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# LOGICVISION, INC.

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# LOGICVISION, INC. 101 METRO DRIVE, THIRD FLOOR SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA 95110 (408) 453-0146

April 17, 2002

#### Dear Stockholder:

You are cordially invited to attend the Annual Meeting of Stockholders of LogicVision, Inc. that will be held on Tuesday, May 21, 2002, at 9:00 a.m. at the Doubletree Hotel at 2050 Gateway Place, San Jose, California.

The formal notice of the Annual Meeting and the Proxy Statement have been made a part of this invitation.

After reading the Proxy Statement, please mark, date, sign and return, at your earliest convenience, the enclosed proxy in the enclosed prepaid envelope, to ensure that your shares will be represented. YOUR SHARES CANNOT BE VOTED UNLESS YOU SIGN, DATE AND RETURN THE ENCLOSED PROXY OR ATTEND THE ANNUAL MEETING IN PERSON. Your vote is important, so please return your proxy promptly.

A copy of our 2001 Annual Report to Stockholders is also enclosed.

The Board of Directors and management look forward to seeing you at the meeting.

Sincerely yours,

Vinod K. Agarwal

President and Chief Executive Officer

# LOGICVISION, INC.

# NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS To Be Held May 21, 2002

To the Stockholders of LogicVision, Inc.:

The Annual Meeting of Stockholders of LogicVision, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the Company), will be held at the Doubletree Hotel at 2050 Gateway Place, San Jose, California on Tuesday, May 21, 2002, at 9:00 a.m. Pacific Daylight Time, for the following purposes:

- 1. To elect directors to serve until the 2003 Annual Meeting of Stockholders or until their successors are duly elected and qualified;
- 2. To ratify the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as the Company s independent accountants;
- 3. To transact such other business as may properly come before the Annual Meeting and any adjournment or postponement of the Annual Meeting.

Stockholders of record as of the close of business on March 28, 2002 are entitled to notice of and to vote at the Annual Meeting and any adjournment or postponement thereof. A complete list of stockholders entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting will be available at the Secretary s office, 101 Metro Drive, Third Floor, San Jose, California, for ten days before the meeting.

It is important that your shares are represented at the meeting. Even if you plan to attend the meeting, we hope that you will promptly mark, sign, date and return the enclosed proxy. This will not limit your right to attend or vote at the meeting.

By Order of the Board of Directors

Vinod K. Agarwal

Secretary

April 17, 2002

# LOGICVISION, INC. 101 METRO DRIVE, THIRD FLOOR SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA 95110 (408) 453-0146

#### PROXY STATEMENT

This Proxy Statement is furnished in connection with the solicitation by the Board of Directors of LogicVision, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the Company ), of proxies in the accompanying form to be used at the Annual Meeting of Stockholders of the Company to be held at the Doubletree Hotel at 2050 Gateway Place, San Jose, California, on Tuesday, May 21, 2002, at 9:00 a.m. Pacific Daylight Time, and any postponement or adjournment thereof (the Annual Meeting ).

#### Who Can Vote

Stockholders of record at the close of business on March 28, 2002 (the Record Date), are entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting. As of the close of business on that date, the Company had 14,875,904 shares of common stock, \$0.0001 par value (the Common Stock), outstanding. The presence in person or by proxy of the holders of a majority of the Company s outstanding Common Stock constitutes a quorum for the transaction of business at the Annual Meeting. Each holder of Common Stock is entitled to one vote for each share held as of the Record Date.

#### How You Can Vote

You may vote your shares at the Annual Meeting either in person or by proxy. To vote by proxy, you should mark, date, sign and mail the enclosed proxy in the prepaid envelope. Giving a proxy will not affect your right to vote your shares if you attend the Annual Meeting and want to vote in person. The shares represented by the proxies received in response to this solicitation and not properly revoked will be voted at the Annual Meeting in accordance with the instructions therein. On the matters coming before the Annual Meeting for which a choice has been specified by a stockholder on the proxy card, the shares will be voted accordingly. If you return your proxy, but do not mark your voting preference, the individuals named as proxies will vote your shares **FOR** the election of the five nominees for director listed in this Proxy Statement and **FOR** the ratification of the appointment of the Company s independent accountants.

Registered stockholders can simplify their voting and save the Company additional expense by calling (800) 435-6710 or voting via the Internet at http://www.eproxy.com/LGVN. Telephone and Internet voting information is provided on the proxy card if these options are available to you. Votes submitted via the Internet or by telephone must be received by 4:00 p.m., Eastern Daylight Time, on May 20, 2002. Submitting your proxy via the Internet or by telephone will not affect your right to vote in person should you decide to attend the Annual Meeting.

## **Revocation of Proxies**

Stockholders can revoke their proxies at any time before they are exercised in any of three ways:

by voting in person at the Annual Meeting;

by submitting written notice of revocation to the Secretary of the Company prior to the Annual Meeting; or

by submitting another proxy of a later date that is properly executed.

#### **Required Vote**

Directors are elected by a plurality vote. The five nominees for director who receive the most votes cast in their favor will be elected to serve as directors. The other proposal submitted for stockholder approval at the Annual Meeting will be decided by the affirmative vote of the majority of the shares present in person or represented by proxy at the Annual Meeting and entitled to vote on such proposal. Abstentions with respect to any proposal are treated as shares present or represented and entitled to vote on that proposal and thus have the same effect as negative votes. If a broker which is the record holder of shares indicates on a proxy that it does not have discretionary authority to vote on a particular proposal as to such shares, or if shares are not voted in other circumstances in which proxy authority is defective or has been withheld with respect to a particular proposal, these non-voted shares will be counted for quorum purposes but are not deemed to be present or represented for purposes of determining whether stockholder approval of that proposal has been obtained.

This Proxy Statement and the accompanying form of proxy are being mailed to stockholders on or about April 17, 2002.

# **IMPORTANT**

Please mark, sign and date the enclosed proxy and return it at your earliest convenience in the enclosed postage-prepaid return envelope so that, whether you intend to be present at the Annual Meeting or not, your shares can be voted. This will not limit your rights to attend or vote at the Annual Meeting.

#### PROPOSAL 1

# **ELECTION OF DIRECTORS**

The Board of Directors proposes the election of five directors of the Company to serve until the next annual meeting of stockholders or until their successors are duly elected and qualified. There are currently six members of the Company s Board of Directors. One of the Directors, David L. Sulman, will retire from the Board of Directors effective at the time of the Annual Meeting, at which time the number of authorized Directors will be fixed at five. If any nominee is unable or declines to serve as a director at the time of the Annual Meeting, an event not currently anticipated, proxies will be voted for any nominee designated by the Board of Directors to fill the vacancy.

Biographical information concerning each of the nominees is set forth below.

Name	Served as Director Since	Age	Principal Business Experience for the Past Five Years
Vinod K. Agarwal, Ph.D.	1992	49	Dr. Agarwal founded LogicVision in 1992 and has served as our President and Chief Executive Officer since 1992. Prior to founding LogicVision, Dr. Agarwal was the Nortel/NSERC Industrial Research Chair Professor at McGill University in Montreal and served as a consultant to Nortel Networks Corporation, Hitachi, Ltd. and Eastman Kodak Company for developing their design-for-test/embedded test environment. In 1992, Dr. Agarwal was elected to be a Fellow of The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Inc., or IEEE, for his contributions to built-in self-test and fault-tolerant computing. Dr. Agarwal is a co-inventor of several US patents on embedded test technology. He holds a BE in Electronics from Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani, India, an MS in Electrical Engineering from University of Pittsburgh and a PhD in Electrical Engineering from Johns Hopkins University.
Navindra Jain, Ph.D.	1992	50	Dr. Jain has been Chairman of the Board since January 1996. In 1982, Dr. Jain co-founded Excelan Inc., a manufacturer of networking products, and was its Vice President of Engineering until it was acquired by Novell, Inc. in 1989. At Novell he served as Vice President and General Manager of the Internetworking and Network Management Divisions. In 1993 Dr. Jain resigned to pursue his personal interests, including investments in high-tech industries. Dr. Jain holds a BS in Electrical Engineering from Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani, India and a PhD in Electrical Engineering from Carnegie Mellon University.

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Name	Served as Director Since	Age	Principal Business Experience for the Past Five Years
Richard C. Black	1994	33	Mr. Black has been the Managing Director of Royal Bank Capital Partners since February 2001. Mr. Black is also a Vice President with Helix Investments (Canada) Inc. and has been with Helix since May 1991. He also serves on the board of directors of Open Text Corporation, CRS Robotics Corporation and numerous private companies and on the advisory boards of Royal Bank Capital Partners and the Longtitude Fund LP. Mr. Black holds an HBA from the School of Business at the University of Western Ontario.
D. James Guzy	1999	65	Mr. Guzy has served on the board of directors of Intel Corporation since 1969 and as Chairman of the Arbor Company, a limited partnership engaged in the electronics and computer industry, since 1969. Mr. Guzy also serves on the board of directors of Cirrus Logic, Inc., Micro Component Technology, Inc., Novellus Systems, Inc., Davis Selected Group of Mutual Funds, Alliance Capital Management Technology Fund and PLX Technology. Mr. Guzy holds a BS from the University of Minnesota and an MS from Stanford University.
Jon D. Tompkins	1999	61	In June 1999, Mr. Tompkins retired as Chairman of the Board of Directors of KLA-Tencor Corporation, a supplier of process diagnostic system and yield management solutions to the semiconductor and data storage industries, where he had served as Chairman from July 1998 to June 1999 and as Chief Executive Officer and a director from April 1997 to July 1998. Prior to the merger of KLA and Tencor, Mr. Tompkins served as Chief Executive Officer, President and a director of Tencor Instruments from April 1991 to April 1997 and was appointed Chairman of the Board of Directors of Tencor in November 1993. Mr. Tompkins currently serves on the board of directors of KLA-Tencor, Credence Systems Corporation, Cymer, Inc. and Electro Scientific Industries, Inc. He also served as Chairman of the Board of SEMI/SEMATECH from June 1998 to June 1999. Mr. Tompkins holds a BS in Electrical Engineering from the University of Washington and an MBA from Stanford University.

# The Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR election as director of the nominees set forth above.

# **Board Meetings and Committees**

The Board of Directors held five meetings during the year ended December 31, 2001. All directors attended at least 75% of the aggregate number of meetings of the Board of Directors and of the committees on which such directors serve.

#### **Compensation Committee**

Number of Members: Two

Members: Mr. Black (Chairman)

Mr. Jain

Number of Meetings: Three

Functions: Develops and monitors compensation arrangements for the officers of the Company.

Administers the Company s stock option plans and other compensation plans. Reviews and makes recommendations to the Board of Directors for changes in the Company s compensation and benefit plans and practices. Makes recommendations to the Board of Directors regarding the fees to be paid to members of the Board. Performs other activities and functions related to executive compensation as may be assigned from time to time by the Board of Directors.

Audit Committee

Number of Members: Three

Members: Mr. Black

Mr. Guzy

Mr. Tompkins (Chairman)

Number of Meetings: Four

Functions:

Reviews the annual audited financial statements and the quarterly financial statements with management and the Company s independent accountants. Reviews the Company s internal accounting procedures and financial management practices with management and the independent accountants. Reviews major changes to the Company s auditing and accounting

principles and practices as suggested by the independent accountants or management. Monitors the independent accountants relationship with the Company. Recommends to the Board of Directors the appointment of the independent accountants and approves the fees to be paid to

the independent accountants.

It is not the duty of the Audit Committee to plan or conduct audits or to determine that the Company s financial statements are complete and accurate and are in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Management is responsible for preparing the Company s financial statements, and the independent accountants are responsible for auditing those financial statements. However, the Audit Committee does consult with management and the Company s independent accountants prior to the presentation of financial statements to stockholders and, as appropriate, initiates inquiries into various aspects of the Company s financial affairs.

### **Director Compensation**

Except as otherwise described below, the Company has not paid any cash compensation to members of the Board of Directors for their services as directors.

We reimburse directors for reasonable expenses in connection with attendance at meetings of the Board of Directors and committee meetings. Under our 2000 Stock Incentive Plan, Directors who are not employees also receive an initial grant of an option to purchase 7,500 shares of Common Stock at the fair market value of the Common Stock on the date of grant, which vests in three annual installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the date of grant. On the first business day following each regular annual meeting of the Company s stockholders after appointment or election to the Board, each non-employee director shall receive an option to purchase 4,000 shares of Common Stock at the fair market value of the Common Stock on the date of grant, which shall vest in full on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

# **Compensation Committee Interlocks and Insider Participation**

Richard C. Black and Navindra Jain serve as members of the Compensation Committee. No interlocking relationship exists between our board of directors or compensation committee and the board of directors or compensation committee of any other entity, nor has any interlocking relationship existed in the past.

#### SECURITY OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN BENEFICIAL OWNERS AND MANAGEMENT

The following table sets forth certain information as of March 28, 2002 as to shares of the Common Stock beneficially owned by: (i) each person who is known by the Company to own beneficially more than 5% of its Common Stock, (ii) each of the Company s current directors, (iii) each of the Company s nominees for director, (iii) each of the Company s executive officers named under Executive Compensation Summary Compensation Table, and (iv) all directors and executive officers of the Company as a group. Ownership information is based upon information furnished by the respective individuals or entities, as the case may be. Unless otherwise noted below, the address of each beneficial owner is c/o Logic Vision, Inc., 101 Metro Drive, Third Floor, San Jose, California, 95110. The percentage of common stock beneficially owned is based on 14,875,904 shares outstanding as of March 28, 2002. In addition, shares issuable pursuant to options or warrants which may be exercised within 60 days of March 28, 2002 are deemed to be issued and outstanding and have been treated as outstanding in calculating the percentage ownership of those individuals possessing such interest, but not for any other individuals. Thus, the number of shares considered to be outstanding for the purposes of this table may vary depending on the individual s particular circumstances.

Name and Address of Beneficial Owner	Number of Shares of Common Stock Beneficially Owned (1)	Right to Acquire Beneficial Ownership within 60 days of March 28, 2002	Total	Percentage of Common Stock Beneficially Owned
Directors and Named Executive Officers:				
Vinod K. Agarwal	500,000	585,000	1,085,000	7.0%
Navindra Jain	766,941	7,500	774,441	5.2
Richard C. Black(2)	1,699,759	7,500	1,707,259	11.5
D. James Guzy(3)	79,412	20,588	100,000	*
David L. Sulman(4)				*
Jon D. Tompkins	7,500	35,249	42,749	*
John H. Barnet	12,500	97,500	110,000	*
Michael C. Howells	244,000	73,437	317,437	2.1
Mukesh J. Mowji		35,000	35,000	*
Dale S. Olstinske		107,000	107,000	*
5% Stockholders:				
Helix (PEI) Inc.(2)(5)	1,692,009		1,692,009	11.4
Teradyne, Inc.(6)	588,235	263,507	851,742	5.6
Citicorp(7)	710,768	120,863	831,631	5.5
All Directors and Executive Officers as a group				
(11 persons)	3,310,112	1,032,836	4,342,948	27.3%

<sup>\*</sup> Less than 1%.

- (1) To the Company s knowledge, the persons named in the table have sole voting and investment power with respect to all shares of Common Stock shown as beneficially owned by them, subject to community property laws where applicable and the information contained in the notes to this table.
- (2) Includes 1,692,009 shares held by Helix (PEI) Inc. Mr. Black, a Vice President of Helix Investments (Canada) Inc., Helix (PEI) s corporate parent, disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by Helix (PEI), except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (3) Includes 79,412 shares held by the Arbor Company and 20,588 shares subject to warrants held by the Arbor Company. Mr. Guzy is the Chairman of the Arbor Company.
- (4) Mr. Sulman, a member of our Board of Directors since July 1999, will continue as a Director until the Annual Meeting, but will retire from our Board of Directors effective at the time of the Annual Meeting. Mr. Sulman was a Senior Vice President of Teradyne, Inc. until his retirement in 2001.
- (5) Helix (PEI) Inc. is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Helix Investments (Canada) Inc. Based on information provided by Helix Investments (Canada), the following persons exercise voting and/or dispositive power with respect to the shares held by Helix Investments (Canada): Chris Anderson, May Anis, Don Armour,

- Richard C. Black, Bob Brooks, Tullio Cedraschi, James Dent, Hugh Hallward, Michael Koerner, David Lank, Jack Lawrence, Douglas Ross, Stephen J. Sadler, Benjamin Webster and Jim Wooder. Mr. Black is a Vice President of Helix Investments (Canada). The address for Helix (PEI) Inc. is 46 Robin Hood Road, Toronto, Canada M9A 2W8.
- (6) Teradyne, Inc. is a publicly held corporation. The address for Teradyne is 321 Harrison Avenue, Boston, MA 02118.
- (7) According to a Schedule 13G dated February 13, 2002 filed jointly by Citicorp, Citigroup Holdings Company and Citigroup Inc., Citicorp and Citigroup Holdings Company have shared voting and dispositive power for 830,554 shares, while Citigroup Inc. has shared voting and dispositive power for 831,631 shares. The address of the principal office of each of Citicorp and Citigroup Inc. is 399 Park Avenue, New York, New York, 10043; the address of the principal office of Citigroup Holdings Company is One Rodney Square, Wilmington, DE 19801.

# **EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION**

The following table summarizes compensation for services rendered in all capacities to the Company for the three fiscal years ended December 31, 2001 for our Chief Executive Officer and our four other most highly compensated executive officers as of December 31, 2001.

# **Summary Compensation Table**

				Long-Term Compensation
		Annual Com	Securities	
Name and Position	Year	Salary	Bonus	Underlying Options
Vinod K. Agarwal	2001	\$ 240,000	\$ 75,000	
Chief Executive Officer and President	2000	240,898	98,102	150,000
	1999	239,000	50,000	75,000
John H. Barnet	2001	210,000	30,000	
Vice President of Finance and Chief Financial Officer	2000	180,000	60,000	25,000
	1999	163,333		122,500
Michael C. Howells	2001	189,136	28,000	
Vice President of Engineering	2000	173,211	50,000	70,000
	1999	165,000	30,000	37,500
Mukesh J. Mowji(1)	2001	278,116(2)		50,000
Vice President of Manufacturing Business	2000	70,833(2)	50,000	94,000
Dale S. Olstinske	2001	307,816(2)		50,000
Vice President of Sales	2000	298,251(2)	15,000	20,000
	1999	204,628(2)	10,000	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,

<sup>(1)</sup> Mr. Mowji joined LogicVision in August 2000.

<sup>(2)</sup> Includes sales commissions.

#### **Stock Options**

The following tables set forth certain information with respect to stock options granted to and exercised by the individuals named in the Summary Compensation Table during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2001, and the number and value of the options held by each individual as of December 31, 2001. The exercise price is equal to 100% of the fair market value of our Common Stock on the date of grant. The options have a term of 10 years, subject to earlier termination in certain events related to termination of employment.

#### **Option Grants in 2001**

		Individual (	Potential Realizable Value at Assumed Annual Rates			
•	Number of Securities	Percent of Total Options			of Stock Price Appreciation for Option Term (1)	
Name	Underlying Options Granted	Granted to Employees in Fiscal Year	Exercise Price	Expiration Date	5%	10%
Vinod K. Agarwal						
John H. Barnet						
Michael C. Howells						
Mukesh J. Mowji(2)	50,000	12.3%	\$ 6.00	8/18/11	\$ 433,003	\$ 867,184
Dale S. Olstinske(3)	50,000	12.3	6.00	8/18/11	433,003	867,184

- (1) The 5% and 10% assumed rates of appreciation are suggested by the rules of the Securities and Exchange Commission and do not represent our estimate or projection of our future Common Stock price. There can be no assurance that any of the values reflected in the table will be achieved.
- (2) The options vest as to 12,500 shares every six months beginning on July 1, 2002.
- (3) The options vest as to 12,500 shares every six months beginning on October 1, 2002.

# Aggregate Option Exercises in Last Fiscal Year and 2001 Year End Option Values

			Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Options at December 31, 2001 (#)	Value of Unexercised In-the-Money Options at December 31, 2001 (2)
Name	Shares Acquired on Exercise (#)	Value Realized (1)	Exercisable/Unexercisable	Exercisable/Unexercisable
Vinod K. Agarwal		\$	570,000/155,000	\$6,761,000/\$1,363,250
John H. Barnet			91,250/43,750	921,838/480,813
Michael C. Howells			62,687/57,313	642,886/528,114
Mukesh J. Mowji			26,000/118,000	237,900/959,700
Dale S. Olstinske			86,500/83,500	976,375/691,125

- (1) Calculated on the basis of the fair market value of the underlying securities at the exercise date minus the exercise price.
- (2) Calculated on the basis of the fair market value of the underlying securities at December 31, 2001 (\$12.75 per share) minus the exercise price.

# REPORT OF THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ON EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

The Compensation Committee is comprised of two non-employee directors. The Compensation Committee is responsible for developing and monitoring compensation arrangements for the executive officers of the Company, administering the Company s stock option plans and other compensation plans and performing other activities and functions related to executive compensation as may be assigned from time to time by the Board of Directors.

#### **Compensation Philosophy and Objectives**

The Compensation Committee believes that compensation of the Company s executive officers should encourage creation of stockholder value and achievement of strategic corporate objectives. It is the Compensation Committee s philosophy to align the interests of the Company s stockholders and management by integrating compensation with the Company s annual and long-term corporate and financial objectives. In order to attract and retain the most qualified personnel, the Company intends to offer a total compensation package competitive with companies in the semiconductor test and design industries, taking into account relative company size, performance and geographic location as well as individual responsibilities and performance. The components of executive officer compensation consist of base salary, bonus and stock options, which are discussed separately below.

The Company generally intends to qualify executive compensation for deductibility under section 162(m) of the Internal Revenue Code, which provides that, for purposes of the regular income tax and the alternative minimum tax, the otherwise allowable deduction for compensation paid or accrued with respect to a covered employee of a publicly-held corporation is limited to no more than \$1 million per year. The Company does not expect that the compensation to be paid to any of its executive officers for fiscal 2002 will exceed the \$1 million limit.

# **Executive Officer Base Salary**

The Compensation Committee reviews salaries recommended by the Chief Executive Officer for executive officers other than the Chief Executive Officer. The Compensation Committee sets the salary level of each executive officer on a case by case basis, taking into account the individual s level of responsibilities and performance. The Compensation Committee also considers market information and the base salaries and other incentives paid to executive officers of other similarly sized companies within its industry. The Chief Executive Officer is involved in final decisions on base salary adjustments for executives other than the Chief Executive Officer.

#### **Executive Officer Bonuses**

The Compensation Committee believes that a portion of executive officer compensation should be contingent upon the Company s performance and an individual s contribution to the Company s success in meeting corporate and financial objectives. Bonuses paid for fiscal 2001 were determined on a case by case basis. The Compensation Committee evaluated each executive officer individually to determine the bonus for the fiscal year, which was based on individual and corporate performance criteria.

# **Stock Option Grants**

The Compensation Committee administers the Company s 2000 Stock Incentive Plan for executive officers, employees, consultants and outside directors, under which it grants options to purchase the Company s Common Stock with an exercise price equal to the fair market value of a share of the Common Stock on the date of grant. The Compensation Committee believes that providing executive officers who have responsibility for the

management and growth of the Company with an opportunity to increase their ownership of Company stock aligns the interests of the Company s executive officers with those of its stockholders. Accordingly, the Compensation Committee when reviewing executive officer compensation also considers stock option grants as appropriate. At its discretion, from time to time the Compensation Committee may also grant options based on individual and corporate achievements. The Compensation Committee determines the number of shares underlying each stock option grant based upon the executive officer s and the Company s performance, the executive officer s role and responsibilities within the Company, the executive officer s base salary and comparison with comparable awards to individuals in similar positions in the industry.

In addition, the Company s employees generally are able to participate in the Company s 2000 Employee Stock Purchase Plan. Under the Employee Stock Purchase Plan, each executive officer may purchase up to 1,000 shares of our Common Stock in a six month period at a discount to the market price. The number of shares that may be purchased by each participant is limited by applicable tax laws.

#### **Chief Executive Officer Compensation**

The Compensation Committee determines the compensation of the Chief Executive Officer using the same criteria as for the other executive officers. In fiscal 2001, Mr. Agarwal s salary was \$240,000. In January 2002, Mr. Agarwal also received a \$75,000 bonus and he was awarded an option to purchase 100,000 shares of Common Stock. The option vests over a four year period, with 25% vesting on July 1, 2002 and the remainder vesting in equal installments every six months thereafter.

## Compensation Committee

Richard C. Black Navindra Jain

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# STOCK PRICE PERFORMANCE GRAPH

The following graph shows the two-month cumulative total stockholder return (change in stock price plus reinvested dividends) assuming the investment of \$100 on October 31, 2001 (the day of the Company s initial public offering) in each of the Company s Common Stock, the S&P 500 Index and the S&P Information Technology Index. The comparisons in the table are required by the Securities and Exchange Commission and are not intended to forecast or be indicative of possible future performance of the Company s Common Stock.

	10/31/01	11/30/01	12/31/01
LogicVision	\$ 100.00	\$ 135.11	\$ 141.67
S&P 500	100.00	107.67	108.61
S&P Information Technology	100.00	117.07	114.80

#### REPORT OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Audit Committee operates under a written charter adopted by the Board of Directors and the Audit Committee on August 3, 2000. A copy of the Audit Committee Charter is attached as Appendix A to this Proxy Statement. The members of the Audit Committee are Richard C. Black, D. James Guzy and Jon D. Tompkins, each of whom meets the independence standards established by The Nasdaq Stock Market.

The Audit Committee oversees the Company s financial reporting process on behalf of the Board of Directors and is responsible for providing independent, objective oversight of the Company s accounting functions and internal controls. It is not the duty of the Audit Committee to plan or conduct audits or to determine that the Company s financial statements are complete and accurate and are in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Management is responsible for the Company s financial statements and the reporting process, including the system of internal controls. The independent accountants are responsible in their report for expressing an opinion on the conformity of those financial statements with generally accepted accounting principles.

The Audit Committee has reviewed and discussed the Company s audited financial statements contained in the 2001 Annual Report on Form 10-K with the Company s management and its independent accountants. The Audit Committee met privately with the independent accountants and discussed issues deemed significant by the independent accountants, including those matters required by Statement on Auditing Standards No. 61 (Codification of Statements on Auditing Standards). In addition, the Audit Committee has received the written disclosures from the independent accountants required by Independence Standards Board Standard No. 1 (Independence Discussions with the Audit Committees) and discussed with the independent accountants their independence from the Company.

Based upon the reviews and discussions outlined above, the Audit Committee recommended to the Board of Directors that the audited financial statements be included in the Company s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2001, for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

# Audit Committee

Richard
C.
Black
D.James
Guzy
Jon D.
Tompkins

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# CERTAIN RELATIONSHIPS AND RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

# **Indebtedness of Management**

In August 1996, we loaned Michael Howells, our Vice President of Engineering, \$75,000 in connection with his relocation to San Jose. Although the loan bore simple interest at the rate of 8.0% per year, we had agreed to forego interest on this loan for five years and to reimburse Mr. Howells for taxes on such foregone interest. On June 19, 2001, Mr. Howells entered into a 10-year interest amortization schedule at 8.0% per year, with the initial payment due June 20, 2002. The loan is secured by 50,000 shares of our common stock.

#### PROPOSAL 2

#### RATIFICATION OF INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS

Upon the recommendation of the Audit Committee, the Board of Directors has appointed the firm of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as the Company s independent accountants for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2002, subject to ratification by the stockholders. PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP has audited the Company s financial statements since the Company s inception in 1992. Representatives of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP are expected to be present at the Annual Meeting. They will have an opportunity to make a statement, if they desire to do so, and will be available to respond to appropriate questions.

#### **Audit and Non-Audit Fees**

*Audit Fees.* The aggregate fees billed by PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP for professional services rendered for the audit of the Company s annual financial statements for fiscal year 2001 and for the reviews of the financial statements included in the Company s quarterly reports during such period was \$114,750.

Financial Information Systems Design and Implementation Fees. No fees were billed for professional services rendered for information technology services related to financial information systems design and implementation by PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP for fiscal year 2001.

All Other Fees. The aggregate fees billed for services rendered by PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP other than for the services described above, including tax consulting and statutory filings in connection with the Company s initial public offering for fiscal year 2001, was \$186,110.

The Audit Committee considered whether the provision of the services other than the audit services is compatible with maintaining PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP s independence.

#### **Required Vote**

Ratification will require the affirmative vote of a majority of the shares present and voting at the Annual Meeting in person or by proxy. In the event ratification is not obtained, the Board of Directors will review its future selection of the Company s independent accountants.

The Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR ratification of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as the Company s independent accountants.

# STOCKHOLDER PROPOSALS FOR THE 2003 ANNUAL MEETING

Proposals of stockholders of the Company that are intended to be presented by such stockholders at the Company s 2003 Annual Meeting must be received by the Secretary of the Company no later than December 18, 2002 in order that they may be included in the Company s proxy statement and form of proxy relating to that meeting.

A stockholder proposal not included in the Company s proxy statement for the 2003 Annual Meeting will be ineligible for presentation at the meeting unless the stockholder gives timely notice of the proposal in writing to the Secretary of the Company at the principal executive offices of the Company and otherwise complies with the provisions of the Company s Bylaws. To be timely, the Bylaws provide that the Company must have received the stockholder s notice not less than 60 days nor more than 90 days prior to the scheduled date of the meeting. However, if notice or prior public disclosure of the date of the annual meeting is given or made to stockholders less than 75 days prior to the meeting date, the Company must receive the stockholder s notice by the earlier of (i) the close of business on the 15th day after the earlier of the day the Company mailed notice of the annual meeting date or provided public disclosure of the meeting date and (ii) two days prior to the scheduled date of the annual meeting.

#### **OTHER MATTERS**

The Company knows of no other business that will be presented at the Annual Meeting. If any other business is properly brought before the Annual Meeting, it is intended that proxies in the enclosed form will be voted in accordance with the judgment of the persons voting the proxies.

#### PAYMENT OF COSTS

The expense of printing, mailing proxy materials and solicitation of proxies will be borne by the Company. In addition to the solicitation of proxies by mail, solicitation may be made by directors, officers and other employees of the Company by personal interview, telephone or facsimile. No additional compensation will be paid to such persons for such solicitation. The Company will reimburse brokerage firms and others for their reasonable expenses in forwarding solicitation materials to beneficial owners of the Common Stock.

# SECTION 16(a) BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP REPORTING COMPLIANCE

Under the securities laws of the United States, the Company s directors, executive officers and any persons holding more than 10% of the Company s Common Stock are required to report their initial ownership of the Company s Common Stock and any subsequent changes in that ownership to the Securities and Exchange Commission. Specific due dates for these reports have been established and the Company is required to identify in this Proxy Statement those persons who failed to timely file these reports. To the Company s knowledge, based solely on a review of such reports furnished to the Company and written representations that no other reports were required during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2001, all Section 16(a) filing requirements applicable to its officers, directors and 10% stockholders were complied with, except that the Form 3 for Mr. Guzy was filed three days after its due date.

Whether or not you intend to be present at the Annual Meeting, we urge you to return your signed proxy promptly.

By order of the Board of Directors

Vinod K. Agarwal Secretary

April 17, 2002

The Company s 2001 Annual Report on Form 10-K has been mailed with this Proxy Statement. The Company will provide copies of exhibits to the Annual Report on Form 10-K, but will charge a reasonable fee per page to any requesting Stockholder. Any such request should be addressed to the Company at 101 Metro Drive, Third Floor, San Jose, CA 95110, Attention: Investor Relations Department. The request must include a representation by the stockholder that as of March 28, 2002, the stockholder was entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting.

Appendix A

# LOGICVISION, INC. AUDIT COMMITTEE CHARTER

The Audit Committee shall be appointed by the Board of Directors to assist the Board in fulfilling its oversight responsibilities relating to the Company s (1) financial statements and auditing, accounting and related reporting processes and (2) systems of internal controls regarding finance, accounting, legal compliance and ethics established by management and the Board.

#### Composition

The Audit Committee shall consist of at least three members of the Board, each of whom shall meet the independence and experience requirements of applicable laws, regulations, and stock market rules. The members of the Audit Committee shall be appointed by the Board.

#### Responsibilities

The Audit Committee shall:

# Documents/Reports Review

Review the annual audited financial statements with management and the independent auditors, including major issues regarding accounting and auditing principles and practices as well as the adequacy of internal controls that could significantly affect the Company's financial statements, and recommend that the audited financial statements be included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K.

Review with management and the independent auditors the Company s quarterly financial statements.

Review with management and the independent auditors the significant financial reporting issues and judgments made in connection with the preparation of the Company s financial statements and discuss any other matters communicated to the Committee by the independent auditors.

Prepare the report of the Audit Committee required by the rules of the Securities and Exchange Commission to be included in the Company s annual proxy statement.

## Accounting and Financial Controls Framework

Review major changes to the Company s auditing and accounting principles and practices as suggested by the independent auditors or management.

Review with the independent auditors any management letter provided by the independent auditors and the Company s responses to that letter

#### **Independent Auditors**

Recommend to the Board the appointment of the independent auditors, which firm is ultimately accountable to the Audit Committee and the Board.

Approve the fees to be paid to the independent auditors.

Receive disclosures from the independent auditors regarding the auditors independence required by Independence Standards Board Standard No. 1, discuss such reports with the independent auditors, and, if so determined by the Audit Committee, recommend that the Board take appropriate action to satisfy itself of the independence of the auditors.

Evaluate together with the Board the performance of the independent auditors and, if so determined by the Audit Committee, recommend that the Board replace the independent auditors.

Meet with the independent auditors prior to the audit to review the planning and staffing of the audit.

Discuss with the independent auditors the matters required to be discussed by Statement on Auditing Standards No. 61 relating to the conduct of the audit.

#### **General Authority and Responsibilities**

The Audit Committee shall have the authority to retain special legal, accounting or other consultants to advise the Committee. The Audit Committee may request any officer or employee of the Company or the Company s outside counsel or independent auditors to attend a meeting of the Committee or to meet with any members of, or consultants to, the Committee.

While the Audit Committee has the responsibilities and powers set forth in this Charter, it is not the duty of the Audit Committee to plan or conduct audits or to determine that the Company s financial statements are complete and accurate and are in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. This is the responsibility of management and the independent auditors. Nor is it the duty of the Audit Committee to conduct investigations, to resolve disagreements, if any, between management and the independent auditors or to assure compliance with laws and regulations.

The Audit Committee shall review and reassess the adequacy of this Charter annually and recommend any proposed changes to the Board.

# **PROXY**

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# LOGICVISION, INC.

# THIS PROXY IS SOLICITED ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The undersigned hereby authorizes VINOD K. AGARWAL or JOHN H. BARNET, as Proxies with full power in each to act without the other and with the power of substitution in each, to represent and to vote all the shares of stock the undersigned is entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting of Stockholders of Logic Vision, Inc. (the Company) to be held at the Doubletree Hotel at 2050 Gateway Place, San Jose, California on May 21, 2002 at 9:00 a.m., or at any postponement or adjournment thereof, and instructs said Proxies to vote as follows:

Shares represented by this proxy will be voted as directed by the stockholder. If no such directions are indicated, the Proxies will have the authority to vote FOR the election of directors, FOR Proposal 2, and in accordance with the discretion of the Proxies on any other matters as may properly come before the Annual Meeting.

SEE REVERSE SIDE CONTINUED AND TO BE SIGNED ON REVERSE SIDE SEE REVERSE SIDE

FOLD AND DETACH HERE

The Board of Directors recommends a vote FOR the election of directors and FOR Proposal 2.

Please mark your votes as indicated in this example.

X

1. To elect (01) Vinod K. Agarwal, (02) Navindra Jain, (03) Richard C. Black, (04) D. James Guzy, and (05) Jon D. Tompkins as directors of the Company to serve until the next Annual Meeting of Stockholders or until their successors are duly elected and qualified.

FOR WITHHELD ALL FROM ALL NOMINEES NOMINEES

(Instruction: To withhold authority to vote for any individual nominee, write that nominee s name in the space provided below):

For all nominees except as noted above

2. To ratify the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as the Company s independent accountants.

3. In their discretion, the Proxies are authorized to vote upon such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any postponements or adjournments thereof.

FOR AGAINST ABSTAIN

MARK HERE FOR ADDRESS CHANGE AND NOTE BELOW

This proxy when properly executed will be voted in the manner directed herein by the undersigned stockholder. If no direction is given, this proxy will be voted FOR the election of directors and FOR Proposal 2.

PLEASE MARK, SIGN, DATE AND RETURN THE PROXY PROMPTLY USING THE ENCLOSED ENVELOPE

Signature	Signature	Da

Please sign where indicated above. When shares are held by joint tenants, both should sign. When signing as attorney, executor, administrator, trustee or guardian, please give full title as such. If a corporation, please sign in full corporate name by an authorized officer. If a partnership, please sign in full partnership name by an authorized person.

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Vote by Internet or Telephone or Mail 24 Hours a Day, 7 Days a Week

Internet and telephone voting is available through 4 PM Eastern Time on May 20, 2002.

Your telephone or Internet vote authorizes the named proxies to vote your shares in the same manner as if you marked, signed and returned your proxy card.

Internet http://www.eproxy.com/lgvn		Telephone 1-800-435-6710		Mail
Use the Internet to vote your proxy.  Have your proxy card in hand when you access the web site. You will be prompted to enter your control number, located in the box below, to create and submit an electronic ballot.	OR	Use any touch-tone telephone to vote your proxy. Have your proxy card in hand when you call. You will be prompted to enter your control number, located in the box below, and then follow the directions given.	OR	Mark, sign and date your proxy card and return it in the enclosed postage-paid envelope.

If you vote your proxy by Internet or by telephone, you do NOT need to mail back your proxy card.

You can view the Annual Report and Proxy Statement on the Internet at: http://www.eproxy.com/lgvn