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(check applicable line)

BALTIMORE, MDÂ 21202

X Form Filed by One Reporting Person ____ Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-Der	ivative Secu	ırities	Acquii	ed, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly 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) (A) or		Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	12/31/2013	Â	J	Amount 405.16	(D) A	Price \$ 0	15,271.68 (2)	D	Â
Common Stock	12/31/2013	Â	J	2,645.5 (3)	А	\$0	24,483.28 (4)	Ι	By Issuer's Thrift Plan Trust

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)			Amou Unde Secur	rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. of D Se B O E I S Fi (It
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships								
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
HOOPER LAWRENCE L JR 7 ST PAUL STREET STE 1140 BALTIMORE, MD 21202	Â	Â	V.P., Gen. Counsel & Sec'y.	Â					
Signatures									
Gail L. Valenti as Attorney-in-Hooper, Jr.	. 02/04/2014								

**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 shares were acquired in exempt transaction as a result of dividend reinvestment. The Issuer's stock traded in a range of 10.72 13.32 during 2013.

Date

- (2) Of these shares, 257.45 shares are held in custodial accounts with the undersigned's children.
- These shares are held by the Issuer's Thrift Plan Trust and represent the undersigned's proportionate beneficial interest in the shares that
 (3) were acquired by the Trust in 2013 in exempt transactions as a result of periodic contributions made during 2013 and shares acquired by the Trustee through dividend reinvestment in 2013. The Issuer's stock traded in a range of \$10.72 \$13.32 during 2013.

The number of shares reported as held by the Issuer's Thrift Plan Trust represents the undersigned's proportionate beneficial interest in such stock held in the Trust. Such number is based on information as of December 31, 2013. This number includes the shares acquired in

(4) exempt transactions through periodic contributions made during 2013, shares acquired by the Trustee through dividend reinvestment, and changes in the number of shares previously reported due to fluctuations in the market price and interests in the Trust during 2013. The Issuer's stock traded in a range of \$10.72 - \$13.32 during 2013.

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