U.S. SILICA HOLDINGS, INC.

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Amara Rajeev

(Last)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

U.S. SILICA HOLDINGS, INC.

[SLCA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 06/11/2013

(Check all applicable)

X\_ Director X\_\_ 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title below)

C/O GOLDEN GATE PRIVATE

(First)

EQUITY, INC., ONE

EMBARCADERO CENTER, 39TH

(Street)

**FLOOR** 

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Execution Date, if

TransactionDisposed of (D) Code (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Amount

(A)

or

(D)

5. Amount of 7. Nature of Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Beneficial Owned Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect Following (Instr. 4)

Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Common

\$0.01

Stock, par 06/11/2013 value

S 13,800,000 D

Code V

Price

17,601,471

See footnotes (1)(2)

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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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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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

#### Relationships

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Amara Rajeev C/O GOLDEN GATE PRIVATE EQUITY, INC. ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER, 39TH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111	X	X		

## **Signatures**

/s/Robert M. Hayward, P.C. by Power of Attorney 06/12/2013

\*\*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).

Mr. Amara is a Managing Director of Golden Gate Capital, a private equity firm and sponsor of GGC USS Holdings, LLC ("Holdings"), Holdings is the direct beneficial owner of 17,601,471 shares of common stock of U.S. Silica Holdings, Inc. The shares beneficially owned directly by Holdings are beneficially owned indirectly by (a) Golden Gate Capital Opportunity Fund, L.P., (b) Golden Gate Capital

- (1) Opportunity Fund-A, L.P., (c) GGCOF Third-Party Co-Invest, L.P. and (d) GGCOF Co-Invest, L.P. The shares indirectly held by the funds listed in clauses (a) through (c) are beneficially owned indirectly by their general partner, GGC Opportunity Fund Management, L.P. ("Management GP"), and the general partner of Management GP, GGC Opportunity Fund Management GP, Ltd. ("Ultimate GP"). (continued in footnote 2)
  - The shares indirectly held by the fund listed in clause (d) are beneficially owned indirectly by its general partner, GGCOF Co-Invest Management, L.P. ("GGCOF Management"), the general partner of GGCOF Management, Management GP, and the general partner of
- (2) Management GP, Ultimate GP. Ultimate GP has voting and dispositive authority over the shares held by Holdings and is governed by its board of directors. Mr. Amara disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by Holdings, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein

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