

COUGHLIN PHILIP M
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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 *
COUGHLIN PHILIP M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
EXPEDITORS INTERNATIONAL OF WASHINGTON INC [EXPD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1015 THIRD AVENUE, 12TH FLOOR
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/01/2008

____ Director
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Executive VP-North America

SEATTLE, WA 98104

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| Common Stock | 12/01/2008 | | M | 40,000 | A \$ 9.48 | 71,681.1427 | D ⁽¹⁾ |
| Common Stock | 12/01/2008 | | M | 8,468 | A \$ 12.43 | 80,149.1427 | D |
| Common Stock | 12/01/2008 | | M | 6,996 | A \$ 14.29 | 87,145.1427 | 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 9.48 | 12/01/2008 | | M | 40,000 | 05/03/2003 | 05/03/2010 | Common Stock | 40,000 |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 12.43 | 12/01/2008 | | M | 8,468 | 05/09/2004 | 05/09/2011 | Common Stock | 8,468 |
| Stock Options (Right to Buy) | \$ 14.29 | 12/01/2008 | | M | 6,996 | 05/08/2005 | 05/08/2012 | Common Stock | 6,996 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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SEATTLE, WA 98104

Executive VP-North America

Signatures

/s/ Philip M.
Coughlin

12/01/2008

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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Balance of Common Stock beneficially owned includes 552.3638 shares purchased on July 31, 2008 under Expeditors International of Washington, Inc.'s 2002 Employee Stock Purchase Plan and 21.5804 shares acquired June 16, 2008 pursuant to the reinvestment of a dividend under Expeditors International of Washington, Inc.'s 2002 Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

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