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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Name and Address of Reporting Person Lindner Gregg			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			ARBITRON INC [ARB]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
9705 PATUXENT WOODS DRIVE			02/28/2013	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP, Chief Research Officer			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
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COLUMBIA, MD 21046

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1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securi			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/28/2013		A	5,683 (1)	A	\$0	27,572.2855 (2)	D	
Common Stock	02/28/2013		F	419	D	\$ 46.84	27,153.2855 (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)

1. Title of	f 2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Lindner Gregg 9705 PATUXENT WOODS DRIVE COLUMBIA, MD 21046

EVP, Chief Research Officer

Signatures

/s/ Timothy T. Smith, Attorney in Fact for Gregg Lindner

03/04/2013

**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).

On February 28, 2012, the reporting person was granted performance-based restricted stock units, which contain a one-year performance criteria and vest in four equal annual installments commencing on the first anniversary of the date of grant provided that the performance

- criteria is met. On February 25, 2013, Arbitron Inc. filed its 2012 Form 10-K. On February 26, the Compensation and Human Resources Committee determined that the performance criteria had been met, resulting in one-quarter of the performance-based restricted stock units vesting on February 28, 2013. The award will continue to vest in equal annual installments on February 28, 2014, February 28, 2015, and February 28, 2016, based on continued employment.
- Includes shares acquired under the issuer's ESPP in transactions that were exempt from reporting on Form 4. Information is as of **(2)** February 26, 2013.

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