

Middleton Sean  
Form 4  
March 05, 2019

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Middleton Sean

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY  
SOLUTIONS CORP [CTSH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

Pres - Cognizant Accelerator

C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY  
SOLUTIONS CORP., 500 FRANK  
W. BURR BLVD.

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/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  
Person

TEANECK, NJ 07666

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2019		M		98 <u>(1)</u>	A	<u>(2)</u>	5,386	D	
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2019		F		35 <u>(3)</u>	D	\$ 72.13	5,351	D	
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2019		M		345 <u>(4)</u>	A	<u>(2)</u>	5,696	D	

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Class A Common Stock	03/01/2019	F	122 <sup>(3)</sup>	D	\$ 72.13	5,574	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2019	M	302 <sup>(5)</sup>	A	<del>(2)</del>	5,876	D
Class A Common Stock	03/01/2019	F	109 <sup>(3)</sup>	D	\$ 72.13	5,767	D
Class A Common Stock	03/02/2019	M	306 <sup>(6)</sup>	A	<del>(2)</del>	6,073	D
Class A Common Stock	03/02/2019	F	96 <sup>(3)</sup>	D	\$ 72.13	5,977	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. 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)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	03/01/2019		M		98		(7)	(7)	Class A Common Stock	98	\$ 0
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	03/01/2019		M		345		(8)	(8)	Class A Common Stock	345	\$ 0
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	03/01/2019		M		302		(9)	(9)	Class A Common Stock	302	\$ 0

Restricted								Class A		
Stock	(2)	03/02/2019	M	306	(10)	(10)		Common	306	\$ 0
Units								Stock		

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Middleton Sean C/O COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS CORP. 500 FRANK W. BURR BLVD. TEANECK, NJ 07666			Pres - Cognizant Accelerator	

## Signatures

/s/ Harry Demas, on behalf of Sean Middleton, by Power of Attorney	03/05/2019
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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).
- (1) Shares of Class A Common Stock of Cognizant Technology Solutions Corporation (the "Company") received from the vesting of 1/12th of the restricted stock unit award granted on May 17, 2016.
  - (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's Class A Common Stock.
  - (3) Represents the portion of shares of Class A Common Stock that the Company determined to settle in cash to pay applicable tax withholding.
  - (4) Shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock received from the vesting of 1/12th of the restricted stock unit award granted on May 15, 2017.
  - (5) Shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock received from the vesting of 1/12th of the restricted stock unit award granted on February 26, 2018.
  - (6) Shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock received from the vesting of 1/12th of the restricted stock unit award granted on March 2, 2017.
  - (7) The restricted stock units were granted on May 17, 2016 under the Cognizant Technology Solutions 2009 Incentive Compensation Plan and vest in quarterly installments over three years, commencing on September 1, 2016, with 1/12th of the stock units vesting on each quarterly vesting date so that the stock units will be fully vested on the twelfth quarterly vesting date. The stock units will be fully vested on June 1, 2019.
  - (8) The restricted stock units were granted on May 15, 2017 under the Cognizant Technology Solutions 2009 Incentive Compensation Plan and vest in quarterly installments over three years, commencing on September 1, 2017, with 1/12th of the stock units vesting on each quarterly vesting date so that the stock units will be fully vested on the twelfth quarterly vesting date. The stock units will be fully vested on June 1, 2020.
  - (9) The restricted stock units were granted on February 26, 2018 under the Cognizant Technology Solutions Corporation 2017 Incentive Award Plan and vest in quarterly installments over three years, commencing on June 1, 2018, with 1/12th of the stock units vesting on each quarterly vesting date so that the stock units will be fully vested on the twelfth quarterly vesting date. The stock units will be fully vested on March 1, 2021.
  - (10) The restricted stock units were granted on March 2, 2017 under the Cognizant Technology Solutions Corporation 2009 Incentive Compensation Plan and vest in quarterly installments over three years, commencing on June 2, 2017, with 1/12th of the stock

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units vesting on each quarterly vesting date so that the stock units will be fully vested on the twelfth quarterly vesting date. The stock units will be fully vested on March 2, 2020.

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