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| | Instruction 1(b). | | | | | | | | |

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| 1. Name ar | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Vantiv, Inc. [VNTV] | | | | | | | | | (Che | elationship eck all appl | . , | | erson(s) to Issuer | | | | | | |
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| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VANTIV, INC. | | | | | | | of Earlie | st Trar | nsaction (I | /lonth/ | Day/Year) | | Office below | r (give title) | | Other (below) | specify | | | |
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| | | Tab | le I - Non | -Deriva | ative | Se | curiti | es A | cquired | , Dis | posed | of, or B | enef | ciall | y Owne | d | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da | | | | | | ar) I | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | Code | Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5) | | rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 | | | 5. Amor Securiti Benefic Owned Reporte | cially (D) Following (I) | | n: Direct r Indirect istr. 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 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) | | n of | | 6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D | n Date | | d 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | 3. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactior (Instr. 4) | Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Ins | Ownership | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | C | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisal | | xpiration ate | Title | Amo or Num of Shai | ber | | | | | | |
| Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 12/31/2014 | | | A | | 884 | | (2) | | (2) | Class A Common Stock | 88 | 34 | \$33.92 ⁽³⁾ | 37,036 | | D | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Vantiv, Inc. Class A Common Stock.
- 2. The restricted stock units vest on the grant date. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person following the termination of the reporting person's service as a director.
- $3. \ The \ restricted \ stock \ units \ were \ issued \ to \ the \ reporting \ person \ in \ lieu \ of \ retainer \ fees \ of \ \$30,000.$

Remarks:

/s/ Luke Frutkin, attorney-infact for Jeffrey E. Stiefler

01/05/2015

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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