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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement Everi Holdings Inc. [EVRI] **Â** Simmons Darren (Month/Day/Year) 03/07/2019 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 7250 S. TENAYA WAY SUITE (Check all applicable) 100 (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer _ Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting **EVP** Person LAS VEGAS, NVÂ 89113 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â 3,429 Common Stock D Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
		Title	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D)	
			Security	Direct (D)	

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option	(1)	02/16/2020	Common Stock	1,050	\$ 7.77	D	Â
Stock Option	(2)	03/01/2021	Common Stock	11,250	\$ 3.41	D	Â
Stock Option	(3)	03/02/2022	Common Stock	14,584	\$ 5.58	D	Â
Stock Option	(4)	03/06/2023	Common Stock	12,453	\$ 7.09	D	Â
Stock Option	(5)	05/02/2024	Common Stock	45,000	\$ 6.59	D	Â
Stock Option	(6)	04/22/2025	Common Stock	75,000	\$ 7.74	D	Â
Stock Option	(7)	05/13/2026	Common Stock	50,000	\$ 1.46	D	Â
Stock Option	(8)	03/08/2027	Common Stock	50,000	\$ 3.29	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	(9)	(9)	Common Stock	16,000	\$ (10)	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
• 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Simmons Darren 7250 S. TENAYA WAY SUITE 100 LAS VEGAS, NV 89113	Â	Â	EVP	Â	

Signatures

/s/ Darren Simmons by Todd A. Valli, Attorney-in-Fact

03/15/2019

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- Represents an option to purchase 1,050 shares of the Company's common stock, which have vested in 1/4 of shares at anniversary of the grant, and thereafter 1/36th of the remaining shares subject to the option grant vested on each monthly anniversary date of the option grant of February 16, 2010.
- Represents an option to purchase 11,250 shares of the Company's common stock, which have vested in 1/4 of shares at anniversary of the grant, and thereafter 1/36th of the remaining shares subject to the option grant vested on each monthly anniversary date of the option grant of March 1, 2011.

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- Represents an option to purchase 14,584 shares of the Company's common stock, which have vested in 1/4 of shares at anniversary of the grant, and thereafter 1/36th of the remaining shares subject to the option grant vested on each monthly anniversary date of the option grant of March 2, 2012.
- Represents an option to purchase 12,453 shares of the Company's common stock, which have vested in 1/4 of shares at anniversary of the grant, and thereafter 1/36th of the remaining shares subject to the option grant vested on each monthly anniversary date of the option grant of March 6, 2013.
- (5) Represents an option to purchase 45,000 shares of the Company's common stock, which have vested in equal installments on each of the first four anniversary dates of the grant of May 2, 2014.
- (6) Represents an option to purchase 75,000 shares of the Company's common stock, which will vest in equal installments on each of the first four anniversary dates of the grant of April 22, 2015.
- (7) Represents an option to purchase 50,000 shares of the Company's common stock, which will vest in equal installments on each of the first four anniversary dates of the grant of May 13, 2016.
- (8) Represents an option to purchase 50,000 shares of the Company's common stock, which will vest in equal installments on each of the first four anniversary dates of the grant of March 8, 2017.
- (9) Represents restricted stock units to acquire shares of the Company's common stock that will vest in equal installments on each of the first four anniversary dates of the grant of May 22, 2018.
- (10) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock.



Remarks:

Exhibit 24 - Limited Power of Attorney

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