

COVANCE INC
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Cimino Richard F

(Last) (First) (Middle)

COVANCE INC., 210 CARNEGIE CENTER

(Street)

PRINCETON, NJ 08540-6233

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
COVANCE INC [CVD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/05/2014

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Corp. Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	12/05/2014		M		2,925	A	\$ 69.01
Common Stock	12/05/2014		M		3,700	A	\$ 56.93
Common Stock	12/05/2014		M		12,000	A	\$ 58.37
Common Stock	12/05/2014		M		2,100	A	\$ 62.65
Common Stock	12/05/2014		M		4,600	A	\$ 81.4
							68,528
							72,228
							84,228
							86,328
							90,928

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Common Stock	12/05/2014	S	20,240	D	\$ 103.1556	70,688	D	
Common Stock - 401(k) Plan						841 ⁽¹⁾	I	Held By Trustee

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (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
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 69.01	12/05/2014		M	2,925	⁽²⁾ 02/18/2023	Common Stock	2,925	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 56.93	12/05/2014		M	3,700	02/17/2013 02/16/2020	Common Stock	3,700	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 58.37	12/05/2014		M	12,000	02/17/2014 02/16/2021	Common Stock	12,000	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 62.65	12/05/2014		M	2,100	02/22/2010 02/21/2017	Common Stock	2,100	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 81.4	12/05/2014		M	4,600	02/21/2011 02/20/2018	Common Stock	4,600	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Cimino Richard F COVANCE INC. 210 CARNEGIE CENTER PRINCETON, NJ 08540-6233			Corp. Executive Vice President	

Signatures

/s/ Ross A. Hyams, Power of Attorney

12/09/2014

__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) The securities reported were acquired on a periodic basis by the Trustee of the Covance 401(k) plan, a broad-based, tax-qualified employee benefit plan. The information was obtained from the Plan Administrator as of this date. The shares have been accumulated by the Trustee over the employment of the reporting person and the number is based upon the market value of the reporting person's account divided by the then current market price.

(2) The option vests in four equal annual installments with the first installment vesting February 19, 2014.

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