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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Cole Martin I

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(First) (Middle)

Accenture plc [ACN] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

(Month/Day/Year) 12/27/2010

C/O ACCENTURE, 161 N. CLARK STREET

X_ Officer (give title below) below)

Grp Chief Exec-Comm & HighTech

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

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

CHICAGO, IL 60601

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Amount (D) Price

Class X ordinary shares

12/27/2010

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36,417 (2)

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 Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	5. Number of iorDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. P Der Seci (Ins
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	¹ Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Class I common shares of Accenture SCA	(3)	12/27/2010		D <u>(4)</u>	35,000	(3)	(3)	Class A ordinary shares	35,000	\$4

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Director 10% Owner Officer

Cole Martin I C/O ACCENTURE 161 N. CLARK STREET CHICAGO, IL 60601

Grp Chief Exec-Comm & HighTech

Date

Signatures

/s/ Kathryn Lloyd, Attorney-in-Fact for Martin I. Cole

12/28/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Reflects the redemption of Accenture plc Class X ordinary shares by and at the election of Accenture plc.
- (2) Redemption price per share equal to par value of \$0.0000225.
- Accenture SCA is a subsidiary of Accenture plc. Subject to certain contractual restrictions, Accenture SCA is obligated, at the option of the Reporting Person, to redeem any outstanding Accenture SCA Class I common shares at a redemption price per share generally equal to the market price of an Accenture plc Class A ordinary share at the time of the redemption, subject to an adjustment. Accenture SCA may, at its option, pay the redemption price with cash or by delivering Accenture plc Class A ordinary shares.
- (4) Planned disposition of Accenture SCA Class I common shares pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Trading Plan.
- (5) Reflects the redemption of SCA Class I common shares at the redemption price determined in accordance with the Accenture SCA Articles of Association.

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