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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BEAUDOIN THOMAS L						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Cerence Inc. [ CRNC ]											nip of Reporting Person(s) to oplicable) ector 109		on(s) to Is	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 15 WAYSIDE ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/16/2019										Office	er (give title v)	Other (specify below)			
(Street) BURLIN (City)	GTON M		)1803 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								. Indivi ine) X	Form	or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable in filed by One Reporting Person in filed by More than One Reporting son				
		Tabl	e I - Nor	า-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quire	d, Di	sposed c	f, or	Bene	efici	ally (	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D				Execution Date,		Cod	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (In Code (Instr. 5)					nd	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
									Cod	le V	Amount	(A) or (D)		Price	, I	Transa	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(111501.4)
Common stock <sup>(1)</sup>														1,524			D			
Common stock 10/16			6/2019	/2019				2)	16,28	16,286		\$	\$0		17,810		D			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		Expira	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrand 4)  Amount or Numbor				9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	vnership rm: rect (D) Indirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. On October 1, 2019, Nuance Communications, Inc. ("Nuance") made a pro rata distribution to Nuance's stockholders of record as of 5:00 p.m. New York City time on September 17, 2019 of one share of Cerence Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Cerence"), for every eight shares of Nuance common stock, par value \$0.001 per share, held by each holder to effect the legal and structural separation of Cerence from Nuance. The reporting person received a distribution from Nuance of 1,524 shares of Cerence common stock.

2. Grant of restricted stock units that will vest 33% per year on the anniversary date.

/s/ Leanne Fitzgerald, attorney-10/18/2019

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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