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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE **COMMISSION**

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)								
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *- Hoffman Allison C	State (Mor	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 12/19/2012		g 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NETWORK 1 SECURITY SOLUTIONS INC [NSSI- OTC]				
(Last) (First) (Mid 315 EAST 68TH STREET	ldle)			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
NEW YORK, NY 10065				(Check all applicable) _X_Director		Owner	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person _Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City) (State) (Z	ip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned					Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4) Reminder: Report on a separate lin		Bene (Inst	es beneficia	lly owned o	·	Owner (Instru	ership . 5)	rect Beneficial SEC 1473 (7-02)
		to the colle nd unless the						
Table II - Derivative	Securities B	eneficially Ov	vned (<i>e.g.</i> , p	outs, calls,	warrants, op	tions, c	onvertible	securities)
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exe Expiration I (Month/Day/Ye	re Exercisable and 3. ation Date Score (Day/Year) 3. D		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		ion C rise F D	Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares		D 0:	ecurity: Pirect (D) r Indirect (nstr. 5)	
Option to purchase Common Stock (right to buy)	(1)	12/19/2017	Common Stock	50,000	\$ 1.14		D	
Paparting Owner								

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Hoffman Allison C						
315 EAST 68TH STREET	X					
NEW YORK, NY 10065						

Signatures

By: /s/ Allison C. Hoffman	12/19/2012
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) The options vest in four equal quarterly installments over a one year period beginning on March 19, 2013, subject to Ms. Hoffman's continuing to serve as a Director of the Registrant.

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