CIENA CORP Form 4

September 23, 2014

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

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Form 4 or

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Dodd James Richard JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

(Middle)

CIENA CORP [CIEN]

(Check all applicable)

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3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

09/22/2014

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

C/O CIENA CORPORATION, 7035 RIDGE RD.

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

SVP, Global Marketing

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

HANOVER, MD 21076-1426

(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)	Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (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)	
Common Stock	09/22/2014		Code V S	Amount 1,202 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 18.4709	110,852 (2)	D		
Common Stock	09/22/2014		S	678 <u>(3)</u>	D	\$ 18.471	110,174 (2)	D		
Common Stock	09/22/2014		S	241 (4)	D	\$ 18.4707	109,933 (2)	D		
Common Stock	09/22/2014		S	379 <u>(5)</u>	D	\$ 18.4711	109,554 (2)	D		
Common Stock	09/22/2014		S	720 (6)	D	\$ 18.471	108,834 (2)	D		

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	tionNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Derivative	e		Securi	ties	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities	1		(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
		4, and 5)								
									A	
									Amount	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or	
									Number	
				G 1 1	7 (A) (B)				of	
				Code V	V (A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Dodd James Richard JR C/O CIENA CORPORATION 7035 RIDGE RD. HANOVER, MD 21076-1426

SVP, Global Marketing

Signatures

By: Erik Lichter For: James Richard Dodd

09/23/2014

**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).
- Shares reported represent an amount sold to cover the tax liabilities of the reporting person pursuant to a 10b5-1 sales instruction related (1) to a restricted stock unit (RSU) award agreement dated 1/1/2011. Acquisition of the RSU was previously reported in Table I of reporting person's Form 3 on 4/4/2011.
- (2) Shares reported include unvested Restricted Stock Units (RSUs).
- Shares reported represent an amount sold to cover the tax liabilities of the reporting person pursuant to a 10b5-1 sales instruction related (3) to a restricted stock unit (RSU) award agreement dated 12/15/2011. Acquisition of the RSU was previously reported in Table I of reporting person's Form 4 on 12/19/2011.

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- Shares reported represent an amount sold to cover the tax liabilities of the reporting person pursuant to a 10b5-1 sales instruction related (4) to a restricted stock unit (RSU) award agreement dated 6/1/2011. Acquisition of the RSU was previously reported in Table I of reporting person's Form 4 on 6/2/2011.
- Shares reported represent an amount sold to cover the tax liabilities of the reporting person pursuant to a 10b5-1 sales instruction related (5) to a restricted stock unit (RSU) award agreement dated 12/17/2013. Acquisition of the RSU was previously reported in Table I of reporting person's Form 4 on 12/19/2013.
- Shares reported represent an amount sold to cover the tax liabilities of the reporting person pursuant to a 10b5-1 sales instruction related (6) to a restricted stock unit (RSU) award agreement dated 12/18/2012. Acquisition of the RSU was previously reported in Table I of reporting person's Form 4 on 12/20/2012.

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