28/2019	Common Stock	1,776	
Stock Option	\$ 149.02					04/27/2014	04/26/2021	Common Stock	6,789	
Stock Option	\$ 204.01					04/25/2015	04/24/2022	Common Stock	5,208	
Stock Option	\$ 245.86					04/24/2016	04/23/2023	Common Stock	4,197	
Stock Option	\$ 248.22					04/30/2017	04/29/2024	Common Stock	3,271	
Stock Option	\$ 231.88					04/01/2018	03/31/2025	Common Stock	3,807	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships		
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Brown Laura D 100 GRAINGER PARKWAY LAKE FOREST, IL 60045			Sr. VP, Inv Rel & Comm		
Signatures					
Noni Ellison Southall, as		03/04/	2016		

Noni Ellison Southall, as attorney-in-fact

**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) Transaction pursuant to a previously adopted Rule 10b5-1 trading program.

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