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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** GOLDMAN NEAL D			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 3COM CORP [COMS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
350 CAMPUS DRIVE (Street)			11/06/2009	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
				EVP & CALO			
			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
MARLBORG	OUGH, MA	01752-3064	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reportin Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	11/06/2009		A	93,000 (1)	A	\$0	252,779	D		
Common Stock	11/06/2009		F	18,265 (2)	D	\$ 5.46	234,514	D		
Common Stock	11/06/2009		J	25,485 (3)	D	\$0	209,029	D		
Common Stock	11/06/2009		J	25,485 (3)	A	\$0	634,815	I	by Trust (4)	

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	9.
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						Exercisable	Date	11116	of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GOLDMAN NEAL D 350 CAMPUS DRIVE MARLBOROUGH, MA 01752-3064

EVP & CALO

Signatures

Neal D. 11/06/2009 Goldman

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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).
 - Non-Derivative shares were awarded pursuant to 3Com Corporation's 2003 Stock Plan. These shares cannot be sold until vesting
- (1) requirements have been met. The shares become vested in two equal annual installments commencing on the second anniversary of the grant date.
- (2) Shares were surrendered to the Company to satisfy minimum tax withholding obligations upon vest.
- (3) Shares transferred from direct ownership to a trust account.
- (4) Shares are held in a revocable trust under the name of the Neal D. Goldman Trust with Neal Goldman and Angela Goldman, TTEES.

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