

CIENA CORP
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SMITH ARTHUR D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O CIENA CORPORATION, 1201 WINTERSON ROAD

(Street)

LINTHICUM,, MD 21090

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CIENA CORP [CIEN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/09/2007

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	04/09/2007		M		2,514 A \$ 19.95	57,771	D
Common Stock	04/09/2007		S ⁽¹⁾		2,514 D \$ 28.9655	55,257	D
Common Stock	04/09/2007		M		1,785 A \$ 16.52	57,042	D
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Reflects the average sale price of the total shares sold. Actual sales prices are as follows: 199 shares at \$28.92; 700 shares at \$28.94; 1000 shares at \$28.95; 600 shares at \$28.96; and 15 shares at \$28.98.

- (3) Reflects the average sale price of the total shares sold. Actual sales prices are as follows: 185 shares at \$28.98; 1229 shares at \$28.99; and 371 shares at \$29.00.
- (4) Option vests at a rate of 25% on the last day of the month of the one year anniversary of the grant date and 2.084% for each of the 36 months thereafter.
- (5) Option is fully vested. On October 26, 2005, the Board of Directors accelerated the vesting of Ciena's then unvested, "out-of-the-money" stock options.

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