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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Vonderhaar George Issuer Symbol Limelight Networks, Inc. [LLNW] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify C/O LIMELIGHT NETWORKS, 11/16/2016 below) INC., 222 SOUTH MILL AVENUE. Chief Sales Officer 8TH FLOOR (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 Form filed by More than One Reporting **TEMPE, AZ 85281** Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Ownership Owned Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Following (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V (D) Price Amount Common \$0 $A^{(1)}$ 11/16/2016 $707,259 \frac{(3)}{2}$ 125,000 D (2) Stock

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 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 A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and 4
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-qualified stock option (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.39	11/16/2016		A	236,000	12/01/2017(4)	11/16/2026	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Vonderhaar George C/O LIMELIGHT NETWORKS, INC. 222 SOUTH MILL AVENUE, 8TH FLOOR TEMPE, AZ 85281

Chief Sales Officer

Signatures

George Vonderhaar by /s/ James R. Todd, Attorney-in-Fact

11/18/2016

**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).

The Reporting Person received an aggregate of 125,000 restricted stock units. Subject to the provisions of the Amended and Restated 2007 Equity Incentive Plan and Reporting Person's employment and restricted stock unit agreements with the Company, one-third (1/3rd)

- (1) of the RSUs will vest on December 1, 2017, and one-twelfth (1/12th) of the RSUs will vest on the first day of each March, June, September, and December thereafter for eight (8) consecutive quarters, provided the recipient continues to be a Service Provider through each such vesting date.
- (2) \$0.00 is used for technical reasons as there is no price for this security until it vests in the case of RSUs, or until it is exercised in the case of stock options.
- (3) This includes 331,499 unvested restricted stock units.

Reporting Person received an aggregate of 236,000 stock options. Subject to the provisions of the Amended and Restated 2007 Equity Incentive Plan and Reporting Person's employment and stock option agreements with the Company, one-third (1/3rd) of the shares

(4) subject to the stock option will vest on December 1, 2017, and one-thirty-sixth (1/36th) of the stock options will vest on the 1st day of January, 2018 and on the 1st day of each month thereafter until all of the stock options have vested (three years), provided the recipient continues to be a Service Provider through each such vesting date.

Remarks:

Executed pursuant to the Limited Power of Attorney for Section 16 reporting obligations dated February 7, 2013.

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