ASPEN TECHNOLOGY INC /DE/

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Sullivan Mark P.

Symbol ASPEN TECHNOLOGY INC /DE/

(Check all applicable)

Executive VP & CFO

[AZPN]

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

C/O ASPEN TECHNOLOGY, INC., 200 WHEELER ROAD

(First)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

(Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

BURLINGTON, MA 01803

		140	Table 1 Tion Between Securities required, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio		Acquired (A)	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect		
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		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)			Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership		
						Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)		
				,		Reported	(I)			
					A)	Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)			
			G 1 17		or Or	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
			Code V	Amount (D) Price					
Common					\$					
Common	09/02/2014		S	7,938 E	41.6752	99,745	D			
Stock					(1)					
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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)

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1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title a		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(World) Day, Tear)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of (Month/Day/Year)			Underly Securitie (Instr. 3	ing es	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	umber		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sullivan Mark P.

C/O ASPEN TECHNOLOGY, INC. Executive 200 WHEELER ROAD VP & CFO BURLINGTON, MA 01803

Signatures

/s/ F.G. Hammond, attorney-in-fact for Mr. Sulllivan 09/03/2014

**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).

The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$41.664 to \$41.702, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Aspen Technology, Inc., any security holder of Aspen Technology, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.

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