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| MANWANI HARISH Symbol | | | | bol Issuer | | | | | f Reporting Person(s) to | | |
| | | | | en Holdings plc [NLSN] | | | | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| | | | of Earliest Transaction /Day/Year) /2016 | | | | X_ Director10% Owner Officer (give titleOther (specify below) below) | | | | |
| | | | | endment, Date Original nth/Day/Year) | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting | | | |
| SAN DIEGO |), CA 92121 | | | | | | | Person | More than One Ro | eporting | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table | e I - Non-Do | erivative S | Securi | ties Ac | quired, Disposed o | of, or Beneficial | llv Owned | |
| 1.Title of Security2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | 3.4. SecuritiesTransactionAcquired (A) orCodeDisposed of (D)(Instr. 8)(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)(A) | | | Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | | | |
| Common Stock | 12/06/2016 | | | Code V A | Amount 51.71 (1) | or (D) | Price \$ 0 | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 7,124.281 | 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | 5. orNumber of Derivativ Securitie Acquirec (A) or Disposec of (D) | (Month/Day/Year) ivative urities uired or posed | | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | |
|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|--|---|--------------------|---|--------------------------------------|--|
| | | | | Code V | (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D) | l de la companya de l | Expiration Date | Title Amo or Num of Share | ber | |

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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| 1 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| MANWANI HARISH 5775 MOREHOUSE DRIVE SAN DIEGO, CA 92121 | Х | | | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | | |
| /s/ Harris Black, authorized signatory | | 12/07/201 | 6 | | | | |

**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) Represents dividend equivalent rights in connection with the Issuer's quarterly dividend and accrued to the reporting person on deferred stock units.

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