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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 TRANSACT TECHNOLOGIES INC [TACT] A Brooks Donald E (Month/Day/Year) 03/16/2012 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 110 CONCORD PLACE (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting \_X\_\_ Officer Other Person ITHACA, NYÂ 14850 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One SVP, Engineering 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 (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock 250 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not

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

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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)		5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option	02/27/2009	02/27/2018	Common Stock	2,500	\$ 5.24	D	Â
Stock Option	03/05/2010	03/05/2019	Common Stock	3,000	\$ 2.18	D	Â
Stock Option	02/28/2008	02/28/2017	Common Stock	2,500	\$ 9.51	D	Â
Stock Option	05/27/2011	05/27/2020	Common Stock	2,500	\$ 7.45	D	Â
Stock Option	03/07/2012	03/07/2021	Common Stock	3,000	\$ 9.89	D	Â
Stock Option	03/05/2013	03/05/2022	Common Stock	2,000	\$ 6.7	D	Â

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Brooks Donald E 110 CONCORD PLACE ITHACA, NY 14850	Â	Â	SVP, Engineering	Â		

## **Signatures**

Donald E
Brooks

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).
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