

HENNESSY ADVISORS INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 SEAVEY THOMAS L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 HENNESSY ADVISORS INC  
 [HNNA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 05/15/2014

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

7250 REDWOOD BOULEVARD,  
 SUITE 200

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NOVATO, CA 94945

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	05/15/2014		M		14,411	A	\$ 7.11 44,211
Common Stock	05/16/2014		M		8,500	A	\$ 7.11 52,711
Common Stock	05/16/2014		S		8,500	D	\$ 12.25 44,211
Common Stock	05/19/2014		M		2,402	A	\$ 7.11 46,613
Common Stock	05/19/2014		S		2,402	D	\$ 12.4 44,211

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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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to acquire)	\$ 7.11	05/15/2014		M	14,411	11/03/2004 11/03/2014	Common Stock	14,411
Stock Option (right to acquire)	\$ 7.11	05/16/2014		M	8,500	11/03/2004 11/03/2014	Common Stock	8,500
Stock Option (right to acquire)	\$ 7.11	05/19/2014		M	2,402	11/03/2004 11/03/2014	Common Stock	2,402

## Reporting Owners

**Reporting Owner Name / Address**

**Relationships**

Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other

SEAVEY THOMAS L  
7250 REDWOOD BOULEVARD, SUITE 200    X  
NOVATO, CA 94945

## Signatures

/s/ Peter D. Fetzer, Attorney-in-Fact for Thomas L. Seavey

05/19/2014

\*\*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).

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