BLACKHAWK NETWORK HOLDINGS, INC

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading CRUM CHRISTOPHER C Issuer Symbol **BLACKHAWK NETWORK** (Check all applicable) HOLDINGS, INC [HAWK] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 6220 STONERIDGE MALL RD 03/14/2014 SVP, Sales (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting PLEASANTON, CA 94588 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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)	(Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	od of (D) 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock	03/14/2014		Code V C(1)	3,000	(D)	Price (2)	3,000	D	
Class A Common Stock	03/14/2014		S	3,000	D	\$ 26.49	0	D	
Class A Common Stock	03/14/2014		C(1)	9,000	A	<u>(2)</u>	9,000	D	
Class A Common	03/14/2014		S	9,000	D	<u>(3)</u>	0	D	

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Stock

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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)	Code	TransactionDerivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Nun of Shar
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 21.031	03/14/2014		M		3,000	<u>(4)</u>	10/18/2018	Class B Common Stock	3,0
Class B Common Stock	<u>(2)</u>	03/14/2014		M	3,000		(2)	(2)	Class A Common Stock	3,0
Class B Common Stock	<u>(2)</u>	03/14/2014		C		3,000	(2)	(2)	Class A Common Stock	3,0
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 18.491	03/14/2014		M		4,500	<u>(5)</u>	05/14/2019	Class B Common Stock	4,5
Class B Common Stock	<u>(2)</u>	03/14/2014		M	4,500		(2)	(2)	Class A Common Stock	4,5
Class B Common Stock	<u>(2)</u>	03/14/2014		C		4,500	(2)	(2)	Class A Common Stock	4,5
Stock Appreciation Right	<u>(2)</u>	03/14/2014		M		4,500	<u>(5)</u>	05/14/2019	Class B Common Stock	4,5
Class B Common Stock	(2)	03/14/2014		M	4,500		(2)	(2)	Class A Common Stock	4,5

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CRUM CHRISTOPHER C 6220 STONERIDGE MALL RD PLEASANTON, CA 94588

SVP, Sales

Signatures

/s/ Marcia Peterson, Attorney-in-Fact for Christopher C. Crum

03/18/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Each share of Class A Common Stock was issued upon conversion of one share of Class B Common Stock at the election of the Reporting Person.
- Each share of Class B Common Stock is convertible at any time at the option of the Reporting Person into one share of Class A Common (2) Stock and has no expiration date. Class B Common Stock will convert automatically into Class A Common Stock upon the occurrence of a Conversion Event, as such term is defined in section 3(a)(ii) of the Issuer's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation.
- Transaction executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$26.407 to \$26.81 per share, inclusive. The price reported in column 4 of
 Table I above reflects the weighted average sale price per share. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes to provide the SEC staff, the
 Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each respective price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- The shares vest pursuant to the following schedule: Twenty Percent (20%) of the shares subject to the option vest on each of the first, second, third, fourth and fifth anniversary of March 14, 2011, subject to the Reporting Person's continued employment or service relationship with the Issuer on each such vesting date.
- The shares vest pursuant to the following schedule: Twenty Percent (20%) of the shares subject to the option vest on each of the first, second, third, fourth and fifth anniversary of March 14, 2012, subject to the Reporting Person's continued employment or service relationship with the Issuer on each such vesting date.

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