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Common Stock in

owned by myself & spouse

name of

#### child

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 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivati Securitia Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y ve es d			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A) (D	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option to purchase common stock	\$ 72.94	Â	Â	Â	ÂÂ	02/09/2022	03/11/2022	Common Stock	67,500	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Ussery Robert Michael 100 VINE STREET MURFREESBORO, TN 37130	Â	Â	President & COO	Â		
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### Signatures

/s/ R. Michael 02/11/2019 Ussery 02/11/2019 \*\*Signature of Date Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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