FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP	0

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>HJARTARSON GUDMUNDUR</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CIENA CORP [ CIEN ]								ationship of k all applica Director	ble)	Perso	10% Ow	ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1201 WINTERSON ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/03/2004							X	below)		Other (s below) Broadband Acco		´	
(Street) LINTHIO		MD State)	21090 (Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 05/05/2004					6. Ind Line) X	<b>'</b>							
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				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Exp Date	iration e	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	on(s)			
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$4.13	05/03/2004		A		250,000		05/03/2005	05/0	03/2015 <sup>(1)</sup>	Common Stock	250,000	\$0	250,00	0	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The shares vest at a rate of 25% on the one year anniversary of the grant date and 2.084% for each full month after the one year anniversary.

## Remarks:

This amendment reports an additional stock option grant that was omitted in the original filing on May 5, 2004.

/s/Gudmundur Hjartarson by Anita Weiskerger per POA

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

12/02/2004

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