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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>LICHTENSTEIN WARREN G</u>				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ModusLink Global Solutions Inc [MLNK]											p of Reportin blicable) ctor	g Person	s) to Is			
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O STEEL PARTNERS HOLDINGS L.P. 590 MADISON AVENUE, 32ND FLOOR			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2017								X Officer (give title X Other (specify below) Executive Chairman / See Explanation of Responses									
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10022 (City) (State) (Zip)				Line) X Form									or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable m filed by One Reporting Person m filed by More than One Reporting son							
		Tab	le I - No	n-Deriva	ative	Seci	uritie	s Acc	quired	, Dis	sposed o	f, oı	Bene	fici	ally	Owne	ed			
Date			2. Transac Date (Month/Da			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				and 5) Secur Benef Owne		cially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
							Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)				ted action(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value ⁽¹⁾			12/15/2	12/15/2017				A ⁽²⁾		2,400,00	0(3)	A	A \$0		2,549,737		D			
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value ⁽¹⁾			12/15/2	/15/2017				A ⁽²⁾		270,000	(4)	A	\$0		2,819,737		D			
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value ⁽¹⁾			12/15/2	2/15/2017				A ⁽²⁾		30,000	5)	A	\$0		2,849,737		D			
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value ⁽¹⁾			12/15/2	5/2017				A ⁽²⁾		300,000	(6)	A	A \$0		3,149,737		D			
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value ⁽¹⁾			12/15/2	/2017				A ⁽²⁾		300,000	(7)	⁷⁾ A		\$ <mark>0</mark>	3,449,737		D			
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value ⁽¹⁾										60,000		I(8		By: Steel Partners, Ltd.						
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)	ative Conversion Date Execution Date, Trity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		Transac Code (Ir	tion of		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		te An Pear) Se Un De Se		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number or derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owner Form Direct or Inc (I) (In		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Evplanation					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber						

- 1. The reporting person is a member of a Section 13(d) group that owns more than 10% of the Issuer's outstanding Common Stock. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock of the Issuer owned directly by the other members of the Section 13(d) group except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein
- 2. Shares awarded pursuant to the Issuer's 2010 Incentive Award Plan (the "2010 Plan").
- 3. The shares of common stock vest in their entirety on the grant date.
- 4. Shares acquired are shares of restricted stock that will automatically vest, in their entirety, on the day the price of the Issuer's common stock shall have closed at or above \$2.00 per share for any five consecutive business days after the grant date, subject to the Reporting Person's continuous service with the Issuer from the grant date through the vesting date.
- 5. Shares acquired are shares of restricted stock that will automatically vest, in their entirety, on the day the price of the Issuer's common stock shall have closed at or above \$2.00 per share for any five consecutive business days after the grant date, subject to both (a) prior approval by the Issuer's shareholders of an amendment to the 2010 Plan to increase the shares available under the 2010 Plan in an amount sufficient to permit this grant and (b) the Reporting Person's continuous service with the Issuer from the grant date through the vesting date.
- 6. Shares acquired are shares of restricted stock that will automatically vest, in their entirety, on the day the price of the Issuer's common stock shall have closed at or above \$2.25 per share for any five consecutive business days after the grant date, subject to both (a) prior approval by the Issuer's shareholders of an amendment to the 2010 Plan to increase the shares available under the 2010 Plan in an amount sufficient to permit this grant and (b) the Reporting Person's continuous service with the Issuer from the grant date through the vesting date.
- 7. Shares acquired are shares of restricted stock that will automatically vest, in their entirety, on the day the price of the Issuer's common stock shall have closed at or above \$2.50 per share for any five consecutive business days after the grant date, subject to both (a) prior approval by the Issuer's shareholders of an amendment to the 2010 Plan to increase the shares available under the 2010 Plan in an amount sufficient to permit this grant and (b) the Reporting Person's continuous service with the Issuer from the grant date through the vesting date
- 8. Shares owned directly by Steel Partners, Ltd. ("SPL"). The reporting person is the Chief Executive Officer of SPL. Accordingly, by virtue of the reporting person's relationship with SPL, the reporting person may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of Common Stock of the Issuer owned directly by SPL. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock of the Issuer owned directly by SPL. directly by SPL except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

/s/ Warren G. Lichtenstein 12/19/2017

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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