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April 4, 2014

Dear Mattersight Stockholder:

On behalf of the Board of Directors and management of Mattersight Corporation, I cordially invite you to attend the 2014 Annual Meeting of Mattersight s stockholders (the Annual Meeting). The Annual Meeting will be held at 9:00 a.m. Central Time on Thursday, May 15, 2014, at the Company s offices at 200 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 820, Chicago, Illinois 60606.

The agenda for this year s Annual Meeting includes the proposed election of our three Class III directors for a term of three years, the ratification of our independent public accountants for the 2014 fiscal year, and the approval, by a non-binding advisory vote, of our executive compensation program (Say-on-Pay Proposal). Details of the business to be conducted at the Annual Meeting are given in the attached Notice of Annual Meeting and Proxy Statement. At the Annual Meeting, stockholders will have an opportunity to comment and ask appropriate questions. You may also obtain more information about Mattersight from documents we have filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Our Board of Directors recommends that you vote **FOR** the election of the three nominees to serve on our Board of Directors for a term of three years, **FOR** the ratification of the appointment of Grant Thornton LLP as our independent public accountants for the 2014 fiscal year, and **FOR** the approval of the Say-on-Pay Proposal. The nominees for director will be elected by a plurality of the votes cast at the Annual Meeting, meaning the nominees who receive the greatest number of votes will be elected as directors. The ratification of the appointment of Grant Thornton LLP as the Company s independent public accountants for the 2014 fiscal year and the Say-on-Pay Proposal must each be approved by the affirmative vote of holders of a majority of shares of Mattersight Stock outstanding and entitled to vote as of the record date and present in person or represented by proxy at the Annual Meeting.

On behalf of our Board of Directors, we thank you for your continued support of Mattersight. We encourage you to read the accompanying Proxy Statement and vote promptly. To ensure that your shares are represented at the Annual Meeting, whether or not you plan to attend in person, we urge you to submit a proxy with your voting instructions by telephone, via the Internet, or by signing, dating, and mailing your proxy card in accordance with the instructions provided on it.

Sincerely,

/s/ KELLY D. CONWAY Kelly D. Conway President and Chief Executive Officer

This Proxy Statement, dated April 4, 2014, is first being made available to stockholders on or about April 4, 2014. Once again, this year, we are pleased to be providing our stockholders with proxy materials over the Internet. By using this method of delivery, we are able to provide these important materials in an expedited manner while reducing our costs and the environmental impact of our Annual Meeting.

MATTERSIGHT CORPORATION

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS

TO BE HELD MAY 15, 2014

The Annual Meeting of Mattersight Corporation, a Delaware corporation (referred to herein as the Company, Mattersight, we, us, or our a context requires), will be held at 9:00 a.m. Central Time on Thursday, May 15, 2014, at our offices at 200 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 820, Chicago, Illinois 60606, for the following purposes:

- 1. To elect the three nominees identified in this Proxy Statement as Class III directors to our Board of Directors, to serve for a three-year term ending at the 2017 annual meeting of stockholders;
- 2. To ratify the appointment of Grant Thornton LLP as our independent public accountants for the 2014 fiscal year;
- 3. To approve, by a non-binding advisory vote, named executive officer compensation (the Say-on-Pay Proposal); and

4. To transact such other business as may properly come before the Annual Meeting or any adjournments or postponements thereof. The Proxy Statement more fully describes the foregoing items of business.

Only holders of record of shares of Mattersight Common Stock, \$0.01 par value per share (Common Stock), and holders of record of shares of Mattersight 7% Series B Convertible Preferred Stock, \$0.01 par value per share (Series B Stock; together with the Common Stock, Mattersight Stock), at the close of business on March 20, 2014 (the Record Date) may vote at the Annual Meeting. A list of the stockholders entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting will be available for inspection at Mattersight's offices at 200 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 820, Chicago, Illinois, during normal business hours, for ten days prior to the Annual Meeting.

Once again this year, we are pleased to be using the Securities and Exchange Commission e-proxy rule that allows companies to furnish their proxy materials over the Internet instead of mailing printed copies of the proxy materials to each stockholder. On or about April 4, 2014, we will mail a Notice of Internet Availability of Proxy Materials (the Notice of Internet Availability) to stockholders as of the Record Date, other than those stockholders who previously requested electronic or paper delivery of communications from us. The Notice of Internet Availability contains instructions on how to access an electronic copy of our proxy materials, including our Proxy Statement and Annual Report. The Notice of Internet Availability also contains instructions on how to request a paper copy of the Proxy Statement.

Your vote is important. Whether or not you plan to attend the meeting in person, please vote at your earliest convenience. Your vote before the Annual Meeting will ensure representation of your shares at the Annual Meeting, even if you are unable to attend.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

/s/ CHRISTINE R. CARSEN Christine R. Carsen Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary

Chicago, Illinois

April 4, 2014

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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS ABOUT THE 2014 ANNUAL MEETING

This Proxy Statement is being furnished to our stockholders as part of the solicitation of proxies by our Board of Directors for use at the Annual Meeting to be held at our offices at 200 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 820, Chicago, Illinois 60606 on Thursday, May 15, 2014, at 9:00 a.m. Central Time, or at any postponement or adjournment thereof. The proxy materials, together with a copy of Mattersight s 2013 Annual Report, are first being made available to our stockholders beginning on or about April 4, 2014.

The purpose of the Annual Meeting is for our stockholders to consider and vote upon the proposed election of our three Class III directors for a term of three years, the ratification of Mattersight s independent public accountants for the 2014 fiscal year, and to approve the Say-on-Pay Proposal. The following is intended to address questions you might have regarding the Annual Meeting.

How may I receive proxy materials?

We are pleased to be using the Securities and Exchange Commission e-proxy rule that allows companies to furnish their proxy materials over the Internet instead of mailing printed copies of the proxy materials to each stockholder. As a result, we are mailing our stockholders a notice about the Internet availability of the proxy materials that contains instructions on how to access this Proxy Statement, the accompanying Notice of Annual Meeting, and our 2013 Annual Report online. If you received this notice, then you will not automatically receive a printed copy of the proxy materials in the mail. Instead, the notice instructs you on how to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials and how you may submit your proxy. The notice also contains instructions on how stockholders may, if desired, request a printed copy of our proxy materials.

How does our Board of Directors recommend that our stockholders vote?

After careful consideration, our Board of Directors recommends that you vote **FOR** the election of our three Class III directors, **FOR** the ratification of the appointment of Grant Thornton LLP as our independent public accountants for the 2014 fiscal year, and **FOR** the approval of the Say-on-Pay Proposal.

Who is entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting?

Only holders of record of shares of Mattersight Common Stock, \$0.01 par value per share (Common Stock), and holders of record of shares of Mattersight 7% Series B Convertible Preferred Stock, \$0.01 par value per share (Series B Stock; together with the Common Stock, Mattersight Stock), at the close of business on March 20, 2014 (the Record Date) may vote at the Annual Meeting. On the Record Date, 20,714,850 shares of Mattersight Stock, comprising 19,065,728 shares of Common Stock and 1,649,122 shares of Series B Stock, were outstanding and entitled to be voted at the Annual Meeting. Each share of Mattersight Stock entitles the holder to one vote and both classes of Mattersight Stock will vote together as a single class on all matters presented for a vote at this meeting.

How many votes must be present to hold the Annual Meeting?

A quorum is necessary to hold a valid Annual Meeting. A quorum will be present at the Annual Meeting if the holders of a majority of the 20,714,850 shares of Mattersight Stock outstanding and entitled to vote generally in the election of directors on the Record Date are present, either in person or by proxy. Abstentions and broker-non-votes are counted for purposes of a quorum. Your shares are counted as present if you attend the meeting and vote in person or if you properly return a proxy over the Internet, by telephone, or by mail.

What is the difference between routine vs. non-routine matters?

The election of directors and the Say-on-Pay Proposal are considered to be non-routine matters under applicable rules. Because a broker cannot vote without instructions on non-routine matters, there may be broker non-votes on each of these proposals. The ratification of the appointment of Grant Thornton LLP as our independent public accountants for the 2014 fiscal year is considered to be a routine matter under applicable rules. A broker may generally vote on routine matters, and therefore, there should be no broker non-votes in connection with this proposal.

What vote is required to approve each of the proposals?

On all matters, each share has one vote. Our organizational documents do not provide for cumulative voting for directors. Therefore, the nominees for director will be elected by a plurality of the votes cast at the Annual Meeting, meaning the nominees who receive the greatest number of votes will be elected as directors. Neither broker non-votes nor abstentions are included in the tabulation of the voting results and, therefore, do not have the effect of votes AGAINST the election of directors. The ratification of the appointment of Grant Thornton LLP as the Company s independent public accountants for the 2014 fiscal year and the Say-on-Pay Proposal must each be approved by the affirmative vote of holders of a majority of shares of Mattersight Stock outstanding and entitled to vote as of the Record Date and present in person or represented by proxy at the Annual Meeting. A failure to vote your shares of Mattersight Stock or a broker non-vote will have no effect on the outcome of the ratification of the appointment of Grant Thornton LLP as the Company s independent public accountants or the Say-on-Pay Proposal. An abstention will have the same effect as voting AGAINST the ratification of the appointment of Grant Thornton LLP as the Company s independent public accountants and the Say-on-Pay Proposal.

How do I vote or change my vote?

You may vote in person at the Annual Meeting or by proxy through the Internet, by telephone, or by mail. Likewise, you may revoke your proxy at any time before the voting at the Annual Meeting following proper procedure.

Voting in Person If you hold shares in your name as a stockholder of record and plan to attend the Annual Meeting and wish to vote in person, you will be given a ballot at the Annual Meeting or you may give us a signed proxy card before voting is closed. If you would like to attend the Annual Meeting, please bring proof of identification with you to the Annual Meeting. Even if you plan to attend the Annual Meeting, we strongly encourage you to submit a proxy for your shares in advance as described below, so your vote will be counted if you later decide not to attend. If your shares are held in street name, which means your shares are held of record by a broker, bank, or other nominee, and you wish to vote in person at the Annual Meeting, you must bring to the Annual Meeting a proxy from the record holder of the shares (your broker, bank, or nominee) authorizing you to vote at the Annual Meeting. To do this, you should contact your broker, bank, or nominee.

Voting by Proxy If you are a holder of record of Mattersight Stock (that is, you hold your stock in your own name) on the Record Date, you may submit a proxy with your voting instructions by any of the following methods:

Through the Internet: Go to the website www.proxyvote.com and follow the instructions included with the Notice of the Annual Meeting or, if applicable, on your proxy card, at any time before 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on May 14, 2014. Instructions are also provided on the website.

By Telephone: Call 1-800-690-6903 on a touch-tone telephone from anywhere within the United States or Canada at any time before 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on May 14, 2014, and follow the instructions included with the Notice of the Annual Meeting or, if applicable, on your proxy card. Instructions are also provided by recorded telephone message.

By Mail: You may also complete, sign, and mail your proxy card using the instructions provided on it. If you choose to submit your proxy with voting instructions by telephone or through the Internet, you will be required to provide your assigned control number before your proxy will be accepted. This number is included either with the Notice of the Annual Meeting or, if applicable, on your proxy card. Once you have indicated how you want to vote in accordance with the instructions provided, you will receive a confirmation that your proxy has been successfully submitted.

Properly executed proxies that do not contain specific voting instructions will be voted **FOR** the election of our three Class III directors for a term of three years, **FOR** the ratification of the appointment of Grant Thornton LLP as our independent public accountants for the 2014 fiscal year, and **FOR** the approval of the Say-on-Pay Proposal.

Revocation of Proxy Submitting a proxy on the enclosed form does not preclude a stockholder from voting in person at the Annual Meeting. You may revoke your proxy at any time before the voting at the Annual Meeting by any of the following methods:

voting again at a later date by telephone or through the Internet your latest voting instructions will be counted and your earlier instructions, using the same procedures, revoked;

submitting a new proxy that is properly signed with a later date;

sending a properly signed written notice of your revocation to Mattersight Corporation, 200 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 820, Chicago, Illinois 60606, Attention: Corporate Secretary; or

voting in person at the Annual Meeting. Attendance at the Annual Meeting will not itself revoke an earlier submitted proxy. If your shares are held in street name through a broker, bank, or other nominee, then you must contact your broker, bank, or nominee to revoke your proxy.

If my shares are held in street name by my broker, will my broker vote my shares for me?

If your shares of Mattersight Stock are held in street name, then you will receive instructions from your broker, bank, or other nominee that you must follow in order to have your shares voted. Your broker or nominee is permitted to use discretion to vote your shares on *routine matters* if you fail to provide instructions. Your broker or nominee is not permitted to vote your shares on *non-routine matters* without your instructions. Shares that are not permitted to be voted by your broker are called broker non-votes.

The election of directors and the Say-on-Pay Proposal are considered to be *non-routine matters* under applicable rules. As a result, without your instruction, your broker will not be able to vote your shares on these matters, which will result in broker non-votes. Broker non-votes will not be counted and therefore will have no effect on these proposals. The ratification of the appointment of Grant Thornton LLP as our independent public accountants is considered to be a *routine matter* under applicable rules. Because brokers may generally vote on routine matters, there should be no broker non-votes in connection with this proposal.

How are proxies solicited?

This proxy solicitation is being made and paid for by Mattersight on behalf of its Board of Directors. Our directors, officers, and employees may solicit proxies by personal interview, mail, email, telephone, facsimile, or other means of communication, but they will not be paid additional remuneration for their efforts. We also request brokers and other fiduciaries to forward proxy solicitation material to the beneficial owners of shares of Mattersight Stock that the brokers and fiduciaries hold of record. Upon request, we will reimburse them for their reasonable out-of-pocket expenses for doing this.

What does it mean if I get more than one proxy card?

If your shares are registered differently and are in more than one account, then you might receive more than one proxy card. Please complete, sign, date, and return all of the proxy cards you receive regarding the Annual Meeting to ensure that all of your shares are voted.

When may a meeting be adjourned?

When any meeting is convened, the presiding officer, if directed by our Board of Directors, may adjourn or postpone the meeting if (i) no quorum is present for the transaction of business or (ii) our Board of Directors determines that adjournment is necessary or appropriate to enable the stockholders to consider fully information that our Board of Directors determines has not been made sufficiently or timely available to stockholders or otherwise to effectively exercise their voting rights. Any adjournment of the Annual Meeting for the purpose of soliciting additional proxies in order to achieve a quorum will allow our stockholders who have already sent in their proxies to revoke them at any time prior to their use at the Annual Meeting as adjourned or postponed.

Who may I contact regarding additional questions?

If you have more questions about any of the proposals on the Annual Meeting agenda, need assistance in submitting your proxy or voting your shares, or need additional copies of the Proxy Statement or the enclosed proxy card, you should contact Christine R. Carsen, Vice President, General Counsel, and Corporate Secretary, Mattersight Corporation, 200 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 820, Chicago, Illinois 60606 or call 877-235-6925.

PROPOSAL #1: ELECTION OF DIRECTORS

Our Board of Directors consists of three classes of directors, each of which is elected for a staggered three-year term, as follows:

Class I	Class II	
Term Expires at 2015 Annual	Term Expires at 2016 Annual	Class III
Meeting	Meeting	Term Expires at this Annual Meeting
Tench Coxe	Philip R. Dur	Kelly D. Conway
John T. Kohler	Henry J. Feinberg	David B. Mullen
	John C. Staley	Michael J. Murray

Each of the following three individuals recommended by our Board of Directors is standing for election as a Class III director to serve a three-year term expiring at the 2017 annual meeting of stockholders and until his successor is duly elected and qualified, unless he resigns or is removed: Kelly D. Conway; David B. Mullen; and Michael J. Murray.

As described below under the caption *Selection of Director Nominees*, for the reasons described below, our Board of Directors has nominated each of the director nominees to stand for election at the Annual Meeting, based on the recommendation of the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee of our Board of Directors (the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee). If for any reason a nominee becomes unable or is unwilling to serve at the time of the meeting, then the persons named as proxies in the enclosed proxy card will have discretionary authority to vote for a substitute nominee selected by the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee and approved by the Board of Directors. It is not anticipated that any of the nominees will be unavailable for election.

Vote Required for the Election of Directors

The nominees for director will be elected by a plurality of the votes cast at the Annual Meeting. This means that the nominees who receive the most affirmative votes of shares outstanding and entitled to vote as of the Record Date and present in person or represented by proxy at the Annual Meeting will be elected to serve as directors.

Director Qualifications

Our Board of Directors consists of eight directors, each of whom is well-qualified to serve on our Board of Directors and represent our stockholders best interests. As described below under the caption *Selection of Director Nominees*, the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee selects nominees with a view to establishing a Board of Directors that is comprised of members who:

have the highest professional and personal ethics, consistent with our values and standards;

are committed to enhancing stockholder value;

have sufficient time to carry out their duties;

provide insight and practical wisdom based on experience; and

are capable of representing the interests of all stockholders.

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We believe that each of the director nominees brings these qualifications to our Board of Directors. Moreover, they provide a diversity of business experience and personal skills in technology, finance, marketing, financial reporting, and other areas that contribute to an effective Board of Directors, as well as public board experience, and knowledge of the technology industry and our business.

The following describes the key qualifications, business skills, experience, and perspectives that each of our directors brings to the Board of Directors, in addition to the general qualifications described above and the information included in the biographical summaries provided below:

Kelly D. Conway (Director since May 1999)	Mr. Conway, 57, is the President and Chief Executive Officer of Mattersight, a position he has held since its incorporation in May 1999 as a subsidiary of TSC. Mr. Conway joined TSC in November 1993 as Senior Vice President, assumed the position of Executive Vice President in July 1995, and became Group President in October 1998. With nearly 15 years service as the Chief Executive Officer of the Company, he has extensive knowledge of, and experience with, the information-technology industry and our operations, strategy, financial position, and management team.
Tench Coxe (Director and Chairman of the Board since February 2000)	Mr. Coxe, 56, is a managing director of the general partner of Sutter Hill Ventures, a venture capital company located in Palo Alto, California, and has held that position since 1987. He has over 25 years experience in the venture capital business and extensive experience on public company boards. With 14 years service as the Chairman of the Board, he has extensive knowledge of, and experience with, the information-technology industry and our operations, strategy, and financial position. Mr. Coxe currently serves as a director of NVIDIA Corporation (NASDAQ: NDVA), Artisan Partners Asset Management Inc. (NYSE: APAM), and various private companies.
Philip R. Dur (Director since December 2011)	Mr. Dur, 41, is a Venture Partner of Investor Growth Capital, LLC (IGC). He has been involved in venture capital and private equity since 1995 and joined IGC s technology investment team in 2004. Prior to joining IGC, Mr. Dur spent four and a half years with Morgan Stanley Venture Partners and two years with Morgan Stanley Capital Partners. He has significant experience working with growth-oriented software companies as an investor and has served as a director or observer to over a dozen software businesses. He currently serves as a director of a number of private companies.
Henry J. Feinberg (Director since May 2007)	Mr. Feinberg, 62, is Executive Chairman of Yield Management Systems located in Chicago, Illinois. Previously, he was a Partner at Technology Crossover Ventures, a Venture Capital firm located in Palo Alto, California. Mr. Feinberg has experience as Executive Chairman, Chief Executive Officer, and in a number of other senior management positions, at various private and public corporations, as well as being a Partner at a technology-oriented Venture Capital firm. He currently serves as a director of three privately-held companies.
John T. Kohler (Director since May 1999)	Mr. Kohler, 67, is the former President and Chief Executive Officer of TSC. Mr. Kohler held such office from 1995 until his retirement in February 2000. He joined TSC as Senior Vice President in 1992, was promoted to Executive Vice President and named to the Office of the Chairman in 1993, and became President and Chief Operating Officer in 1994. Mr. Kohler has significant past experience on public company boards, including audit and compensation committees, and deep knowledge of our operations. He has been a General Partner of American Home Technology since 2000.

David B. Mullen (Director since March 2009)	Mr. Mullen, 63, is the former Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Navteq Corporation, having held that position from December 2002 to January 2010. Navteq was acquired by Nokia Corporation (NYSE: NOK) in July 2008 and is now a wholly-owned subsidiary thereof. Including his service with Navteq, he has over twenty-five years of experience as an executive for technology companies. Mr. Mullen has significant past experience on public company boards, particularly on audit committees and strong financial acumen. Mr. Mullen currently acts as an independent consultant and serves as a director of Avid Technology, Inc. (NASDAQ: AVID).
Michael J. Murray (Director since June 1999)	Mr. Murray, 69, retired in July 2000 as President of Global Corporate and Investment Banking at Bank of America Corporation (NYSE: BAC), a position he had held since 1998. Mr. Murray has over 30 years experience in banking, including heading Bank of America's Global Wholesale Bank, with responsibility for its business with large corporate, international, and government clients around the world. He has extensive experience on public company boards and deep knowledge of Mattersight. He currently serves as a director of Con-Way Inc. (NYSE: CNW), a publicly-traded transportation company, and serves on Con-Way's Compensation and Nominating Committees. He also serves on the Advisory Board of a venture capital firm and a private equity firm.
John C. Staley	Mr. Staley, 72, is the former Managing Partner - Lake Michigan Area of Ernst & Young LLP, a global audit and tax firm, a position that he held from 1985 to his retirement in June 2001. He has extensive
(Director since August 2002)	experience on public company boards, particularly on audit committees, as well as strong financial acumen and deep knowledge of Mattersight. Mr. Staley is presently the chairman of the Board of Directors of Hospira, Inc. (NYSE: HSP). In the past five years, Mr. Staley also served on the board of Nicor Inc. (NYSE: GAS).
Recommendation of Our Board of	Directors

THE BOARD RECOMMENDS A VOTE FOR THE ELECTION OF EACH OF OUR CLASS III DIRECTORS, KELLY D. CONWAY, DAVID B. MULLEN, AND MICHAEL J. MURRAY.

BOARD LEADERSHIP AND CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

The business and affairs of Mattersight are managed under the direction of our Board of Directors. Our Board of Directors has responsibility for establishing broad corporate policies relating to the overall performance of Mattersight, rather than managing day-to-day operating details. Members of our Board of Directors stay informed of our business and operations by participating in quarterly board and committee meetings and through discussions with the Chief Executive Officer and other members of the executive management team.

Corporate Governance

Having been elected by our stockholders, it is the responsibility of our Board of Directors to govern the Company s business and affairs. Our Board of Directors approves the executive management team, acts as an advisor to executive management, and monitors the performance of executive management and the Company. Our Board of Directors reviews the Company s corporate strategy, financial objectives, and operating plans, and is responsible for overseeing risk management and internal compliance.

Board Independence

The listing standards of The NASDAQ Stock Market LLC (NASDAQ) require that each Board of Directors has a majority of independent directors. Therefore, with respect to each director, our Board of Directors has made a determination as to whether or not the director qualifies as independent. Under our independence determination procedure, no director may qualify as independent unless our Board of Directors affirmatively determines that (i) the director meets all of NASDAQ s independence standards and (ii) based on a review of all of the facts and circumstances of each non-management director s relationship with Mattersight, there is no business, commercial, or personal relationship that would impact the performance by the director of his board duties.

Our Board of Directors has determined that seven of the Company s eight directors Messrs. Coxe, Dur, Feinberg, Kohler, Mullen, Murray, and Staley are independent, constituting a majority of the board as required by NASDAQ rules. Mr. Conway is not independent because he is Mattersight s President and Chief Executive Officer.

Board Leadership Structure

Our Board of Directors is led by an independent Chairman, Mr. Coxe. Our Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Conway, is the only member of our Board of Directors who is not an independent director. Mattersight believes that this is the most appropriate structure for the Company in light of the differences between the roles of Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer. The Chief Executive Officer is responsible for setting the strategic direction of the Company and for the day-to-day leadership and performance of the Company, whereas the Chairman of the Board provides guidance to the Chief Executive Officer. Furthermore, this structure enhances the accountability of the Chief Executive Officer to our Board of Directors and strengthens our board s independence from management. We have had this leadership structure since our inception.

Board Oversight of Risk

Our executive management team is responsible for day-to-day risk management activities for the Company. Our Board of Directors oversees these risk management activities, delegating its authority in this regard to the standing committees of the Board of Directors. The Audit Committee of our Board of Directors (the Audit Committee) is responsible for discussing with executive management policies with respect to financial risk and enterprise risk management. The Audit Committee also oversees the Company s corporate compliance programs, including Section 404 compliance. The Compensation Committee of our Board of Directors (the Compensation Committee of our executives. The Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee reviews, at least annually, and monitors compliance with, our Corporate Governance Guidelines, Code of Ethical Business Conduct, and other corporate governance policies. In addition to each committee s risk management oversight, our Board of Directors and its committees regularly engage in discussions of the most significant risks that the Company is facing and how these risks are being managed.

The Company s General Counsel and Corporate Secretary reports directly to the Chief Executive Officer, thereby providing the Chief Executive Officer with additional visibility to the Company s risk profile. Our Board of Directors believes that the respective risk oversight functions served by the Audit Committee, Compensation Committee, and Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee, together with the efforts of the full board and the Chief Executive Officer in this regard, enable our Board of Directors to effectively oversee Mattersight s risk management activities.

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Board Meetings and Attendance

Our Board of Directors held four regularly-scheduled meetings and three special meetings during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2013. Each of our directors attended 100% of the meetings of the board and of the board committees on which he served with the exception of Messrs. Coxe and Mullen, who attended 89% and 94%, respectively. Our Board of Directors met in executive session seven times in 2013. Mattersight does not have a formal policy regarding board members attendance at its annual stockholders meetings, although attendance is encouraged. The 2013 Annual Meeting was attended by Messrs. Conway and Murray.

Selection of Director Nominees

Responsibility. The nominees for director for this year s Annual Meeting were nominated by the Board of Directors based on the recommendation of the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee, under the terms of its charter. Specifically, under its charter, the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee is responsible for: (i) reviewing the suitability and qualifications of, approving, and recommending to the Board of Directors those persons to be nominated for election to the board at each annual meeting of stockholders; (ii) identifying, approving, and recommending to the Board of Directors; and (iii) reviewing and making recommendations, at least annually, to the Board of Directors regarding the appropriate size, performance, composition, duties, and responsibilities of the Board of Directors and the other committees of the board.

Stockholder Nominees. The Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee will consider properly submitted stockholder nominations for candidates for membership on our Board of Directors as described below under the caption *Identifying and Evaluating Nominees for Directors*. Any stockholder nominations proposed for consideration by the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee should include the nominee s name and qualification for board membership. In addition, nominations must be submitted within the timeframe and to the address specified under the caption *Submission of Stockholder Proposals for 2015* on page 34.

Identifying and Evaluating Nominees for Directors. In discharging its responsibilities to identify and nominate candidates for election to our Board of Directors, the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee has not specified any minimum qualifications for serving on the board nor does it operate under a formal diversity policy. However, the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee seeks to identify, evaluate, and approve candidates with a diversity of business experience and personal skills in technology, finance, marketing, financial reporting, and other areas that may be expected to contribute to an effective board. The Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee endeavors to ensure that our Board of Directors is comprised of individuals who have experience relevant to the needs of Mattersight and who have the highest professional and personal ethics, consistent with our values and standards. Candidates should be committed to enhancing stockholder value and should have sufficient time to carry out their duties. Each director must represent the interests of all stockholders.

The Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee utilizes a variety of methods for identifying and evaluating nominees for director. Candidates may come to the attention of the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee through current board members, professional search firms (which may receive a fee), stockholders, or other persons. Such candidates are evaluated at regular or special meetings of our Board of Directors, and may be considered at any point during the year. As described above, the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee will consider all properly submitted stockholder nominations for candidates for the board on the same basis as director-nominated candidates.

Board Committee Structure and Responsibilities

Our Board of Directors has three standing committees to assist it in the discharge of its responsibilities: an Audit Committee; a Compensation Committee; and a Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee. Each of these committees is described below.

Audit Committee. The Audit Committee is directly responsible for the appointment, compensation, retention, and oversight of our public accountants (including resolution of disagreements between management and the public accountants regarding financial reporting) subject, if applicable, to stockholder ratification of the public accountants appointment, for the purpose of preparing or issuing an audit report or performing other audit, review, or attest services for us. The Audit Committee approves all audit engagement fees and terms and all non-audit engagements with the public accountants as required by applicable law and the requirements of NASDAQ. In connection with its duties, the Audit Committee regularly meets privately with our independent public accountants. The Audit Committee has adopted a policy for the receipt, retention, and treatment of complaints or concerns regarding accounting-related matters. See *Communications with the Board* on page 15. The Audit Committee reviews and reassesses the adequacy of its charter annually. The Audit Committee charter is available on our website, at www.Mattersight.com. A copy of the Audit Committee charter may also be obtained by sending a written request to the Corporate Secretary at Mattersight Corporation, 200 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 820, Chicago, Illinois 60606.

The Audit Committee, which met nine times during fiscal year 2013, currently has four members: Mr. Staley, who serves as Chairman, and Messrs. Murray, Mullen, and Kohler. Our Board of Directors has determined that each of Messrs. Kohler, Mullen, and Staley qualifies as an audit committee financial expert , as that term is defined in the SEC rules adopted pursuant to the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, and that Mr. Murray meets the financial literacy requirements of NASDAQ. Our Board of Directors has determined that, as required by NASDAQ rules, each of the members of our Audit Committee meets both the Security and Exchange Commission s independence requirements and NASDAQ s independence standards.

The Report of the Audit Committee appears later in this Proxy Statement on page 31.

Compensation Committee. The Compensation Committee, which met nine times during fiscal year 2013, currently has four members: Mr. Kohler, who serves as Chairman, and Messrs. Coxe, Dur, and Feinberg. Mr. Dur joined the Compensation Committee as of January 1, 2014. Our Board of Directors has determined that, as required by NASDAQ rules, each of the members of our Compensation Committee meets both the Security and Exchange Commission s independence requirements and NASDAQ s independence standards. The Compensation Committee administers the Mattersight Corporation 1999 Stock Incentive Plan, as amended and restated as of May 15, 2008 (the 1999 Plan), reviews and acts with respect to stock incentive and other employee benefit plans, approves or makes recommendations to our Board of Directors with respect to the salary and annual incentive compensation of, and equity awards for, our executive officers, and assesses the risk associated with our material incentive compensation programs. In administering the 1999 Plan, the Compensation Committee may delegate certain of its duties to one or more of our officers as permitted by law and to the extent otherwise consistent with the terms of the 1999 Plan. The Compensation Committee has not engaged a compensation consultant. Compensation for senior executives is determined by the Compensation Committee after analyzing the Company s performance against its established goals and the performance of the applicable executive, based on recommendations of our Chief Executive Officer (except with respect to his own compensation). The Compensation Committee operates under a written charter, which was adopted by our Board of Directors in February 2011. The Compensation Committee reviews and reassesses the adequacy of its charter annually. The Compensation Committee charter is available on our website, at www.Mattersight.com. A copy of the Compensation Committee charter may also be obtained by sending a written request to the Corporate Secretary at Mattersight Corporation, 200 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 820, Chicago, Illinois 60606.

Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee. The Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee, which met three times in 2013, currently has three members: Mr. Murray, who serves as Chairman, and Messrs. Coxe and Dur. Our Board of Directors has determined that, as required by NASDAQ rules, each of the members of our Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee meets both the Security and Exchange Commission s independence requirements and NASDAQ s independence standards. The Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee is directly responsible for considering, reporting, and making recommendations to our Board of Directors on matters relating to the selection and qualification of directors and candidates nominated to serve as directors, as well as other matters relating to the duties of the Board of Directors, the operation of the Board of Directors, and corporate governance. The Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee reviews and reassesses the adequacy of its charter annually. The Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee charter is available on our website, at www.Mattersight.com. A copy of the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee charter may also be obtained by sending a written request to the Corporate Secretary at Mattersight Corporation, 200 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 820, Chicago, Illinois 60606.

Communications with the Board

Stockholders wishing to communicate with our Board of Directors, any individual director, the Non-Employee Directors, or the Audit Committee may do so by writing to the Corporate Secretary at Mattersight Corporation, 200 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 820, Chicago, Illinois 60606. The Corporate Secretary will forward any communications as directed by the stockholder. Mattersight maintains a separate, internal system for the receipt of confidential communications from employees.

Code of Ethics

Mattersight has adopted a Code of Ethical Business Conduct, which sets the standard for ethics and compliance for all of its employees, officers, and directors. The Code of Ethical Business Conduct was amended in May 2012. The Code of Ethical Business Conduct is available on Mattersight s website, at www.Mattersight.com. A copy of the Code of Ethical Business Conduct may also be obtained by sending a written request to the Corporate Secretary at Mattersight Corporation, 200 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 820, Chicago, Illinois 60606.

Transactions with Related Persons

Mattersight s Code of Ethical Business Conduct requires that all business transactions be at arms length, negotiated in good faith, and based on merit alone. All Mattersight employees and directors are expected to observe high ethical standards in the performance of their duties and to observe all laws and regulations governing their business transactions and practices. If a situation arises that would constitute a related-party transaction as defined in applicable rules promulgated by the SEC, then the independent directors will review the propriety of, and approve or disapprove, such transaction.

In addition to the cash and equity compensation arrangements of our directors and executive officers discussed herein, the following is a description of our fiscal year 2013 related-party transactions, as defined in the applicable rules promulgated by the SEC.

On November 26, 2013, we entered into a Common Stock Purchase Agreement (the Purchase Agreement) with certain accredited investors (the Purchasers) to sell and issue to the Purchasers an aggregate of approximately 1,538,462 shares (the Shares) of the Company s Common Stock, at a price of \$3.90 per share (the Private Placement), for an aggregate purchase price of approximately \$6 million. Upon closing the Private Placement , we received approximately \$5.7 million, net of selling commissions and transaction-related expenses, including approximately (i) \$1.5 million from Sutter Hill Ventures, a 5% holder of our Common Stock at the time of the Private Placement, of which Mr. Coxe, the Chairman of our Board of Directors, is a managing director of its general partner; (ii) \$600,000 from IGC Fund VI, LP, a 5% holder of our common stock at the time of the Private Placement, of which Mr. Dur, member of our Board of Directors, is a Managing Director of its affiliate, Investor Growth Capital; and (iii) \$290,000 from Michael J. Murray, member of our Board of Directors. Pursuant to the terms of the Purchase Agreement, the Company filed within 30 days after the closing of the Private Placement a registration statement with the SEC to register for resale the Shares of Common Stock issued in connection with the Private Placement. The registration statement was declared effective on February 6, 2014.

On November 11, 2013, our Board of Directors formed a Special Committee to review, evaluate, and negotiate the agreement for the Private Placement. Our Board of Directors determined to designate the Special Committee because the group of investors, as described above, included certain directors and their affiliates. The members of the Special Committee, Messrs. Mullen, Feinberg, Kohler, and Staley, with Mr. Mullen serving as Chairman, were disinterested directors who did not participate, directly or indirectly, in the Private Placement.

Section 16(a) Beneficial Ownership Reporting Compliance

Section 16(a) of the Exchange Act requires Mattersight s directors and executive officers, as well as any persons who beneficially own more than 10% of our Common Stock, to file with the SEC initial reports and reports of changes in beneficial ownership of such stock. Persons subject to Section 16 are required by SEC regulations to furnish Mattersight with copies of all Section 16(a) reports that they file.

Based on its review of copies of such reports filed through or furnished to Mattersight and on written representations from certain reporting persons that no other reports were required, Mattersight believes that all required Section 16(a) reports filed during or for fiscal year 2013 with respect to persons who were subject to Section 16(a) reporting obligations during such period were filed on a timely basis, except that the sales by Mr. Conway of 13,884 shares of Common Stock on September 6, 2013 and 4,316 shares of Common Stock on September 11, 2013 were each reported late on a Form 4 filed with the SEC on September 16, 2013, and the grant to Mr. Gustafson of options to purchase 30,000 shares of Common Stock on November 6, 2013 was reported late on a Form 4 filed with the SEC on November 12, 2013.

DIRECTOR COMPENSATION

Meeting Attendance Fees

As approved by the Compensation Committee, during Mattersight s fiscal year ended December 31, 2013, each Non-Employee Director received a fixed annual fee, the amount of which was calculated for each director based on the following assumptions:

\$1,500 per board meeting (assuming four per year) plus an additional \$500 per meeting for the Chairman of Board;

\$2,000 per Audit Committee meeting (assuming eight per year) plus an additional \$500 per meeting for the Audit Committee chairman;

\$2,000 per Compensation Committee meeting (assuming four per year) plus an additional \$500 per meeting for the Compensation Committee chairman; and

\$2,000 per Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee meeting (assuming three per year) plus an additional \$500 per meeting for the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee chairman.

The members of the Special Committee formed in connection with the Private Placement discussed on page 15 above under the caption *Transactions with Related Persons* each received \$750 for each meeting of the Special Committee held in 2013. The Company also reimburses directors for their travel-related expenses incurred in attending meetings of the Board of Directors and its committees; however, Mattersight has adopted the practice of holding meetings of the Board of Directors and its conference, thereby minimizing reimbursements for these expenses.

Initial Grant and Annual Grants

In addition to meeting fees, Non-Employee Directors are eligible to receive automatic grants of stock options under the 1999 Plan. As amended in November 2012, the 1999 Plan provides for each Non-Employee Director to receive: (i) an option to purchase 50,000 shares of Common Stock upon commencement of service as a director (an Initial Grant); and (ii) an option to purchase 10,000 shares of Common Stock on the day after each annual meeting of stockholders during which such service continues (an Annual Grant). Stock options granted to Non-Employee Directors have an exercise price per share equal to the fair market value of a share of Common Stock on the grant date and a maximum term of ten years. Each Initial Grant vests ratably over a period of 48 months from the end of the month following the grant date. Each Annual Grant vests over a period of 48 months, commencing with a vesting of 25% on May 31st of the year following the grant date and 6.25% on each quarterly vesting date thereafter.

In addition to the Initial Grant and the Annual Grant, at its February 2009 meeting, as ratified by unanimous written consent, the Board of Directors agreed to grant each of the then-current Non-Employee Directors an option to purchase 50,000 shares of Common Stock under the 1999 Plan. These stock options, which are fully vested, have an exercise price per share equal to the fair market value of a share of Common Stock on the grant date, which was February 18, 2009, and a maximum term of ten years.

2013 Director Compensation

The following table summarizes the meeting fees earned by and options awarded to our Non-Employee Directors during 2013 for their service as members of our Board of Directors.

Name	Fees Earned	Option Awards (1)	Total
Tench Coxe	\$22,000	\$22,695	\$44,695
Philip R. Dur	\$12,000	\$22,695	\$34,695

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Henry J. Feinberg	\$16,250	\$22,695	\$38,945
John T. Kohler	\$34,250	\$22,695	\$56,945
David B. Mullen	\$24,250	\$22,695	\$46,945
Michael J. Murray	\$29,500	\$22,695	\$52,195
John C. Staley	\$28,250	\$22,695	\$50,945

(1) Reflects the grant date fair value of the options granted during 2013, which was computed in accordance with FASB Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) 718. The assumptions used with respect to the valuation of option grants are set forth in our Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2013 under *Mattersight Corporation Consolidated Financial Statements* Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements Note Thirteen Stock-Based Compensation.

The aggregate number of stock options outstanding for each Non-Employee Director as of December 31, 2013 is:

	Outstandin	Outstanding Options	
Name	Vested	Unvested	
Tench Coxe	77,975	15,625	
Philip R. Dur	25,765	36,277	
Henry J. Feinberg	119,375	15,625	
John T. Kohler	77,975	15,625	
David B. Mullen	60,375	15,625	
Michael J. Murray	87,677	15,625	
John C. Staley	77,975	15,625	

SECURITY OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN BENEFICIAL OWNERS AND MANAGEMENT

The following table sets forth the most recent information reflected in Mattersight s records regarding beneficial ownership of the Company s Common Stock and Series B Stock (as beneficial ownership is determined for purposes of Rule 13d-3 under the Exchange Act) as of March 17, 2014, except as otherwise indicated, by: (i) each person or group that beneficially owns more than 5% of the outstanding shares of Series B Stock or Common Stock; (ii) each of Messrs. Conway, Danson, and Gustafson (the 2013 Named Executive Officers of Mattersight); (iii) each of the directors of Mattersight; and (iv) all current executive officers and directors of Mattersight as a group. Series B Stock generally votes with Common Stock as a single class. Except as otherwise indicated below, each owner has sole voting and investment power with respect to all shares listed as beneficially owned. The applicable percentage of beneficial ownership is based on 1,649,122 shares of Series B Stock outstanding as of March 17, 2014 and 19,065,728 shares of Common Stock outstanding as of March 17, 2014. Unless otherwise indicated, the address of each of the beneficial owners identified below is c/o Mattersight Corporation, 200 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 820, Chicago, Illinois, 60606.

	Common S	tock	Series B S	Stock	
	Amount and		Amount		Percent of
	Nature of Beneficial	Percent of	and Nature of Beneficial	Percent of	Total Voting
Name and Address of Beneficial Owner	Ownership ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾	Class ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾	Ownership	Class	Power ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾
Tench Coxe and various entities affiliated with Sutter Hill Ventures c/o Sutter Hill Ventures	5,466,603 ⁽¹⁾⁽⁴⁾	26.8%	1,304,098 ⁽⁵⁾	79.1%	26.4%
755 Page Mill Road, Suite A-200					
Palo Alto, CA 94304					
Investor Growth Capital, LLC	2,518,055(6)	13.2%			12.2%
One Rockefeller Plaza, Suite 2801					
New York, New York 10020	1 200 200(1)	6.00	2.962	*	6.00
Kelly D. Conway	1,298,299(1)	6.8%	3,862	*	6.3%
Peninsula Capital Management, LP, Peninsula Fund, Ltd., and Scott Bedford	1,178,587 ⁽⁷⁾	6.2%			5.7%
235 Pine Street, Suite 1600	1,170,307	0.2%			5.170
255 The bireet, but 1000					
San Francisco, CA 94104					
Peter Schleider	$1,008,000^{(8)}$	5.3%			4.9%
RKB Capital LP					
11761 Welters Way					
Eden Prairie, MN 55347					
Michael J. Murray	503,012 ⁽¹⁾	2.6%	23,243	1.4%	2.4%
Christopher J. Danson	347,356 ⁽¹⁾	1.8%	2,356	*	1.7%
David R. Gustafson	173,949 ⁽¹⁾	*			*
John C. Staley	143,432 ⁽¹⁾	*			*
Henry J. Feinberg	122,241 ⁽¹⁾	*			*
John T. Kohler	80,314 ⁽¹⁾	*			*
David B. Mullen	69,314 ⁽¹⁾	*			*
Philip R. Dur	30,060 ⁽¹⁾	*			不
All current directors and executive officers as a group (13	7 122 052	35.6%	962,230	58.4%	34.4%
individuals)	7,123,952	33.0%	902,230	38.4%	34.4%

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* Less than 1%

(1) Includes shares of Common Stock that may be acquired on or within 60 days after March 17, 2014 through the exercise of stock options outstanding as of such date, as follows: Mr. Coxe, 78,914 shares; Mr. Dur, 30,060 shares; Mr. Kohler, 78,914 shares; Mr. Feinberg, 120,314 shares; Mr. Mullen, 61,314 shares; Mr. Murray, 88,616 shares; Mr. Staley, 78,914 shares; Mr. Conway, 428,125 shares; Mr. Danson, 152,187 shares; Mr. Gustafson, 25,312 shares; and all current directors and executive officers of Mattersight as a group, 1,220,732 shares. With respect to each of these individuals and such group, the individual s or such group s respective shares have been deemed to be outstanding in computing the percent of class in the preceding table.

- (2) Includes shares of Common Stock that may be acquired within 60 days after March 17, 2014 through exercise of the conversion feature associated with the shares of Series B Stock held by such person or group, in the amounts reflected for such person or group in the preceding table under the heading Series B Stock. With respect to each of these individuals and such group, the individual s or such group s respective shares have been deemed to be outstanding in computing the percent of class in the preceding table.
- (3) Represents the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock and Series B Stock held by each of these persons and such group as a percentage of the aggregate number of issued and outstanding shares of Common Stock and Series B Stock, respectively.
- (4)Mr. Coxe is a managing director of the general partner of each of Sutter Hill Ventures, A California Limited Partnership, Sutter Hill Entrepreneurs Fund (AI), L.P., and Sutter Hill Entrepreneurs Fund (QP), L.P., which hold of record 2,443,889 shares, 5,853 shares, and 14,847 shares, respectively, of Common Stock. In such capacity, Mr. Coxe is deemed to share, with each of the managing directors named below, voting and investment power over all shares of Common Stock held of record by such partnerships. In addition, this amount also includes 57,294 shares and 78,914 options to purchase Common Stock held by Mr. Coxe (Mr. Coxe shares pecuniary interest in these shares with other individuals pursuant to a contractual relationship); 325,996 shares held in The Coxe Revocable Trust, of which Mr. Coxe is a trustee; 26,947 shares held by a retirement trust for the benefit of Mr. Coxe; and 237,033 shares held by Rooster Partners, LP of which Mr. Coxe is a trustee of a trust which is the general partner. Mr. Coxe disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares held by such limited partnerships and trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 39,548 shares held in The Anderson Living Trust of which David L. Anderson is the trustee, 72,453 shares held by Acrux Partners, LP of which Mr. Anderson is the trustee of a trust which is the general partner, 41,389 shares held by Anvest, L.P. of which Mr. Anderson is the trustee of a trust which is the general partner, 1,597 shares held by Starfish Holdings, LP of which Mr. Anderson is the trustee of a trust which is the general partner, and 13,100 shares held by a retirement trust for the benefit of Mr. Anderson. Mr. Anderson disclaims beneficial ownership of the living trust s and the limited partnerships shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 103,860 shares held in The Baker Revocable Trust of which G. Leonard Baker, Jr. is a trustee and 85,838 shares held by Saunders Holdings, L.P. of which Mr. Baker is a trustee of a trust which is the general partner and 7,981 shares held in a Roth IRA account for the benefit of Mr. Baker. Mr. Baker disclaims beneficial ownership of the trust s and the limited partnership s shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 99,122 shares held in The William H. Younger, Jr. Revocable Trust of which William H. Younger, Jr. is the trustee, 19,759 shares held by a retirement trust for the benefit of Mr. Younger, and 110,205 shares held by Yovest, L.P. of which Mr. Younger is the trustee of a trust which is the general partner. Mr. Younger disclaims beneficial ownership of the revocable trust s and the limited partnership s shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 1,671 shares owned by James C. Gaither individually, 42,239 shares held in The Gaither Revocable Trust of which Mr. Gaither is the trustee, and 2,533 shares held by Tallack Partners, L.P. of which Mr. Gaither is the trustee of a trust which is the general partner. Mr. Gaither disclaims beneficial ownership of the trust s and the limited partnership s shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 128,543 shares held in The White Revocable Trust of which James N. White is a trustee and 10,188 shares held by a retirement trust and 6,000 shares held in a Roth IRA account for the benefit of Mr. White. Mr. White disclaims beneficial ownership of the family trust s shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 22,081 shares held in the Jeffrey W. and Christina R. Bird Trust of which Jeffrey W. Bird is a trustee and 92,368 shares held by NestEgg Holdings, LP of which Mr. Bird is a trustee of a trust which is the general partner. Mr. Bird disclaims beneficial ownership of the trust s and the partnership s shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 27,986 shares held in The David and Robin Sweet Living Trust of which David E. Sweet is a trustee and 9,158 shares held by a retirement trust for the benefit of Mr. Sweet. Mr. Sweet disclaims beneficial ownership of the living trust s hares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 17,768 shares held in the Sheehan 2003 Trust of which Andrew T. Sheehan is a trustee. Mr. Sheehan disclaims beneficial ownership of the trust s shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 8,709 shares held in the Speiser Trust Agreement of which Michael L. Speiser is a trustee. Mr. Speiser disclaims beneficial ownership of the trust agreement s shares except as to his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 3,818 shares held in the Dyckerhoff 2001 Revocable Trust Dated August 30, 2001 of which Mr. Dyckerhoff is a trustee. Mr. Dyckerhoff disclaims beneficial ownership of the trust agreement s shares except as to his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 3,818 shares held in the Pullara Revocable Trust U/A/D 8/21/13 of which Mr. Pullara is a trustee. Mr. Pullara disclaims beneficial ownership of the trust s shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

- Sutter Hill Ventures, A California Limited Partnership, Sutter Hill Entrepreneurs Fund (AI), L.P., and Sutter Hill Entrepreneurs Fund (5) (QP), L.P. hold of record 735,514 shares, 8,854 shares, and 22,418 shares, respectively, of Series B Stock. Mr. Coxe is a managing director of the general partner of each of these entities. In such capacity, Mr. Coxe is deemed to share, with each of the managing directors named below, voting and investment power over all shares of Series B Stock held of record by such partnerships. Also includes 165,983 shares held in The Coxe Revocable Trust of which Mr. Coxe and his spouse are trustees and as to which each has voting and investment power. Mr. Coxe disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares held by such limited partnerships and trust except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 5,150 shares held in The Anderson Living Trust of which David L. Anderson is the trustee, 42,309 held by Acrux Partners, LP of which Mr. Anderson is the trustee of a trust which is the general partner, 28,020 shares held by Anvest, L.P. of which Mr. Anderson is the trustee of a trust which is the general partner, and 4,559 shares held by a retirement trust for the benefit of Mr. Anderson. Mr. Anderson disclaims beneficial ownership of the living trust s and the limited partnerships shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 24,109 shares held in The Baker Revocable Trust of which G. Leonard Baker, Jr. is a trustee and 59,103 shares are held by Saunders Holdings, L.P. of which Mr. Baker is a trustee of a trust which is the general partner. Mr. Baker disclaims beneficial ownership of the trust s and the limited partnership s shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 88,267 shares held in The William H. Younger, Jr. Revocable Trust of which William H. Younger, Jr. is the trustee. Mr. Younger disclaims beneficial ownership of the revocable trust s shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 10,092 shares owned by James C. Gaither individually and 7,663 shares held in The Gaither Revocable Trust of which Mr. Gaither is the trustee. Mr. Gaither disclaims beneficial ownership of the trust s hares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 48,979 shares held in The White Family Revocable Trust of which James N. White is a trustee. Mr. White disclaims beneficial ownership of the trust s shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 31,847 shares held in the Jeffrey W. and Christina R. Bird Trust of which Jeffrey W. Bird is a trustee. Mr. Bird disclaims beneficial ownership of the trust s hares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 16,660 shares held in The David and Robin Sweet Living Trust of which David E. Sweet is a trustee. Mr. Sweet disclaims beneficial ownership of the living trust s hares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 2,717 shares held in the Sheehan 2003 Trust of which Andrew T. Sheehan is a trustee. Mr. Sheehan disclaims beneficial ownership of the trust s shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Includes 1,854 shares held in the Speiser Trust Agreement of which Michael L. Speiser is a trustee. Mr. Speiser disclaims beneficial ownership of the trust agreement s shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (6) This information has been derived from a Form 4 filed with the SEC on December 2, 2013 with respect to Common Stock beneficially owned as of such date. Based on the information contained therein, Investor Growth Capital, LLC (IGC), a Delaware limited liability company, possesses the sole power to vote and the sole power to direct the disposition of the 2,518,055 shares of Common Stock held in the name of IGC Fund VI, L.P., a fund affiliated with IGC. An agent retained by an affiliate of IGC, Mr. Philip R. Dur, is a member of the Board of Directors of the Company. Mr. Dur (i) holds securities of the Company as set forth in the table above and (ii) separately files statements pursuant to Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act with respect to such securities. IGC disclaims group membership with Mr. Dur for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Securities Exchange Act, or for any other purposes.
- (7) This information, which is not within the direct knowledge of Mattersight, has been derived from a Schedule SC 13G/A filed with the SEC on January 29, 2014 with respect to Common Stock beneficially owned as of December 31, 2013. Based on the information contained therein, Peninsula Capital Management, LP, Peninsula Master Ltd., and its affiliate, Scott Bedford, beneficially own and share voting and investment power with respect to 1,178,587 shares of Common Stock. As of October 31, 2013, Peninsula Master Fund, Ltd. transferred all of the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Peninsula Master Fund, Ltd. to Peninsula Fund, L.P.
- (8) This information, which is not within the direct knowledge of Mattersight, has been derived from a Schedule 13G filed with the SEC on February 13, 2014 with respect to Common Stock beneficially owned as of such date. Based on the information contained therein, Peter Schleider has sole voting power with respect to 1,008,000 shares of Common Stock.

INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any of our other filings under the Exchange Act or the Securities Act, before or after the date of this Proxy Statement, that incorporate future SEC filings made by us, none of the information under the *Report of the Audit Committee* contained herein will be incorporated by reference into any of our other filings with the SEC and shall not be deemed to be Soliciting Material under SEC rules. In addition, this Proxy Statement includes several website addresses, which are intended to provide inactive, textual references only. The information on these websites is not part of this Proxy Statement.

COMPENSATION CONSULTANTS

Under its charter, the Compensation Committee has the resources and authority appropriate to discharge its duties and responsibilities, including the authority to select, retain, terminate, and approve the fees and other retention terms of special counsel or other experts or consultants, as it deems appropriate, without seeking approval of the Board of Directors or management. The Compensation Committee may, at its discretion, also review the choice of any consultants or other experts recommended by management for the purpose of reviewing executive compensation. Authority to select, retain, terminate, and approve the fees and other retention terms of any compensation consultants retained to assist in the evaluation of director, CEO, or senior executive compensation shall be vested solely in the Compensation Committee. The Compensation Committee has not engaged a compensation consultant.

EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

2013 Summary Compensation Table⁽¹⁾

The following table sets forth information regarding 2012 and 2013 compensation for each of our 2013 Named Executive Officers.

Name and Principal					Non-Equity Incentive		
Position Kelly D. Conway President and Chief	Year 2013 2012	Salary⁽³⁾ \$300,000 \$300,000	Stock Awards⁽⁵⁾ \$149,629	Option Awards ⁽⁶⁾ \$279,660 \$1,034,100	Plan Compensation ⁽⁴ Co \$142,500	All Other ompensation ⁽⁷⁾ \$3,594	Total \$871,789 \$1,337,694
Executive Officer Christopher J. Danson Executive Vice President of Delivery	2013 2012	\$275,000 \$275,000	\$157,503	\$139,830 \$396,405	\$150,000	\$3,594	\$722,333 \$674,999
David R. Gustafson ⁽²⁾ Executive Vice President of Products and Marketing	2013 2012	\$275,000 \$230,000	\$144,378 \$144,750	\$156,822 \$86,175	\$137,500	\$3,459	\$713,700 \$464,384

- (1) For a description of the employment agreements entered into between Mattersight and each of the current Named Executive Officers, see *Employment Agreements* on page 25.
- (2) Effective July 1, 2013, Mr. Gustafson s title was changed from Vice President of Marketing and Product Management to Executive Vice President of Products and Marketing.
- (3) In connection with the Salary Replacement Program, the Named Executive Officers were granted part of their 2013 salary in the form of shares of Common Stock. This column includes the value of shares granted to the Named Executive Officers in lieu of salary through the end of the applicable year. As reported above, in 2013 and 2012, base salary accounted for approximately 34% and 22%, respectively, of total compensation for Mr. Conway, and 43% and 34%, respectively, on average for the other Named Executive Officers.
- (4) Amounts of bonuses have been characterized as non-equity incentive plan compensation because determination of awards in each of 2013 and 2012 was based on level of attainment of pre-established Company goals.
- (5) Reflects the grant date fair value of the stock awards granted to Named Executive Officers in each applicable year, which was computed in accordance with FASB ASC 718. The assumptions used with respect to the valuation of stock grants are set forth in Mattersight s Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2013 under Mattersight Corporation Consolidated Financial Statements Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements Note Two Summary of Significant Accounting Policies Stock-Based Compensation. 2013 bonus awards, which were paid in March 2014, were paid 50% in cash and 50% in the form of a grant of shares of Common Stock, which portion was then increased by 5%. This column includes the value of shares of Common Stock granted to the Named Executive Officers in respect of their 2013 bonuses.
- (6) Reflects the grant date fair value of the options granted during 2013 to the applicable Named Executive Officers, which was computed in accordance with FASB ASC 718. The assumptions used with respect to the valuation of option grants are set forth in Mattersight s Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2013 under Mattersight Corporation Consolidated Financial Statements Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements Note Thirteen Stock-Based Compensation.
- (7) This column reflects employer contributions to a Mattersight qualified defined contribution plan. Employer contributions were suspended for 2013.

2013 Awards

In March 2013, the following equity awards to the Named Executive Officers were approved by the Compensation Committee:

Name	Restricted Stock Award	Option Award
Kelly D. Conway	13,000 shares	100,000 shares
Christopher J. Danson	16,000 shares	50,000 shares
David R. Gustafson	12,000 shares	30,000 shares

The Compensation Committee, based on the recommendation of Mr. Conway (other than with respect to his own award), approved the equity awards for each Named Executive Officer, based upon a subjective assessment that such levels reflected the experience and responsibility levels of the officers and were sufficient to retain the officers. The grants of restricted stock awarded to the Named Executive Officers will vest in their entirety on January 1, 2015, subject to continued employment, and the option grants awarded to the Named Executive Officers will vest on an equal quarterly basis over 16 quarters, with the first vesting having occurred on May 31, 2013.

In February 2014, the following incentive compensation awards to the Named Executive Officers were approved by the Compensation Committee in respect of 2013 performance:

Name	Award
Kelly D. Conway	\$285,000
Christopher J. Danson	\$300,000
David R. Gustafson	\$275,000

The Compensation Committee approved the payment of these incentive compensation awards 50% in cash and 50% in the form of a grant of shares of Common Stock, which portion was then increased by 5%. These incentive awards were based on two factors: (i) the target bonus amount of each Named Executive Officer, as established in his employment agreement or as otherwise established by Mr. Conway and approved by the Compensation Committee and (ii) the Compensation Committee s assessment of the performance by the Company against established performance goals for 2013. The actual amount of each such award was determined by (a) assigning a percentage of each individual s target bonus amount to each of the assigned performance goals, to derive a dollar amount associated with the goal, (b) multiplying the dollar amount associated with each performance goal by the approved payout percentage, which was determined based on the percentage attainment of the goal, to derive the actual dollar amount associated with such performance goal, and (c) calculating the total bonus by adding together each of the amounts derived pursuant to the preceding clause.

Goal and Assigned Percentage	Performance Measure	Company Performance	% Attainment	% Payout
Revenues (30%)	Revenues of \$35 million for 50% payout, \$36 million for 100% payout, and \$37 million for 200% payout.	Revenues were \$34.2 million.	<50%	0%
Adjusted EBITDA (20%)	Adjusted Earnings of (\$3.3 million) for 50% payout; (\$2.6 million) for 100% payout; and (\$1.5 million) for 200% payout.	Adjusted Earnings were (\$.8 million).	>200%	200%
ACV Bookings (20%)	Annual Contract Value (ACV) Bookings of \$6.4 million for 50% payout, \$9.6 million for 100% payout, and \$12.8 million for 200% payout.	ACV Bookings were \$11.9 million.	173%	100%
New Pilots (10%)			>200%	200%

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	20 new Pilot contracts for 50% payout, 30 new Pilot contracts for 100% payout, and 40 new Pilot contracts for 200% payout.	The Company executed contracts for 52 new pilots.		
Discretionary (20%)	Individual performance to be evaluated by the Compensation Committee based on recommendations of Mr. Conway, except with respect to his own performance.	Each of the Named Executive Officers was awarded 100% except for Mr. Conway, who was awarded 75%.	75%-100%	75%-100%

Employment Agreements

Mattersight has entered into employment agreements with each of the Named Executive Officers. The material terms of such agreements are summarized in the following paragraphs.

Employment Agreement with Mr. Conway

Under his executive employment agreement, Mr. Conway s annual base salary is set at \$300,000, subject to annual review and discretionary adjustment. At a special meeting of the Compensation Committee held in November 2013, Mr. Conway s base salary was increased commencing January 1, 2014 to \$330,000. In addition to base salary, he is eligible to participate in our other compensation programs, including annual bonus, equity incentive awards, and other employee benefit programs. Mr. Conway s agreement does not specify a term of employment and states that he is an employee at will. His employment agreement provides that we may terminate his employment at any time, with or without Cause (as defined in the agreement), and that Mr. Conway may terminate his employment with or without Good Reason (as defined in the agreement).

The severance and other benefits payable upon termination of Mr. Conway s employment by us without Cause, by Mr. Conway for Good Reason, in connection with a Change in Control, or upon Mr. Conway s death or Disability (as defined in the a