

Nielsen N.V.
Form 4
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FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
CUMINALE JAMES W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O NIELSEN N.V., 85 BROAD
STREET**

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10004

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol

Nielsen N.V. [NLSN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)

08/27/2014

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)

Chief Legal Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/27/2014		M	12,038 A	\$ 16 92,756.68	D	
Common Stock	08/27/2014		M	1,800 A	\$ 32 94,556.68	D	
Common Stock	08/27/2014		M	16,363 A	\$ 18.4 110,919.68	D	
Common Stock	08/27/2014		M	1,208 A	\$ 30.19 112,127.68	D	
Common Stock	08/27/2014		S	31,409 D	\$ 46.808 80,718.68	D	

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Common Stock	16,497	I	By GRATs ⁽²⁾
Common Stock	12,340	I	By Trust ⁽³⁾

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 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options to Purchase common stock	\$ 16	08/27/2014		M		12,038		<u>(4)</u>	02/02/2017	Common Stock	12,038
Options to Purchase common stock	\$ 32	08/27/2014		M		1,800		<u>(4)</u>	02/02/2017	Common Stock	1,800
Options to Purchase common stock	\$ 18.4	08/27/2014		M		16,363		<u>(4)</u>	03/18/2020	Common Stock	16,363
Options to Purchase common stock	\$ 30.19	08/27/2014		M		1,208		<u>(5)</u>	05/11/2018	Common Stock	1,208

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CUMINALE JAMES W C/O NIELSEN N.V. 85 BROAD STREET NEW YORK, NY 10004			Chief Legal Officer	

Signatures

/s/ Harris Black, authorized
signatory

08/28/2014

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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- (1) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions ranging from \$46.65 to \$46.92, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth above.
- (2) These securities are held by grantor retained annuity trusts for which the Reporting Person is the sole trustee and sole annuitant. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities held by the trusts except to the extent of his pecuniary interest.
- (3) These securities are held by a trust for which the Reporting Person's wife is the sole trustee and beneficiary. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities held by the trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest.
- (4) Represents options to purchase shares of common stock of the Issuer, all of which are fully vested.
- (5) Represents options to purchase shares of common stock of the Issuer, which ratably vest in four installments over 4 years beginning one year after the grant date (May 11, 2011).

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