

C H ROBINSON WORLDWIDE 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 *
BUTTS JAMES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
C H ROBINSON WORLDWIDE INC [CHRW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
8100 MITCHELL ROAD
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/14/2006

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Vice President

EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55344

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 ____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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 | | | | | 75,000 | I | By Rabbi Trust |
| Common Stock | 11/14/2006 | | M/K | 20,000 A \$ 10.173 | 776,105 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/14/2006 | | F/K | 4,801 D \$ 42.37 | 771,304 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/14/2006 | | S | 2,513 D \$ 42.3 | 768,791 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/14/2006 | | S | 500 D \$ 42.31 | 768,291 | D | |

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| Common Stock | 11/14/2006 | S | 500 | D | \$ 43.34 | 767,791 | D |
| Common Stock | 11/14/2006 | S | 900 | D | \$ 42.35 | 766,891 | D |
| Common Stock | 11/14/2006 | S | 4,837 | D | \$ 42.36 | 762,054 | D |
| Common Stock | 11/14/2006 | S | 1,300 | D | \$ 42.37 | 760,754 | D |
| Common Stock | 11/14/2006 | S | 2,900 | D | \$ 42.38 | 757,854 | D |
| Common Stock | 11/14/2006 | S | 400 | D | \$ 42.39 | 757,454 | D |
| Common Stock | 11/14/2006 | S | 800 | D | \$ 42.4 | 756,654 | D |
| Common Stock | 11/14/2006 | S | 500 | D | \$ 42.41 | 756,154 ⁽¹⁾ | D |

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------|---------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Am or Nu of S |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 10.173 | 11/14/2006 | | M/K | 20,000 | ⁽³⁾ | 01/31/2010 | Common Stock | 20 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 14 | | | | | ⁽⁴⁾ | 02/01/2011 | Common Stock | 8 |
| Stock Option | \$ 14.625 | | | | | ⁽⁵⁾ | 02/15/2012 | Common Stock | 30 |

(Right to Buy)

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| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 14.82 | | | | | <u>(6)</u> | 02/07/2013 | Common Stock | 30 |
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| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 40.58 | | | | | 08/18/2006 ⁽²⁾ | 02/15/2009 | Common Stock | 1 |
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| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 42.37 | 11/14/2006 | | A/K | 4,801 | 11/14/2006 ⁽²⁾ | 01/31/2010 | Common Stock | 4 |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| BUTTS JAMES 8100 MITCHELL ROAD EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55344 | | | Vice President | |

Signatures

/s/ James E. Butts 11/15/2006

 **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) Includes shares held in the employee stock purchase plan as of a statement dated March 31, 2006.
- (2) 100% exercisable.
- (3) Vests 25% annually on the anniversary of the date of grant beginning 1/31/02.
- (4) Vests 25% annually on the anniversary of the date of grant beginning 2/1/03.
- (5) Vests 25% annually on the anniversary of the date of grant beginning 2/15/04.
- (6) Vests 25% annually on the anniversary of the date of grant beginning 2/7/05.

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