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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

shares

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

See Instruction

| Sweet Julie Spellman | | | Symbol | | | | | Issuer | | | | |
|---|--|----------|---------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|---|-----------------------|---|------------------------|------------|--|--|
| | (Last) (First) (Middle) | | Accenture plc [ACN] | | | | | (Check all applicable) | | | | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | | | | | (encor an approach) | | | | |
| C/O ACCENTURE, 161 N. CLARK | | | | /Day/Year |) | | | Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify | | | | |
| | | | 07/21/2016 | | | | | below) below) | | | | |
| STREET | | | | | | | | Group Chief | Exec-North A | merica | | |
| | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | | | | | |
| | | | Filed(M | Ionth/Day/Y | (ear) | | | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by O | ne Reporting Pe | rcon | | |
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| | | | | | | Person | | | | | | |
| (City) | (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1.Title of | 1 | | | | 5. Amount of Securities | 6. | 7. Nature of Indirect | | | | | |
| Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution I (Instr. 3) any | | | Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | | | Beneficially | Ownership Form: | Beneficial | | |
| (Instr. 3) any (Month/Da | | | | | | | | Owned | Ownership | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Following Reported | or Indirect (Inst. (I) | (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | | (A) or | | Transaction(s) | (Instr. 4) | | | |
| | | | | Code V | ' Amount | | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | |
| Class A | | | | | | | \$ | | | | | |
| ordinary | 07/21/2016 | | | S(1) | 1,024 | D | 112.4399 | 16,986 | D | | | |
| shares | | | | | | | (2) | | | | | |
| Class A | | | | | | | \$ | | | | | |
| ordinary | 07/21/2016 | | | S(1) | 1,205 | D | 113.5729 | 15,781 | D | | | |
| shares | | | | | | | <u>(3)</u> | | | | | |
| Class A | | | | | | | \$ | | | | | |
| ordinary | 07/21/2016 | | | S(1) | 700 | D | 114.6514 | 15,081 | D | | | |

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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 | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exerc | cisable and | 7. Title | and | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------|------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------------|----------|-------------|--------|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transaction | orNumber | Expiration Da | ate | Amoun | it of | Derivative | Deriv |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/ | Year) | Underly | ying | Security | Secui |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e | | Securit | ies | (Instr. 5) | Bene |
| | Derivative | | | | Securities | | | (Instr. 3 | 3 and 4) | | Owne |
| | Security | | | | Acquired | | | | | | Follo |
| | - | | | | (A) or | | | | | | Repo |
| | | | | | Disposed | | | | | | Trans |
| | | | | | of (D) | | | | | | (Instr |
| | | | | | (Instr. 3, | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 4, and 5) | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | A manust | | |
| | | | | | | | | | Amount | | |
| | | | | | | Date | Expiration Date | or Title Number | | | |
| | | | | | | Exercisable | | | | | |
| | | | | C 1 W | (A) (D) | | | | of | | |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | | Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sweet Julie Spellman C/O ACCENTURE 161 N. CLARK STREET CHICAGO, IL 60601

Group Chief Exec-North America

Signatures

/s/ Victoria A. Stewart, Attorney-in-Fact for Julie Spellman Sweet

07/22/2016

**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) Planned disposition of Accenture plc Class A ordinary shares pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Trading Plan.
- The transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$112.05 to \$112.81. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- The transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$113.12 to \$113.98. The price reported above reflects the weighted (3) average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

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The transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$114.30 to \$114.97. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

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