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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Cumello Joseph			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CIENA CORP</u> [CIEN]		ationship of Reporting P (all applicable) Director	10% Owner	
(Last) C/O CIENA C	(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CIENA CORPORATION		 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/15/2024 	X	Officer (give title below) SVP, General Mgr.	Other (specify below) Blue Planet	
7035 RIDGE RD.			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	Form filed by One Re	al or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable orm filed by One Reporting Person		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuan satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See	t to a cont	ract, instruction or written p n 10.	olan that is intended to	
		Table I - Non-Deriv	vative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Bene	ficially	v Owned		

ĺ	1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, Transa f any Code (4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect
				Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
	Common Stock	04/15/2024		S		3,156 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$45.74	51,171 ⁽²⁾	D	

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. Transa Code (8)			vative nities nired r osed) r. 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Amount of		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Sales were effected pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 trading plan dated 01/08/2024.

2. Shares reported include unvested Restricted Stock Units (RSUs) and Performance Stock Units (PSUs).

By: Michelle Rankin For:
Joseph Cumello

04/15/2024

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

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