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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Name and Address of Reporting P RAFAEL BETSY	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Last) (First) (M	APPLE INC [AAPL] ddle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)
1 INFINITE LOOP	(Month/Day/Year) 05/09/2012	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	VP, Corporate Controller 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
CUPERTINO, CA 95014	7:0\	_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)	(State)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties A	cquired (A)	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	omr Dispos	sed of	(D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
							Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported	(I)	
					(A)		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/09/2012		S	2,954	D	\$ 572.188 (1)	114	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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed	.	ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	int of rlying ities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans
				of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(Instr
				+, and 3)	Date	Expiration		Amount		
			Code V	(A) (D)	Exercisable	Date	Title	Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RAFAEL BETSY 1 INFINITE LOOP CUPERTINO, CA 95014

VP, Corporate Controller

Signatures

/s/ Gene Levoff, Attorney-in-fact for Betsy E. Rafael

05/10/2012

**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).

This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$572.1286 to \$572.29; the price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transactions were effected upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer.

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