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GINGO JOSEPH M Symbol			Symbol	ssuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading bol IULMAN A INC [SHLM]				<ol> <li>Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</li> <li>(Check all applicable)</li> </ol>			
				e of Earliest Transaction h/Day/Year) 2/2010				_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Chief Executive Officer			
				endment, Date Original nth/Day/Year)				<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check</li> <li>Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> <li> Form filed by More than One Reporting</li> </ul>			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						Person		-	
							-	uired, Disposed of,		•	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	<ul> <li>Executio any</li> </ul>		3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) Code V	4. Securiti or(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4) Amount	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	01/12/2010			А	27,000	А	\$0	66,600	D		
Common Stock	01/12/2010			Р	10,000	A	\$ 22.13	22,500	Ι	By Linda L. Gingo Trust	

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	*		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ai or Ni of
Performance-Based Restricted Stock Units <sup>(2)</sup>	<u>(3)</u>	01/12/2010		А	59,527	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	5

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GINGO JOSEPH M 3550 WEST MARKET STREET AKRON, OH 44333	Х		Chief Executive Officer				
Signatures							

 /s/ Aaron S. Berke, attorney in fact for Joseph M.
 01/13/2010

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 \_\_\_\_\*\*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) Award represents a grant of restricted stock pursuant to the A. Schulman, Inc. (the "Company) 2006 Equity Incentive Plan (the "2006 Plan"). Under the 2006 Plan, restrictions on stock awards lapse at a rate of 33 1/3% on January 12th of 2011, 2012 and 2013.

Award represents a grant of Performance-Based Restricted Stock Units pursuant to the 2006 Plan. Performance-Based Restricted Stock Units will be settled for cash in an amount equal to the fair market value of a share of the Company's common stock, subject to certain

- (2) performance criteria. All or a portion of the Performance-Based Restricted Stock Units will vest depending upon the Company's Net Income, Operating Income and Days of Working Capital for the 2010 fiscal year. The relative weighting and performance targets for each of these goals are the same as the Company's 2010 Bonus Plan.
- (3) Performance-Based Restricted Stock Units will be settled for cash within two and a half months of the Company's 2010 fiscal year end, in an amount equal to the fair market value of a share of the Company's common stock on a 1-to-1 basis.

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