FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SMITH GARY B						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CIENA CORP [CIEN]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
						.11117		111	L CIL.	.,]				X	Direc	ctor	10% (Owner	
(Last)	(F	rst) (3. [Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)								X Offi belo		er (give title w)	Other below	(specify			
C/O CIENA CORPORATION							11/15/2013								PRESIDENT, CEO				
1201 WINTERSON ROAD																			
						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street)														Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
LINTHICUM, MD 21090														Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City) (State) (Zip)															Pers	on			
(5.9)																			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye						Execution Date,						Acquired (A) or (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		5) Secur Benef Owne		ficially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			rted action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 11/15/201						3			S		2,900(1)	D	\$22.04	2.0487(2)		57,655 ⁽³⁾	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)	Execu if any	eemed Ition Date, h/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/		Date	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			vative irity r. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	cisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Sales were effected pursuant to 10b5-1 trading plan dated March 11, 2013.
- 2. Reflects the weighted average sales price with transactions in a range of sales prices from \$22.00 to \$22.10. Upon request by the SEC, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate sales price will be provided.
- 3. Shares reported include unvested Restricted Stock Units (RSUs).

By: Erik Lichter For: Gary B Smith

11/18/2013

** 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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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