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HUGHES JA	MES ALTON	N	Symbol						Issuer			
			FIRST S	OLAF	<b>κ</b> , Π	NC. [FS.	LRJ		(Cheo	ck all applicable	e)	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of			nsaction						
				ay/Year)	)				_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Nor	1-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
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							(A)		Reported			
							or		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common				Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	(			
Common Stock	03/25/2013			J		3,515 (1)	D	\$0	3,514	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)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owne Follo Repo
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			Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

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## **Reporting Owners**

<b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>	Relationships								
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Direc	ctor	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
HUGHES JAMES ALTON C/O FIRST SOLAR 350 WEST WASHINGTON STREET, SUI TEMPE, AZ 85281-1244	TE 600 X	ζ		Chief Executive Officer					
Signatures									
/s/ Peter C. Bartolino, Attorney-in-fact	03/26/2013								
**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).

Represents shares transferred to the reporting person's ex-spouse pursuant to a divorce decree. The securities owned by the ex-spouse are not beneficially owned by the reporting person. Half of the shares issued pursuant to vesting of the restricted stock unit grant described below (subsequent to the Issuer's withholding of shares to satisfy certain tax withholding obligations associated with the vesting of the

below (subsequent to the issuer's withinoiding of shares to satisfy certain tax withinoiding obligations associated with the vesting of the restricted stock units) are required to be transferred to the reporting person's ex-spouse pursuant to the divorce decree. The restricted stock units were granted on March 19, 2012 pursuant to the reporting person's Employment Agreement. These units are scheduled to vest annually at a rate of 25% on each anniversary of the grant date, beginning March 19, 2013.

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