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## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  LOGAN MARK B				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol VIVUS INC [ VVUS ]								(Ch	Relationship eck all appli X Directo	cable) or	g Pers	10% Ow	ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VIVUS, INC.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/14/2013								Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify
351 EAS	T EVELYN	N AVENUE			<u> </u>			_										
(Street)  MOUNT  VIEW	CAIN C.	A	94041		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					Lin	Adividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)															
		Tab	le I - Non	-Deriv	ative	Se	curities	AC	quired, D	isp	osed o	f, or Be	neficial	ly Owned				
Date			Date	Transaction te Execution Date, onth/Day/Year)  2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Yea		Code (Instr.   5)				Benefici	es For ally (D) Following (I) (		orm: Direct ) or Indirect (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
						Code V	<i>,</i>	Amount	(A) oi (D)	Price	Transact	nsaction(s) str. 3 and 4)			(111501.4)			
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																	
Derivative   Conversion   Da		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day		Date, Transaction					6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				c	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		piration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$12.84	08/14/2013			A		25,000		(1)	08/	/14/2020	Common Stock	25,000	\$0	25,000	)	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

 $1. \ One \ thirty-sixth \ (1/36th) \ of \ the \ total \ number \ of \ shares \ subject \ to \ the \ option \ become \ exercisable \ on \ the \ 19th \ of \ each \ month \ following \ July \ 19, \ 2013.$ 

/s/ Julie Hollenback, by power of attorney 08/16/2013

\*\* 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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