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	esponses) dress of Reporting Perso CK RICHARD J	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LADENBURG THALMANN FINANCIAL SERVICES INC [LTS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
	(First) (Middl BURG THALMAN 20 MADISON AVE	(Month/Day/Year) N & 08/15/2013	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
NEW YORK	(Street) , NY 10022	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(City)	(State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqu	uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	a	xecution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) ny Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (A) or	5. Amount of Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Beneficial Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)
Common Stock	08/15/2013	P 20,000 A \$ 1.67	Held by the NFS/FMTC Rollover 124,000 I IRA for the benefit of Richard J. Rosenstock
Common Stock			115,000 D

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Common Stock			Held by The Richard J. Rosenstock Revocable Living Trust Dated 3/5/96 (1)
Common Stock	5,000	I	Held by the NFS/FMTC IRA for the benefit of Richard J. Rosenstock
Common Stock	5,000	I	Held by the NFS/FMTC IRA for the benefit of Roni L. Rosenstock
8.00% Series A Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock	2,000 (2)	I	Held by The Richard J. Rosenstock Revocable Living Trust Dated 3/5/96 (1)

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transact	5. tionNumber	6. Date Exercises Expiration D		7. Title Amou		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
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						Exercisable	Date		or		
									Number		
									of		

Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ROSENSTOCK RICHARD J C/O LADENBURG THALMANN & CO. INC., 520 MADISON AVE, 9TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022



Signatures

/s/ Richard J.
Rosenstock
08/16/2013

**Signature of Reporting 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).
- (1) Mr. Rosenstock is the sole trustee and beneficiary of The Richard J. Rosenstock Revocable Living Trust.
 - The 8.00% Series A Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock is convertible into common stock at a non-fixed conversion rate in
- (2) connection with a change of control as described in the issuer's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on May 24, 2013.

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