VERIFONE SYSTEMS, INC.

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement VERIFONE SYSTEMS, INC. [PAY] À D'Agostino Vincent (Month/Day/Year) 12/16/2015 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 88 W. PLUMERIA DRIVE (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person (give title below) (specify below) SAN JOSE, CAÂ 95134 Form filed by More than One EVP, Verifone Services Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share 3,728 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security | | 4. Conversion or Exercise | 5. Ownership Form of | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
|--|--|------------|--|------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|--|
| | | Expiration | (Instr. 4) Title | Amount or Number of | Price of Derivative | Derivative Security: | (Instr. 5) |
| | | Date | | | Security | Direct (D) or Indirect | |

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| | | | | Shares | | (I) (Instr. 5) | |
|-------------------------------|-----|------------|--|--------|-----------------|-------------------|---|
| Non-Qualified Stock Option | (1) | 02/03/2021 | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | 34,800 | \$ 27.77 | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units | (2) | (2) | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | 14,100 | \$ 0 (3) | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units | (4) | (4) | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | 6,900 | \$ 0 (3) | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units | (5) | (5) | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | 6,900 | \$ 0 <u>(3)</u> | D | Â |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--|--------------------|---|------------------------|-------|--|--|
| Fg | Director 10% Owner | | Officer | Other | | |
| D'Agostino Vincent 88 W. PLUMERIA DRIVE SAN JOSE. CA 95134 | Â | Â | EVP, Verifone Services | Â | | |

Signatures

/s/ Vincent D'Agostino, by Vik Varma, his attorney-in-fact

12/28/2015

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) 43.75% of the stock options underlying this grant have vested. 6.25% of the stock options underlying this grant will vest on 02/03/2016 and at the end of each subsequent three month period thereafter until these stock options have fully vested.
- The grant consists of 14,100 restricted stock units, of which 43.75% have vested and converted to Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per (2) share. 6.25% of the restricted stock units underlying this grant will vest on 02/03/2016 and at the end of each subsequent three month period thereafter until these restricted stock units have fully vested.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit converts, without payment, upon vesting into one share of Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share, which will be issued to the reporting person upon vesting.

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- (4) 25% of these restricted stock units will vest on January 2, 2016. Thereafter, 6.25% of these restricted stock units will vest at the end of each subsequent three month period until these restricted stock units have fully vested.
- The grant is subject to achievement of certain performance criteria prior to January 2, 2018 and will vest based on achievement of such criteria. The number of restricted stock units reported is the targeted amount to be achieved. Depending on the actual level of achievement, the reporting person may receive between 0% and 200% of such targeted amount.

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