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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BDT CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Colfax CORP [CFX]

(Month/Day/Year) 02/12/2014

X Director X 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

401 NORTH MICHIGAN AVENUE. SUITE 3100

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

below)

CHICAGO, IL 60611

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Price

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities Acquired (A) 3. Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4)

(A) or Code V Amount (D)

(I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock

02/12/2014

16,253,576 12,173,291 Α (1) (2)

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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remarks

below

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Nı	umber of	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title and A	Amount
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	sactionDerivative		Expiration Date		Underlying Securitie	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities Acquired		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(A) (or Disposed of				
	Derivative				(D)					
	Security				(Inst	r. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour Number Shares
Series A										
Perpetual Convertible Preferred	\$ 27.93	02/12/2014		C		13,877,522	<u>(3)</u>	(3)	Common Stock	12,17

Reporting Owners

Stock

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
FG	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BDT CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC 401 NORTH MICHIGAN AVENUE SUITE 3100 CHICAGO, IL 60611	X	X					
BDTCP GP I, LLC 401 NORTH MICHIGAN AVENUE SUITE 3100 CHICAGO, IL 60611	X	X					
BDT CF ACQUISITION VEHICLE, LLC 401 NORTH MICHIGAN AVENUE SUITE 3100 CHICAGO, IL 60611	X	X					
BDTP GP, LLC 401 NORTH MICHIGAN AVENUE SUITE 3100 CHICAGO, IL 60611	X	X					
Trott Byron D 401 NORTH MICHIGAN AVENUE SUITE 3100 CHICAGO, IL 60611	X	X					

Signatures

/s/ Byron D. Trott (on behalf of himself and each other reporting person hereunder)

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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).
 - BDT CF Acquisition Vehicle, LLC converted 13,877,522 shares of Series A Perpetual Convertible Preferred Stock on February 12,
- (1) 2014 at a conversion rate equal to 114% of the \$24.50 per share liquidation preference (or \$27.93 per share), thereby acquiring 12,173,291 shares of Common Stock.
- (2) Does not include 167,626 shares of Common Stock owned by an employee investment vehicle, as described below in the Remarks.
- (3) The shares of Series A Perpetual Convertible Stock were convertible into shares of Common Stock at any time and had no expiration date.

Remarks:

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