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	Address of Reporting S HAROLD C	Person <u>*</u>	Symbol			d Ticker or E/ [VHI]	Tradir	0	5. Relationship of I Issuer			
(Last)	(First) ((Middle)				Fransaction			(Check	all applicable)	
5430 LBJ	FREEWAY, SUI	ГЕ 1700	(Month/ 08/08/2	-	ear)			-	_X_ Director _X_ Officer (give t below) Chairm	itle $\underline{X}_{10\%}$ 10% below) an of the Board	r (specify	
				Anth/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting			
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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	-	ed Date, if	3. Transa Code	actic	4. Securitie opr Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	es Acq d of (I	uired (A)	ired, Disposed of, 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	08/08/2013			Code J <u>(1)</u>	V	Amount 222,814	(D)	Price \$ 18.552 (2)	(Instr. 3 and 4) 2,125,995	Ι	By Contran	
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share									1,851,880	D		
Common stock,									314,033,148	Ι	by VHC	

\$0.01 par value per share			
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	1,100,541	I	by CDCT
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	818,514	I	by Spouse <u>(6)</u>

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
SIMMONS HAROLD C 5430 LBJ FREEWAY, SUITE 1700 DALLAS, TX 75240	Х	Х	Chairman of the Board					
CONTRAN CORP 5430 LBJ FREEWAY, SUITE 1700		Х						

08/08/2013

Date

DALLAS, TX 75240

Signatures

A. Andrew R. Louis, Attorney-in-fact, for Harold C. Simmons

**Signature of Reporting Person Date A. Andrew R. Louis, Secretary, for Contran Corporation 08/08/2013 **Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- Open market purchase by Contran Corporation. See the Additional Information filed as Exhibit 99 to this statement for a description of (1)the relationship between the persons joining in this filing.

The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These acquisitions involved 23 purchases at prices ranging from \$18.1500 to (2) \$19.0000 per share. The reporting persons undertake to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer or the U.S. Security and Exchange Commission, upon request, the full information regarding these purchases.

- Directly held by Contran Corporation. See the Additional Information filed as Exhibit 99 to this statement for a description of the (3) relationship between the persons joining in this filing.
- Directly held by Valhi Holding Company. See the Additional Information filed as Exhibit 99 to this statement for a description of the (4) relationship to the persons joining in this filing.
- Directly owned by the Contran Amended and Restated Deferred Compensation Trust. See the Additional Information filed as Exhibit 99 (5) to this statement for a description of the relationship to the persons joining in this filing.

Directly held by the reporting person's spouse. Mr. Simmons disclaims beneficial ownership of any shares of the issuer's common stock (6) that his spouse holds. See the Additional Information filed as Exhibit 99 to this statement for a description of the relationships to the persons joining in this filing.

Remarks:

Exhibit Index Exhibit 99 - Additional Information

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