CAMBIUM LEARNING GROUP, INC.

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SECURITIES

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Fonte Paul

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

CAMBIUM LEARNING GROUP,

(Check all applicable)

INC. [ABCD]

(Month/Day/Year)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

17855 DALLAS PARKWAY.

03/09/2016

Chief Technology Officer

SUITE 400

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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below)

DALLAS, TX 75287

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership Securities Form: Direct Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4) Following

7. Nature of Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative

5. Number of

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of 8 Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		5
				Code V	(A) (I	D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Options (right to buy)	<u>(1)</u>	03/09/2016		A	20,000	<u>(1)</u>	03/08/2026	Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	20,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
• 6	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Fonte Paul			Chief			
17855 DALLAS PARKWAY, SUITE 400			Technology			
DALLAS, TX 75287			Officer			

Signatures

/s/Paul Fonte By: J. Scott McWhorter, Esq., Attorney-in-Fact

03/11/2016

**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 March 9, 2016, the reporting person was granted options ("Options") to purchase a total of 20,000 shares of common stock, par value \$0.001, of Cambium Learning Group, Inc. (the "Company"), in consideration of his services as an officer of the Company. The Options

(1) were granted to the reporting person pursuant and subject to the Cambium Learning Group, Inc. 2009 Equity Incentive Plan. The per-share exercise price of the Options is \$4.50 and the Options vest in equal monthly installments on the last day of the month over a four year period, with an initial vesting date of March 31, 2016.

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