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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

CIANCIA LAWRENCE J Issuer Symbol CTS CORP [CTS] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title CTS CORPORATION, 905 WEST 01/14/2013 below) BLVD. NORTH (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

ELKHART, IN 46514

(City)	(State) (2	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Se	ecurities Acq	quired, Disposed o	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securiti on(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4	•	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	01/14/2013		M	7,700	A \$ 7.75	65,956	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)

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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. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.75	01/14/2013		M	7,700	<u>(1)</u>	02/25/2013	Common Stock	7,700

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Troporting of the result of th	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
CIANCIA LAWRENCE J CTS CORPORATION 905 WEST BLVD. NORTH ELKHART, IN 46514	X					

Signatures

**Signature of Reporting Person

John R. Dudek, as Attorney-in-fact 01/16/2013

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) The option vested in five equal installments on February 26, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008.

Date

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