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GELLERT JAY M Symbol VENTA								Issuer				
				TAS INC [VTR]				(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of				f Earliest T	ransaction			(0.000	un uppheuere	,		
			h/Day/Year)				_X_ Director 10% Owner					
21650 OXNARD ST., 22ND 07/01/2			2013				Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)					
FLOOR												
				endment, Date Original			6	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
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WOODLAI	ND HILLS,, CA	91307					I	Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative S	ecurit	ies Acqui	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned		
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		1 、						6.	7. Nature of		
Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	Transactio Code	onor Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities Beneficially Owned	Form: Be	Indirect Beneficial		
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				. ,				Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)		
						(A)		Reported Transaction(s)	(I) (Instr. 4)			
						or		(Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)			
Common				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price					
Common Stock	07/01/2013			А	364.378 (1)	А	\$ 68.61	71,181.125 (2) (3) (4)	D			
STOCK							00.01					

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. ofNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owna Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
GELLERT JAY M 21650 OXNARD ST., 22ND FLOOR WOODLAND HILLS,, CA 91367	Х					
Signatures						
Jay M. Gellert, By: T. Richard Riney, Attorney-In-Fact		07/03/2013				
**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).

Common stock in the form of units granted under the Ventas Nonemployee Directors' Deferred Stock Compensation Plan (the "Plan") in(1) lieu of director fees pursuant to the director's deferral election. Such units are payable solely in common stock and subject to the terms and conditions of the director's deferral election and the Plan.

- (2) Includes 172.061 units acquired on June 28, 2013 under the Plan as a result of dividend equivalents credited with respect to the dividend on Issuer's common stock paid on June 28, 2013.
- (3) Includes 203.307 shares acquired on June 28, 2013 under the Ventas, Inc. Distribution Reinvestment and Stock Purchase Plan.
- (4) As of July 1, 2013, Reporting Person also owns options to purchase 45,000 shares of Issuer's common stock.

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