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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Bentley Ian			2. Issuer Name an <u>AUTOBYTEL INC</u> [5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)									
(Last) 14613 CANOPY	(First) DRIVE	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest 01/21/2014	t Transaction (Month		Of	rector ficer (give title low)	0	0% Owner ther (specify elow)				
(Street) TAMPA (City)	FL (State)	33626 (Zip)	4. If Amendment,	Line	e) <mark>X</mark> Fo Fo	I or Joint/Grou orm filed by Or orm filed by Mo erson	e Reporting	Person	9				
		Table I - Non	-Derivative Securit	ties Acquired, Disp	osed of,	or Be	eneficially C) wneo	ł				
1. Title of Secu	rity (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (8) Code		4. Securiti (A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4 Amount	posed	l Of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and	Owners Form: Direct (or Indir (I) (Instr	Benefic D) Owners ect (Instr. 4	rect cial ship

			Table II					quired, Dispos s, options, cor			Owned				
	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Be Ow (In:
				Code	v	(A)	(D)		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$17.64	01/21/2014		A		2,000		(1)	01/21/2021	Common Stock	2,000	\$0	2,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Grant to Reporting Person of options to buy shares of common stock in transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3, 735 shares of which are currently exercisable, with the remaining shares vesting in the amount of 55 shares on the 21st day of each month for the next 23 months, commencing on March 21, 2015.

/s/ Diana L. Hayes, attorney-in-fact 03/19/2015

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

* 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).

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