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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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|---------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Pe<br>CUMINALE JAMES W | 2. Issuer Name a<br>PJT Partners In |                                                                                  | or Tr | ading Syn   | nbol                                                                    | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)<br>Director 10% Owner                                                    |                    |                                                                                    |                                                |                                        |  |
| (Last) (First)<br>C/O PJT PARTNERS INC., 28<br>AVENUE   | (Middle)<br>80 PARK                 | 5. Date of Earliest Hansaction (Wonth Day) Fear                                  |       |             |                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                     |                    | X_Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) General Counsel                 |                                                |                                        |  |
| (Street)<br>NEW YORK, NY 10017                          | 4. If Amendment,                    | Date Origi                                                                       | nal F | iled(Month/ | Day/Ye                                                                  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)<br>_X_Form filed by One Reporting Person<br>Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |                    |                                                                                    |                                                |                                        |  |
| (City) (State)                                          | (Zip)                               | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |       |             |                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                     |                    |                                                                                    |                                                |                                        |  |
| 1.Title of Security<br>(Instr. 3)                       |                                     | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any                                          |       | tion        | 4. Securities Acquired<br>(A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |                                                                                                                                                     |                    | 5. Amount of Securities<br>Beneficially Owned Following<br>Reported Transaction(s) | 6.<br>Ownership<br>Form:                       | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial |  |
|                                                         |                                     | (Month/Day/Year)                                                                 | Code  | v           | Amount                                                                  | (A)<br>or<br>(D)                                                                                                                                    | Price              | (Instr. 3 and 4)                                                                   | Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)                |  |
| Class A Common Stock                                    | 03/06/2018                          |                                                                                  | S     |             | 2,816                                                                   | D                                                                                                                                                   | \$<br>48.05<br>(1) | 49,502                                                                             | D                                              |                                        |  |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |             |                  |                    |            |    |        |         |              |            |        |         |             |                |             |             |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|------------------|--------------------|------------|----|--------|---------|--------------|------------|--------|---------|-------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|
| 1. Title of                                                    | 2.          | 3. Transaction   | 3A. Deemed         | 4.         |    | 5.     |         | 6. Date Exer | cisable    | 7. Tit | le and  | 8. Price of | 9. Number of   | 10.         | 11. Nature  |
| Derivative                                                     | Conversion  | Date             | Execution Date, if | Transactio | on | Numl   | ber     | and Expirati | on Date    | Amou   | unt of  | Derivative  | Derivative     | Ownership   | of Indirect |
| Security                                                       | or Exercise | (Month/Day/Year) | any                | Code       |    | of     |         | (Month/Day   | /Year)     | Unde   | rlying  | Security    | Securities     | Form of     | Beneficial  |
| (Instr. 3)                                                     | Price of    |                  | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8) |    | Deriv  | ative   |              |            | Secur  | rities  | (Instr. 5)  | Beneficially   | Derivative  | Ownership   |
|                                                                | Derivative  |                  |                    |            |    | Secur  |         |              |            | (Instr | . 3 and |             | Owned          | Security:   | (Instr. 4)  |
|                                                                | Security    |                  |                    |            |    | Acqu   |         |              |            | 4)     |         |             | 0              | Direct (D)  |             |
|                                                                |             |                  |                    |            |    | (A) 0  |         |              |            |        |         |             | 1              | or Indirect |             |
|                                                                |             |                  |                    |            |    | Dispo  |         |              |            |        |         |             | Transaction(s) | < / <       |             |
|                                                                |             |                  |                    |            |    | of (D  |         |              |            |        |         |             | (Instr. 4)     | (Instr. 4)  |             |
|                                                                |             |                  |                    |            |    | (Instr | · · · · |              |            |        |         |             |                |             |             |
|                                                                |             |                  |                    |            |    | 4, and | 15)     |              |            |        |         |             |                |             |             |
|                                                                |             |                  |                    |            |    |        |         |              |            |        | Amount  |             |                |             |             |
|                                                                |             |                  |                    |            |    |        |         | Date         | Expiration |        | or      |             |                |             |             |
|                                                                |             |                  |                    |            |    |        |         | Exercisable  |            | Title  | Number  |             |                |             |             |
|                                                                |             |                  |                    |            |    |        |         | Excicisable  | Duit       |        | of      |             |                |             |             |
|                                                                |             |                  |                    | Code       | V  | (A)    | (D)     |              |            |        | Shares  |             |                |             |             |

### **Reporting Owners**

|                                                                                    | Relationships |              |                 |       |  |  |  |  |  |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|-------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name /<br>Address                                                  | Director      | 10%<br>Owner | Officer         | Other |  |  |  |  |  |
| CUMINALE JAMES W<br>C/O PJT PARTNERS INC.<br>280 PARK AVENUE<br>NEW YORK, NY 10017 |               |              | General Counsel |       |  |  |  |  |  |

# Signatures

| /s/Salvatore Rappa, as Attorney-in-Fact | 03/08/2018 |
|-----------------------------------------|------------|
| **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).
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions ranging from \$47.93 to \$48.25, inclusive. The reporting person (1) undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or to the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth above.

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