Instruction 1(b)

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(Last) 2980 FAIRVIEW	(First) / PARK DRIVE	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/12/2020	X	Officer (give title below) CVP, Chief Strategy 8	Other (specify below) z Dev Ofc	
(Street) FALLS CHURCH (City)	VA (State)	22042 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi Line) X	dual or Joint/Group Filing (C Form filed by One Reportir Form filed by More than O	ng Person	

## 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)		Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Code (Instr.		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	v	Amount (A) or Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150.4)	
Common Stock	02/12/2020		М		4,168(1)	A	\$0.0000	13,348.89	D	
Common Stock	02/12/2020		F		1,481 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	\$0.0000	11,867.89	D	

## 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. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Numbo Derivativ Securitie Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	re s I (A) or d of (D)	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	ate Amount of		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Restricted Performance Stock Rights	(3)	02/12/2020		Α		5,689 <sup>(4)</sup>		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	5,689	\$0.0000	15,087 <sup>(5)</sup>	D	
Restricted Performance Stock Rights	(3)	02/12/2020		М			4,168 <sup>(1)</sup>	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	4,168	\$0.0000	10,919 <sup>(6)</sup>	D	
Restricted Stock Rights	(7)	02/12/2020		A		1,527		(7)	(7)	Common Stock	1,527	\$0.0000	5,616 <sup>(8)</sup>	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Shares expected to be issued in settlement of Restricted Performance Stock Rights ("RPSRs") granted under the 2011 Long-Term Incentive Stock Plan ("LTISP") on 2/17/17 with a valuation of performance measurement period ("measurement period") that ended 12/31/19. RPSRs to be settled at 200% of target. The shares are anticipated to be distributed into the participant's account on February 14, 2020.

2. Shares surrendered to issuer in payment of tax liability in connection with settlement of RPSRs in accordance with Rule 16b-3(e)

3. Each RPSR represents a contingent right to receive an equivalent number of shares of Issuer common stock, or, at the Issuer's election, cash or a combination of cash and Issuer common stock. The RPSRs vest if the applicable performance metric is satisfied for the relevant measurement period. Grants awarded pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d).

4. The RPSRs acquired include (i) 2,084 vested RPSRs with respect to the measurement period ended 12/31/19 acquired due to settlement of the 2017 RPSRs held at 200% of the target award and (ii) 3,605 unvested RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/12/20 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22.

5. Total amount includes 4,168 vested RPSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/17/17 with a measurement period ended on 12/31/19; 3,605 RPSRs granted on 2/12/20 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/21; and 3,182 RPSRs granted on 2/13/18 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/20.

6. Total amount includes 3,605 RPSRs granted on 2/12/20 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/22; 4,132 RPSRs granted on 2/13/19 with a measurement period ending on 2/13/19 with a measurement pe 2/13/18 with a measurement period ending on 12/31/20.

7. Each Restricted Stock Right ("RSR") represents a contingent right to receive an equivalent number of shares of Issuer common stock, or, at the election of the Issuer's Compensation Committee, cash or a combination of cash and Issuer common stock. The RSRs were granted under the LTISP on 2/12/20 and will vest on 2/12/23.

8. Total amount includes 1,527 RSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/12/20 that will vest on 2/12/23; 1,751 RSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/13/19 that will vest on 2/13/22; 1,445 RSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/13/18 that will vest on 2/13/21; and 893 RSRs granted under the LTISP on 2/17/17 that will vest on 2/18/20.

> /s/ Jennifer C. McGarey, Attorney-in-Fact

02/14/2020

Date

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