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(Print or Type R	esponses)								
Person * S GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP			2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Nan Statement Facebook 1 (Month/Day/Year) 05/17/2012		ame and Ticker or Trading Symbol [FB]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		4. Relationshi Person(s) to I	ip of Reporting ssuer		f Amendment, ed(Month/Day/Y	-	
200 WEST STREET				(Check all applicable)					
NEW YORK	(Street) K, NYÂ	10282		Director Officer (give title below	X 10% Other	6. I Owner Fili r — ow) Per _X	ndividual or Jo ing(Check Applic Form filed by Or son _ Form filed by M porting Person	cable Line) ne Reporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I -	Non-Derivat	ive Securiti	ies Benefi	icially Owne	:d	
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	ity		2. Amount Beneficially (Instr. 4)	of Securities y Owned	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature Ownershij (Instr. 5)	of Indirect Beno p	ficial	
Class A Common Stock			14,214,80 (5)	14,214,807 (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (5)		Â			
Reminder: Repo owned directly of	-		ch class of securities benefi	cially S	EC 1473 (7-02	2)			
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## Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	
			Derivative	Security:	

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Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect
Excicisable	Date		Shares		(I)
					(Instr. 5)

## **Reporting Owners**

<b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC 200 WEST STREET NEW YORK, NY 10282	Â	ÂX	Â	Â		
GOLDMAN SACHS & CO 200 WEST STREET NEW YORK, NY 10282	Â	ÂX	Â	Â		
Signatures						
/s/ Yvette Kosic, Attorney-in-fact	05/17/2012					
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date					
/s/ Yvette Kosic, Attorney-in-fact	05/17/20	012				

**Signature of Reporting Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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Date

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