DELTA AIR LINES INC /DE/

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Bastian Edward H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

DELTA AIR LINES INC /DE/

(Check all applicable)

[DAL]

(Month/Day/Year)

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify below)

Indirect

Beneficial

(Instr. 4)

Ownership

C/O DELTA AIR LINES, INC.,

(Street)

07/25/2013

(Middle)

below) President

DEPT. 981, P.O. BOX 20574

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

ATLANTA,, GA 30320

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities Acquired (A) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of

Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: (Month/Day/Year) Owned Direct (D) (Instr. 8) Following or Indirect Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Price Amount (D) Common 07/25/2013 150,000 \$ 7.99 M A 559,102 D Stock Common D

07/25/2013 S 150,000 D 21.313 409,102 Stock (1)

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.99	07/25/2013		M		150,000	<u>(2)</u>	10/28/2018	Common Stock	150,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Bastian Edward H C/O DELTA AIR LINES, INC., DEPT. 981 P.O. BOX 20574 ATLANTA,, GA 30320	X		President			
Signatures						

/s/ Jan M. Davidson as attorney-in-fact for Edward H. 07/26/2013 **Bastian**

> **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 reported shares were sold in open market transactions through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$21.30 to \$21.34 per share. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide, upon request, details regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price to the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, Delta Air Lines, Inc., or a security holder of Delta Air Lines, Inc.
- (2) The option vested 20% on May 1, 2009, 20% on November 1, 2009, 20% on May 1, 2010 and 40% on November 1, 2011.

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