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**SECURITIES** 

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Donald Yonce 2007 Trust

(First)

(Middle)

Symbol

SolarWinds, Inc. [SWI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2012

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_X\_\_ 10% Owner Director Officer (give title \_ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

FRISCO, TX 75034

32 STONEBRIAR WAY

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ble I - Non	-Derivative	Secur	ities Acquire	ed, Disposed of, o	or Beneficially	Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) of TransactiorDisposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or				Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	,		
Common Stock	12/14/2012		S	26,935	D	\$ 54.2375 (1)	6,965,466	D	
Common Stock	12/17/2012		S	75,129	D	\$ 54.1204 (2)	6,890,337	D	
Common Stock	12/18/2012		S	175,641	D	\$ 54.3927 (3)	6,714,696	D	

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Donald Yonce 2007 Trust
32 STONEBRIAR WAY
FRISCO, TX 75034

# **Signatures**

/s/ Bryan A. Sims, Attorney-In-Fact for Donald C. Yonce, Trustee

12/18/2012

\*\*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).
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$54.00 to \$54.50, inclusive. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares sold and each separate price within the ranges set forth in the footnotes of this form.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$54.00 to \$54.30, inclusive. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares sold and each separate price within the ranges set forth in the footnotes of this form.
- (3) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$54.17 to \$54.50, inclusive. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security

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