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(Print or Type	e Responses)									
	Address of Reporting S HAROLD C	g Person <u>*</u>	Symbol		nd Ticker or	Tradiı	-0	. Relationship of I ssuer	Reporting Perso	on(s) to
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)			DE/ [VHI] Transaction			(Check	all applicable)	I.
. ,	FREEWAY, SUI			/Day/Year)			_	_X Director _X Officer (give t elow) Chairm	X 10% ittle Other below) an of the Board	(specify
	(Street)			nendment, l onth/Day/Ye	Date Origina ear)	1	A _	. Individual or Joi pplicable Line) Form filed by On	e Reporting Pers	son
DALLAS,	TX 75240							X_ Form filed by M erson	ore than One Rej	porung
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deeme Execution I any (Month/Da	Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie orDisposed o (Instr. 3, 4	f (D)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	08/05/2013			Code V $J_{(1)}^{(1)}$	Amount 444	(D)	Price \$ 17.5495	(Instr. 3 and 4) 1,421,617	I	By Contran
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	08/05/2013			J <u>(1)</u>	2,856	A	\$ 17.6996	1,424,473	I	By Contran (2)
Common stock.	08/05/2013			J <u>(1)</u>	468	А	\$ 17.7085	1,424,941	Ι	By Contran

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\$0.01 par value per share								(2)
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	08/05/2013	J <u>(1)</u>	5,000	A	\$ 17.7134	1,429,941	I	By Contran
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	08/05/2013	J <u>(1)</u>	5,000	A	\$ 17.77	1,434,941	I	By Contran
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	08/05/2013	J <u>(1)</u>	1,700	A	\$ 17.7899	1,436,641	I	By Contran (2)
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	08/05/2013	J <u>(1)</u>	4,908	A	\$ 18	1,441,549	I	By Contran
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	08/05/2013	J <u>(1)</u>	4,532	Α	\$ 18.1299	1,446,081	I	By Contran (2)
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	08/05/2013	J <u>(1)</u>	200,000	Α	\$ 18.2	1,646,081	Ι	By Contran (2)
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share						1,851,880	D	
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share						314,033,148	Ι	by VHC (3)
Common stock, \$0.01 par						1,100,541	Ι	by CDCT (4)

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value per share			
Common stock, \$0.01 par value per share	818,514	I	by Spouse (5)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc		7. Title		8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	lying	Security	Secu
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	9		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative		•		Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Owne
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						Date	Expiration	Title	Number		
						Exercisable	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships								
Treforming of more came (read one	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 DALLAS, TX 75240		Х							
Signatures									
A. Andrew R. Louis, Attorney-in-fact Simmons	, for Harc	old C.	08/06/2013						
**Signature of Reporting F	Person		Date						

**Signature of Reporting Person

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A. Andrew R. Louis, Assistant Secretary, for Contran Corporation

08/06/2013

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