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#### INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement Nielsen N.V. [NLSN]  **LEWIS JOHN JASPER** (Month/Day/Year) 08/18/2014 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) C/O NIELSEN N.V., Â 85 (Check all applicable) **BROAD STREET** (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director \_X\_\_ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Global President Person NEW YORK, NYÂ 10004 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â Common Stock 129,565.4 (1) 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 Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Options to purchase Common Stock	(2)	02/02/2017	Common Stock	17,813	\$ 16	D	Â
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Options to purchase Common Stock	(3)	02/02/2017	Common Stock	15,625	\$ 32	D	Â
Options to purchase Common Stock	(4)	09/25/2020	Common Stock	44,000	\$ 36.56	D	Â
Options to purchase Common Stock	(5)	05/11/2018	Common Stock	75,000	\$ 30.19	D	Â
Options to purchase Common Stock	(6)	07/26/2019	Common Stock	80,000	\$ 27.98	D	Â

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 2 8 2 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
LEWIS JOHN JASPER						
C/O NIELSEN N.V.	â	â	Global President	â		
85 BROAD STREET	А	A	A Global President	A		
NEW YORK, NY 10004						

## **Signatures**

/s/ Harris Black, Authorized
Signatory

08/21/2014

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).

(b) 22,000 restricted stock units of the Issuer, which vest on February 28, 2016; (c) 19,600 restricted stock units of the Issuer, which vest on February 28, 2017; (d) 9,130.29 restricted stock units of the Issuer, which vest in four equal annual installments on September 25, 2014, 2015, 2016 and 2017; (e) 7,722.38 restricted stock units of the Issuer, which vest in two equal annual installments on July 26, 2015 and 2016; and (f) 40,807.99 restricted stock units of the Issuer, of which 10,202 vest on July 25, 2015, 15,303.01 vest on July 25, 2016,

Includes (a) 4,587.74 restricted shares of the Issuer, of which 2,293.36 vest on February 10, 2015 and 2,294.38 vest on February 10, 2016;

- and 15,302.98 vest on July 25, 2017.
- (2) These options to purchase shares vest on February 2, 2017.
- (3) These options to purchase shares are currently vested and are exercisable.
- (4) These options to purchase shares vest in four equal annual installments on September 25, 2014, 2015, 2016 and 2017.
- (5) 56,250 of these options to purchase shares are currently vested and are exercisable. The remaining 18,750 of these options to purchase shares vest on May 11, 2015.
- (6) 40,000 of these options to purchase shares are currently vested and are exercisable. The remaining 40,000 of these options to purchase shares vest in two equal annual installments on July 26, 2015 and 2016.

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