

IRIS INTERNATIONAL INC

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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 *
WILLIAMS RICHARD H

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O IRIS INTERNATIONAL, INC., 9172 ETON AVENUE

(Street)

CHATSWORTH, CA 91311

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
IRIS INTERNATIONAL INC [IRIS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/13/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

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

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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 or Disposed of (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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Common Stock	10/07/2008		G ⁽¹⁾	V	10,000	D	\$ 0 23,080
Common Stock	10/07/2008		G ⁽¹⁾	V	10,000	A	\$ 0 16,500
Common Stock	11/13/2008		S		4,962	D	\$ 11 11,538
Common Stock	11/13/2008		S		4,736	D	\$ 11.05 6,802
Common Stock	11/13/2008		S		100	D	\$ 11.06 6,702

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Common Stock	11/13/2008	S	202	D	\$ 11.07	6,500	I	By Wife
Common Stock	11/14/2008	S	2,300	D	\$ 11.02	4,200	I	By Wife
Common Stock	11/14/2008	S	1,200	D	\$ 11.05	3,000	I	By Wife

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WILLIAMS RICHARD H C/O IRIS INTERNATIONAL, INC. 9172 ETON AVENUE CHATSWORTH, CA 91311	X			

Signatures

/s/ Richard H. Williams 11/17/2008

**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).
- (1) The reporting person transferred these shares as a gift to his wife, who shares reporting person's household.

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