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(Print or Type	Responses)											
1. Name and A Bailenson F	Address of Reporting Robert	Person <u>*</u>	Symbol			I Ticker or			5. Relationship of F Issuer (Check	Reporting Perso all applicable)		
	(First) (GUARANTY L URNE AVENUE		3. Date o (Month/I 09/13/2	Day/Year		ransaction			Director X Officer (give t below) Chief Fi		Owner · (specify r	
HAMILTO	(Street) N, D0 HM08		4. If Amo Filed(Mo			ate Origina r)	1		6. Individual or Join Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by Or Form filed by Mo Person	ne Reporting Per	son	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - No	n-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Aca	uired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	v Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Title of2. Transaction Date2A. Deemedecurity(Month/Day/Year)Execution Date			2d 3. 4. Securities Acquired Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)		
Common Shares	09/13/2018			М		10,000	А	\$ 7.44	252,786.0819	D		
Common Shares	09/13/2018			М		6,723	А	\$ 17.44	259,509.0819	D		
Common Shares	09/13/2018			S		16,723	D	\$ 40.42 (1)	242,786.0819	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed o (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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options to Acquire Common Shares	\$ 7.44	09/13/2018		М	10,000	(2)	02/05/2019	Common Shares	10,000
Options to Acquire Common Shares	\$ 17.44	09/13/2018		М	6,723	02/09/2015	02/09/2019	Common Shares	6,723

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Bailenson Robert ASSURED GUARANTY LTD. 30 WOODBOURNE AVENUE HAMILTON, D0 HM08			Chief Financial Officer				
Signatures							

/s/ Ling Chow, Attorney-in-fact 09/14	/2018
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**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).

The Common Shares sold by the Reporting Person and reported herein were sold at a range of between \$40.38 and \$40.461 per share.

(1) The sale price reported above represents the weighted average sale price for the reported transaction and has been rounded to the nearest cent.

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- (2) Options vested as follows: 1/3 on 02/05/2010, 1/3 on 02/05/2011 and 1/3 on 02/05/2012.
- All options of this tranche have been exercised. The total number of options from other tranches with different exercise prices, vesting(3) terms and expiration dates is 28,000 (after taking into account the options exercised as reported on this Form 4). The total number of performance share units from tranches with different performance measures, performance periods and vesting dates is 60,478.

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