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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JACOBS WILLIAM I			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GLOBAL PAYMENTS INC [GPN]				5	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last) 10 GLENLA PARKWAY		Middle)		f Earliest Tr Oay/Year)		iive į		(Check _X_ DirectorOfficer (give to below)		Owner r (specify
			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	le I - Non-D	D erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any		3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	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	10/22/2012			M	8,758	A	\$ 14.275	48,819 (1)	D	
Common	10/22/2012			F	2,879	D	\$ 43.42	45,940	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)

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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.275	10/22/2012		M	8,758	(2)	10/23/2012	Common Stock	8,75

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
JACOBS WILLIAM I 10 GLENLAKE PARKWAY NORTH TOWER ATLANTA, GA 30328	X					

Signatures

William I.
Jacobs

10/24/2012

**Signature of Pate 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).
- (1) Includes 21,646 shares that have been previously reported as being held indirectly by the reporting person in a trust.
- The option became exercisable on the anniversary of the grant date in the following increments: 25% on the second anniversary (October 23, 2004), 20% on the third anniversary (October 23, 2005), 25% on the fourth anniversary (October 23, 2006) and 30% on the fifth anniversary (October 23, 2007).

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