Firsthand Technology Value Fund, Inc.

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Bulldog Investors, LLC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Firsthand Technology Value Fund,

Inc. [SVVC]

03/06/2014

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

Common

Stock

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

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Director Officer (give title below)

X 10% Owner Other (specify

PARK 80 WEST - PLAZA

TWO, 250 PEHLE AVE. SUITE 708

(Street)

(State)

03/06/2014

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

Issuer

Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person

X Form filed by More than One Reporting

SADDLE BROOK, NJ 07663

(Zip)

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

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

Following

Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I)

Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

500

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

1,054,633 23.64

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By clients (1)(2)

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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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting Owner Funite / Futuress	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Bulldog Investors, LLC PARK 80 WEST - PLAZA TWO 250 PEHLE AVE. SUITE 708 SADDLE BROOK, NJ 07663		X				
GOLDSTEIN PHILLIP 60 HERITAGE DRIVE PLEASANTVILLE, NY 10570		X				
Dakos Andrew PARK 80 WEST 250 PEHLE AVE. STE 708 SADDLE BROOK, NJ 07663		X				
Samuels Steven 72 COLEYTOWN ROAD WESTPORT, CT 06882		X				

Signatures

/s/ Phillip Goldstein on behalf of Bulldog Investors, LLC	03/10/2014
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Phillip Goldstein	03/10/2014
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Andrew Dakos	03/10/2014
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Steven Samuels	03/10/2014
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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- * 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).
- (1) Certain private investment fund clients of Bulldog Investors, LLC are the beneficial owners of these shares of SVVC. Bulldog Investors, LLC disclaims beneficial interest in such shares except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.
- Andrew Dakos, Steven Samuels and Phillip Goldstein are the owners of Bulldog Investors, LLC. Messrs. Dakos, Samuels and Goldstein also are the Principals of the general partner of certain of such private investment fund clients of Bulldog Investors, LLC, and limited partners in certain of such private fund clients. Each of Messrs. Dakos, Samuels and Goldstein disclaims beneficial interest in shares held by such clients, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.

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