CHART INDUSTRIES INC

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * THOMAS SAMUEL F			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CHART INDUSTRIES INC [GTLS]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE INFINITY CORPORATE CENTRE DRIVE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/17/2016						(Check all applicable) _X_ Director		
(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Filed(Month/Day/Year) GARFIELD HEIGHTS, OH 44125				Oate Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filin					ng(Check erson		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - No	n-D	erivative	Secur	rities Aca	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	r) Execution		3. Transa Code (Instr.	actio	4. Securi n(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ties A ispose 4 and (A) or	cquired d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of
Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (1)				A		9,980	A	\$ 0	106,875 (2)	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/17/2016			F		4,002 (3)	D	\$ 17.75	102,873 (2)	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (4)									28,275	I	By spouse

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (4)	48,020	I	By Trusts			
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (4)	36,000	I	By Trust			
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (4)	54,000	I	By Trust			
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (4)	46,000	I	By Trust			
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.						

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	4. 5. 6. Date Exercisable and TransactiorNumber Expiration Date Code of (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	\$			
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (4)	\$ 27.74					<u>(9)</u>	08/02/2017	Common Stock	18,300
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (4)	\$ 30.95					(10)	01/02/2018	Common Stock	18,950
	\$ 11					<u>(11)</u>	01/02/2019		50,000

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Stock Option (Right to Buy) (4)				Common stock	
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (4)	\$ 17.03	(12)	01/04/2020	Common Stock	47,170
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (4)	\$ 36.45	(13)	01/03/2021	Common Stock	33,070
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (4)	\$ 55.93	(14)	01/03/2022	Common Stock	21,410
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (4)	\$ 68.21	<u>(15)</u>	01/02/2023	Common Stock	19,470
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (4)	\$ 93.34	(16)	01/02/2024	Common Stock	17,880
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	(17)	01/02/2017	Common Stock	9,720
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (4)	\$ 34.27	(18)	01/02/2025	Common Stock	58,630
Stock Option (Right to Buy) (4)	\$ 17.72	(19)	01/04/2026	Common Stock	125,240

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
THOMAS SAMUEL F							
ONE INFINITY CORPORATE CENTRE DRIVE	X		Chairman, CEO and President				
GARFIELD HEIGHTS OH 44125							

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Signatures

/s/ Samuel F. Thomas, by Matthew J. Klaben, his attorney-in-fact pursuant to Power of Attorney dated June 29, 2006 on file with the Commission

02/19/2016

**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).
- (1) Represents performance units granted on January 2, 2013, under the Chart Industries, Inc. Amended and Restated 2009 Omnibus Equity Plan, that have vested and are paid out in shares of common stock.
- 36,472 and 11,513 shares of the total amount beneficially owned were granted on January 4, 2016 and January 2, 2015, respectively, pursuant to restricted share unit agreements under the Chart Industries, Inc. Amended and Restated 2009 Omnibus Equity Plan in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3 and remain subject to restriction.
- (3) The reporting person surrendered 4,002 shares upon the vesting of performance units, to satisfy tax withholding liabilities, in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3.
- (4) No transaction is being reported on this line. Reported on a previously filed Form 4 or Form 5.
- Held by trusts for the benefit of the reporting person's family member. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares (5) held by the trusts, and this report should not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the trusts' shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- Held by trust, with spouse as trustee, for the benefit of the reporting person's family member. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust, and this report should not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the trust's shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- Held by trust for the benefit of the reporting person's family members, including his spouse. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the trust, and this report should not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the trust's shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (8) Held by trust for the benefit of the reporting person's family members, including the reporting person.
- These options were granted on August 2, 2007 pursuant to the Chart Industries, Inc. Amended and Restated 2005 Stock Incentive Plan in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. The options vest with respect to one-fourth (1/4) of the total number of shares of common stock underlying the stock options on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.
- These options were granted on January 2, 2008 pursuant to the Chart Industries, Inc. Amended and Restated 2005 Stock Incentive Plan (10) in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. The options vest with respect to one-fourth (1/4) of the total number of shares of common stock underlying the stock options on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.
- These options were granted on January 2, 2009 pursuant to the Chart Industries, Inc. Amended and Restated 2005 Stock Incentive Plan (11) in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. The options vest with respect to one-fourth (1/4) of the total number of shares of common stock underlying the stock options on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.
- These options were granted on January 4, 2010 pursuant to the Chart Industries, Inc. 2009 Omnibus Equity Plan in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. The options vest with respect to one-fourth (1/4) of the total number of shares of common stock underlying the stock options on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.
- These options were granted on January 3, 2011 pursuant to the Chart Industries, Inc. 2009 Omnibus Equity Plan in an exempt (13) transaction under Rule 16b-3. The options vest with respect to one-fourth (1/4) of the total number of shares of common stock underlying the stock options on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.
- These options were granted on January 3, 2012 pursuant to the Chart Industries, Inc. 2009 Omnibus Equity Plan in an exempt (14) transaction under Rule 16b-3. The options vest with respect to one-fourth (1/4) of the total number of shares of common stock underlying the stock options on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.
- These options were granted on January 2, 2013 pursuant to the Chart Industries, Inc. Amended and Restated 2009 Omnibus Equity Plan (15) in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. The options vest with respect to one-fourth (1/4) of the total number of shares of common stock underlying the stock options on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.
- These options were granted on January 2, 2014 pursuant to the Chart Industries, Inc. Amended and Restated 2009 Omnibus Equity Plan (16) in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. The options vest with respect to one-fourth (1/4) of the total number of shares of common stock underlying the stock options on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.

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- These LRSUs were granted on January 2, 2014 pursuant to a Leveraged Restricted Share Unit Agreement under the Chart Industries, Inc. Amended and Restated 2009 Omnibus Equity Plan in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. Shares of Company common stock
- (17) will be issued following the vesting of the LRSUs on the third anniversary of the date of grant. The minimum number of shares of Company common stock that will be issued at payment is 50% of the grant amount of LRSUs, and the maximum number of shares of Company common stock that will be issued at payment is 150% of the grant amount of LRSUs.
- These options were granted on January 2, 2015 pursuant to the Chart Industries, Inc. Amended and Restated 2009 Omnibus Equity Plan in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. The options vest with respect to one-fourth (1/4) of the total number of shares of common stock underlying the stock options on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.
- These options were granted on January 4, 2016 pursuant to the Chart Industries, Inc. Amended and Restated 2009 Omnibus Equity Plan (19) in an exempt transaction under Rule 16b-3. The options vest with respect to one-fourth (1/4) of the total number of shares of common stock underlying the stock options on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant.

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