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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Palas Carald Thomas In		2. Date of Event Red Statement (Month/D 11/22/2013		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GLOBAL PAYMENTS INC [GPN]						
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)			Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner		(N 1	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 11/27/2013		
		_		X Officer (give title below) EVP and CHF	Other (specify below)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)			
(Street) MARIETTA	GA	30064	_		EVF and CFF	W.		X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)								
			Table I - Non	-Derivat	ive Securities Beneficially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)				Amount of Securities eneficially Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
Common Stock				6,250	D					
					e Securities Beneficially Ounts, options, convertible s					
Expiration (Month/Da		2. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye	te	3. Title and Amount of Securities Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	Conve or Exe		(D) or	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
			Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)			
Non-qualified S	Stock Option (R	ight to Buy)	07/31/2009	07/31/2018	Common Stock	1,129	44.29	D		
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)			07/29/2010	07/29/2019	Common Stock	2,198	42.18	D		
Non-qualified S	Stock Option (R	ight to Buy)	07/29/2011(1)	07/29/2020	Common Stock	2,646	37.4	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Of the 2,646 stock options, 661 remain unvested and will vest on 7/29/2014.

/s/ Gerald Thomas Balas, Jr. 12/06/2013

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

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