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| NIC INC Form 4 December 17 | 7, 2015 | | | | | | | | | | |
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| FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANCE COMMISSION | | | | | | | | т | OMB APPROVAL | | |
| - | UNITEDS | Washington, D.C. 20549 | | | | | | OMB Number: | 3235-0287 | | |
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| (Print or Type I | Responses) | | | | | | | | | | |
| HARTLEY ROSS C S | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NIC INC [EGOV] | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | | |
| (Last) | (First) (Mi | iddle) 3. Date of | f Earliest Tra | ansaction | | | (Check all applicable) | | | | |
| | | | Ionth/Day/Year) 2/17/2015 | | | | _X_Director10% Owner Officer (give titleOther (specify below)below) | | | | |
| | endment, Date Original nth/Day/Year) | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | | | | |
| OLATHE, KS 66061 | | | | | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| (City) | (State) (Z | Zip) Tabl | le I - Non-D | erivative S | Securi | ties Aco | quired, Disposed o | of, or Beneficia | lly Owned | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities nAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Pr | | or)) | Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Indirect Beneficial | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 66,831 | D | | | |
| Common Stock | 12/17/2015 | | G <u>(1)</u> V | 2,500 | D | \$0 | 1,509,758 | Ι | See (2) | | |

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 5. 6. Date Exercisable an onNumber Expiration Date of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | Date | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and | Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|---------------------|--------------------|--|--------------------------------------|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Amo or Title Num of Shar | nber | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | | Relationships | | | | |
|--|----------|---------------|---------|-------|--|--|
| 1 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| HARTLEY ROSS C C/O INC INC. 25501 WEST VALLEY PARKWAY, SUITE 300 OLATHE, KS 66061 | Х | | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | |
| /s/Aimi Daughtery, Attorney-in-Fact for Ross C. Hartley | | 12/17/2015 | 5 | | | |
| <u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person | | Date | | | | |
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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) These shares were gifted by the Ross C. Hartley Family Investments, LLC to St. John's Medical Center Foundation.

(2) Shares held by Ross C. Hartley Family Investments, LLC, in which the Reporting Person's spouse holds a majority of the voting interest.

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