

NEUBERGER BERMAN CALIFORNIA INTERMEDIATE MUNICIPAL FUND INC
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Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D
(Rule 13d-101)

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TO § 240.13d-1(a) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO
§ 240.13d-2(a)

(Amendment No. 1)1

Neuberger Berman California Intermediate Municipal Fund Inc.
(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$0.0001 Par Value

(Title of Class of Securities)

64123C101

(CUSIP Number)

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April 30, 2009

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of This Statement)

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CUSIP NO. 64123C101

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

WESTERN INVESTMENT LLC

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a) (b)

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS

OO, WC

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

DELAWARE

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
		297,329
	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
		- 0 -
	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
		297,329
	10	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
		- 0 -

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

297,329

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

4.4%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

OO

CUSIP NO. 64123C101

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

ARTHUR D. LIPSON

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A (a) x
GROUP (b) o

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS

OO

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS ..
IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

USA

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
		297,329
	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
		- 0 -
	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
		297,329
	10	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
		- 0 -

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

297,329

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) x
EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

4.4%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

IN

CUSIP NO. 64123C101

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

WESTERN INVESTMENT HEDGED PARTNERS L.P.

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a) (b)

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS

WC

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

DELAWARE

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
		108,863
	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
		- 0 -
	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
		108,863
	10	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
		- 0 -

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

108,863

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

1.6%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

PN

CUSIP NO. 64123C101

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

WESTERN INVESTMENT TOTAL RETURN PARTNERS L.P.

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A (a) x
 GROUP (b) o

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS

WC

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

DELAWARE

NUMBER OF	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
SHARES		
BENEFICIALLY		107,494
OWNED BY	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
EACH		
REPORTING		- 0 -
PERSON WITH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
	10	107,494
		SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
		- 0 -

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

107,494

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES x

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

1.6%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

PN

CUSIP NO. 64123C101

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

WESTERN INVESTMENT TOTAL RETURN FUND LTD.

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a) (b)

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS

WC

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

CAYMAN ISLANDS

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
		80,472
	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
		- 0 -
	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
		80,472
	10	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

- 0 -

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

80,472

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

1.2%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

CO

CUSIP NO. 64123C101

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

BENCHMARK PLUS INSTITUTIONAL PARTNERS, L.L.C.

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a) (b)

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS

WC

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

DELAWARE

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
		75,627
	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
		- 0 -
	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
		75,627
	10	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
		- 0 -

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

75,627

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

1.1%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

OO

CUSIP NO. 64123C101

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

BENCHMARK PLUS PARTNERS, L.L.C.

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a) (b)

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS

WC

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

DELAWARE

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
		58,915
	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
		- 0 -
	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
		58,915
	10	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
		- 0 -

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

58,915

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

Less than 1%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

OO

CUSIP NO. 64123C101

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

BENCHMARK PLUS MANAGEMENT, L.L.C.

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a) (b)

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS

OO

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

DELAWARE

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
		134,542
	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
		- 0 -
	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
		134,542
	10	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
		- 0 -

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

134,542

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

2.0%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

OO

CUSIP NO. 64123C101

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

ROBERT FERGUSON

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A (a) x
GROUP (b) o

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS

OO

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS ..
IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

USA

NUMBER OF	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
SHARES		
BENEFICIALLY		134,542
OWNED BY	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
EACH		
REPORTING		- 0 -
PERSON WITH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
	10	134,542
		SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
		- 0 -

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

134,542

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) x
EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

2.0%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

IN

CUSIP NO. 64123C101

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

SCOTT FRANZBLAU

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A (a) x
GROUP (b) o

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS

OO

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS ..
IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

USA

NUMBER OF	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
SHARES		
BENEFICIALLY		134,542
OWNED BY	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
EACH		
REPORTING		- 0 -
PERSON WITH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
	10	134,542
		SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
		- 0 -

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

134,542

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) x
EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

2.0%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

IN

CUSIP NO. 64123C101

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

MATTHEW S. CROUSE

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A (a)
 GROUP (b)

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

USA

NUMBER OF	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
SHARES		
BENEFICIALLY		- 0 -
OWNED BY	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
EACH		
REPORTING		- 0 -
PERSON WITH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
	10	- 0 -
		SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
		- 0 -

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

- 0 -

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
 EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

- 0 -

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

IN

CUSIP NO. 64123C101

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

WILLIAM J. ROBERTS

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A (a)
GROUP (b)

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

USA

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
		- 0 -
	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
		- 0 -
	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
		- 0 -
	10	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
		- 0 -

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

- 0 -

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

- 0 -

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

IN

CUSIP NO. 64123C101

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

GARY G. SCHLARBAUM

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A (a)
 GROUP (b)

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

USA

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
		- 0 -
	8	SHARED VOTING POWER
		- 0 -
	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
		- 0 -
	10	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
		- 0 -

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

- 0 -

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
 EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

- 0 -

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

IN

CUSIP NO. 64123C101

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

ROBERT A. WOOD

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A (a)
GROUP (b)

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEM 2(d) OR 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

USA

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	7	SOLE VOTING POWER
	8	- 0 - SHARED VOTING POWER
	9	- 0 - SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
	10	- 0 - SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
		- 0 -

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

- 0 -

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11)
EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

- 0 -

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

IN

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The following constitutes Amendment No. 1 (“Amendment No. 1”) to the Schedule 13D filed by the undersigned. This Amendment No. 1 amends the Schedule 13D as specifically set forth.

Item 2. Identity and Background.

Item 2 is hereby amended to add the following:

In connection with the Agreement as discussed in further detail in Item 4, each of Mr. Crouse, Mr. Roberts, Mr. Schlarbaum and Professor Wood terminated his obligation to act in concert with the other Reporting Persons with respect to the Issuer. Accordingly, each of Mr. Crouse, Mr. Roberts, Mr. Schlarbaum and Professor Wood is no longer a member of the Section 13(d) group and will cease to be Reporting Persons immediately after the filing of this statement. The remaining Reporting Persons will continue filing as a group statements on Schedule 13D with respect to their beneficial ownership of securities of the Issuer, to the extent required by applicable law.

Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration.

Item 3 is hereby amended and restated as follows:

The aggregate purchase price of the 297,329 Shares beneficially owned by WILLC is approximately \$3,203,012. The Shares beneficially owned by WILLC consist of 500 Shares that were acquired with WILLC’s working capital, 108,863 Shares that were acquired with WIHP’s working capital, 107,494 Shares that were acquired with WITRP’s working capital and 80,472 Shares that were acquired with WITRL’s working capital.

The aggregate purchase price of the 134,542 Shares beneficially owned by BPM is approximately \$1,410,598. The Shares beneficially owned by BPM consist of 75,627 Shares that were acquired with BPIP’s working capital and 58,915 Shares that were acquired with BPP’s working capital.

Item 4. Purpose of Transaction.

Item 4 is hereby amended to add the following:

On April 30, 2009 “Western” (as defined in the Agreement and consisting of certain of the Reporting Persons including WILLC, WIHP, WITRP, WITRL, BPP, BPIP, BPM and Mr. Lipson) entered into an agreement (the “Agreement”) with Neuberger Berman Management LLC, (“Neuberger Berman”), the Issuer’s investment adviser. Pursuant to the terms of the Agreement, the Issuer, Neuberger Berman High Yield Strategies Fund (“NHS”), Neuberger Berman Dividend Advantage Fund Inc. (“NDD”), Neuberger Berman Income Opportunity Fund Inc. (“NOX”) and Neuberger Berman New York Intermediate Municipal Fund Inc. (“NBO”) (collectively the “Funds”), in addition to the previously announced tender offer for up to 10% of each Fund’s common shares, commencing on May 1, 2009 and expiring on May 29, 2009, at a price equal to 98% of each such Fund’s net asset value (“NAV”) as determined on the date the tender offer expires, have approved the terms of the first tender offer to commence in the Funds’ recently announced semi-annual tender offer program (the “Tender Offer Program”), pursuant to which each Fund will conduct up to four tender offers over a two year period for between 5% and 20% of its outstanding common shares at a price equal to 98% of its NAV, as determined on the day such tender offer expires, provided each Fund’s respective NAV maintains an average daily discount of greater than 10% during a twelve-week measurement period, and have approved the twelve-week measurement period, to commence on June 5, 2009 and ending on August 28, 2009 (the “Measurement Period”), for the initial tender offer (the “Initial Tender Offer”) under the Tender Offer Program. The Initial Tender Offer shall commence as soon as reasonably practicable after the end of the Measurement Period, but in no event later than ten (10) business days following the end of the Measurement Period, and the Initial Tender Offer shall be for 10% of each respective Fund’s outstanding common shares at a price equal to 98% of such Fund’s NAV calculated at the close of

business on the day the tender offer expires.

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Neuberger Berman also agreed to use commercially reasonable efforts to identify a course of action that will provide each of NDD's stockholders with liquidity options, including the ability of each stockholder to realize no less than 95% of NAV on their Shares as soon as reasonably practicable following approval by NDD's Board of Directors (the "Liquidity Event"). Options include, but are not limited to, liquidation, reorganization into one or more open-end registered investment companies advised and administered by Neuberger Berman or conversion of NDD to an open-end fund. Neuberger Berman agreed to present and recommend approval of such Liquidity Event to NDD's Board of Directors no later than June 30, 2009.

Pursuant to the Agreement, Western agreed to withdraw its preliminary proxy statement filed on April 17, 2009 with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") with respect to the Issuer and to not deliver or mail any proxy materials to stockholders of the Issuer.

In addition, for a period of three years following the date of the Agreement (the "Restricted Period"), with respect to any registered investment company, managed or sponsored by Neuberger Berman, its affiliates, successors or assigns (the "NB Funds"), Western agreed to, among other things: (i) not submit any stockholder proposals for the vote or consent of stockholders, (ii) nominate any candidate for election as director or trustee or (iii) solicit proxies for any stockholder proposals or nominations of candidates for election as directors or trustees.

In addition, with respect to the NB Funds during the Restricted Period, Western agreed not to (i) encourage, recommend, advise or urge others to put forward stockholder proposals, (ii) indicate support or approval for any stockholder proposals, (iii) cause or permit its shares of common stock to be voted on any matter, other than in accordance with the recommendations of that NB Fund's Board of Directors, or (iv) solicit or encourage others to vote against any matter recommended by an NB Fund's Board of Directors. Western also agreed not to, with respect to the NB Funds during the Restricted Period, purchase or otherwise acquire or obtain voting rights for any securities of the NB Funds, except for certain limited exceptions.

The foregoing description of the Agreement is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Agreement, which is attached as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer.

Items 5(a) and (c) are hereby amended and restated as follows:

(a) The aggregate percentage of Shares reported owned by each person named herein is based upon 6,799,354 Shares outstanding, which is the total number of Shares outstanding as of February 27, 2009, as reported in the Issuer's Definitive Proxy Statement, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 3, 2009.

As of the close of business on April 30, 2009, WIHP, WITRP and WITRL beneficially owned 108,863, 107,494 and 80,472 Shares, respectively, representing approximately 1.6%, 1.6% and 1.2%, respectively, of the Shares outstanding. As the investment manager of WITRL and the general partner of each of WIHP and WITRP, WILLC may be deemed to beneficially own the 296,829 Shares owned in the aggregate by WIHP, WITRP and WITRL, representing approximately 4.4% of the Shares outstanding, in addition to the 500 Shares it holds directly. As the managing member of WILLC, Mr. Lipson may be deemed to beneficially own the 297,329 Shares beneficially owned by WILLC, representing approximately 4.4% of the Shares outstanding. As members of a group for the purposes of Rule 13d-5(b)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Western Entities may be deemed to beneficially own the 134,542 Shares owned by the other Reporting Persons. The Western Entities disclaim beneficial ownership of such Shares.

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As of the close of business on April 30, 2009, BPIP and BPP beneficially owned 75,627 and 58,915 Shares, respectively, representing approximately 1.1% and less than 1%, respectively, of the Shares outstanding. As the managing member of each of BPIP and BPP, BPM may be deemed to beneficially own the 134,542 Shares owned in the aggregate by BPIP and BPP, representing approximately 2.0% of the Shares outstanding. As managing members of BPM, Messrs. Franzblau and Ferguson may be deemed to beneficially own the 134,542 Shares beneficially owned by BPM, representing approximately 2.0% of the Shares outstanding. As members of a group for the purposes of Rule 13d-5(b)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Benchmark Entities may be deemed to beneficially own the 297,329 Shares owned by the other Reporting Persons. The Benchmark Entities disclaim beneficial ownership of such Shares.

As of the close of business on April 30, 2009, none of Messrs. Crouse, Roberts, Schlarbaum or Professor Wood owned any Shares.

(c) Schedule A annexed hereto lists all transactions in securities of the Issuer by the Reporting Persons during the past sixty days. All of such transactions were effected in the open market, unless otherwise noted.

Item 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships With Respect to Securities of the Issuer.

Item 6 is hereby amended to add the following:

On April 30, 2009, WILLC, WIHP, WITRP, WITRL, BPP, BPIP, BPM and Mr. Lipson entered into the Agreement as discussed in further detail in Item 4.

Item 7. Material to be Filed as Exhibits.

Item 7 is hereby amended to add the following exhibit:

99.1 Compromise and Standstill Agreement by and among Neuberger Berman Management LLC and Arthur D. Lipson, Western Investment LLC, Western Investment Hedged Partners L.P., Western Investment Activism Partners LLC, Western Investment Institutional Partners, LLC, Western Investment Total Return Partners L.P., Western Investment Total Return Fund Ltd., Benchmark Plus Institutional Partners, L.L.C., Benchmark Plus Partners, L.L.C. and Benchmark Plus Management, L.L.C, dated April 30, 2009.

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SIGNATURES

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of his knowledge and belief, each of the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: May 4, 2009

WESTERN INVESTMENT LLC

By: /s/ Arthur D. Lipson
Name: Arthur D. Lipson
Title: Managing Member

WESTERN INVESTMENT HEDGED PARTNERS L.P.

By: Western Investment LLC
General Partner

By: /s/ Arthur D. Lipson
Name: Arthur D. Lipson
Title: Managing Member

WESTERN INVESTMENT TOTAL RETURN
PARTNERS L.P.

By: Western Investment LLC
General Partner

By: /s/ Arthur D. Lipson
Name: Arthur D. Lipson
Title: Managing Member

WESTERN INVESTMENT TOTAL RETURN FUND
LTD.

By: Western Investment LLC
Investment Manager

By: /s/ Arthur D. Lipson
Name: Arthur D. Lipson
Title: Managing Member

/s/ Arthur D. Lipson
ARTHUR D. LIPSON

/s/ Arthur D. Lipson
ARTHUR D. LIPSON
As Attorney-In-Fact for Matthew S. Crouse

CUSIP NO. 64123C101

/s/ Arthur D. Lipson
ARTHUR D. LIPSON
As Attorney-In-Fact for William J. Roberts

/s/ Arthur D. Lipson
ARTHUR D. LIPSON
As Attorney-In-Fact for Gary G. Schlarbaum

/s/ Arthur D. Lipson
ARTHUR D. LIPSON
As Attorney-In-Fact for Robert A. Wood

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BENCHMARK PLUS INSTITUTIONAL PARTNERS,
L.L.C.

By: Benchmark Plus Management, L.L.C.
Managing Member

By: /s/ Robert Ferguson
Name: Robert Ferguson
Title: Managing Member

By: /s/ Scott Franzblau
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Title: Managing Member

BENCHMARK PLUS PARTNERS, L.L.C.

By: Benchmark Plus Management, L.L.C.
Managing Member

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ROBERT FERGUSON

/s/ Scott Franzblau
SCOTT FRANZBLAU

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SCHEDULE A

Transactions in the Shares During the Past Sixty Days

Date of Purchase / Sale	Shares of Common Stock Purchased / (Sold)	Price Per Share (\$)
WESTERN INVESTMENT HEDGED PARTNERS L.P.		
04/06/09	1,233	12.0325
04/08/09	1,499	11.9746
04/14/09	400	12.1775
04/16/09	500	12.2472
04/22/09	700	12.4401
04/22/09	1,900	12.3659
04/23/09	1,800	12.5055
WESTERN INVESTMENT LLC		
03/30/09	(100)	N/A*
WESTERN INVESTMENT TOTAL RETURN PARTNERS L.P.		
03/06/09	3,600	11.6271
03/10/09	2,700	11.4385
03/13/09	300	11.6325
04/06/09	1,308	12.0325
04/08/09	1,498	11.9746
04/13/09	800	12.0707
04/16/09	500	12.2472
04/20/09	100	12.3325
04/22/09	700	12.4401
04/22/09	1,900	12.3659
04/23/09	1,800	12.5055
04/24/09	200	12.3525
04/24/09	(2,200)	12.5336

* Transferred as a gift.

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WESTERN INVESTMENT TOTAL RETURN FUND LTD.

03/09/09	2,600	11.5339
03/11/09	200	11.4725
04/06/09	1,159	12.0325
04/09/09	300	12.1567
04/13/09	800	12.0707
04/16/09	500	12.2472
04/17/09	200	12.3285
04/22/09	600	12.4413
04/22/09	1,900	12.3659
04/23/09	1,800	12.5055

ARTHUR D. LIPSON

None

BENCHMARK PLUS INSTITUTIONAL PARTNERS, L.L.C.

03/16/09	3,900	11.6225
03/17/09	1,900	11.6946
03/18/09	900	11.6914
04/07/09	3,520	11.9930
04/21/09	900	12.3829
04/22/09	2,600	12.3697

BENCHMARK PLUS PARTNERS, L.L.C.

04/07/09	1,280	11.9980
04/22/09	1,000	12.3759

BENCHMARK PLUS MANAGEMENT, L.L.C.

None

SCOTT FRANZBLAU

None

ROBERT FERGUSON

None

MATTHEW S. CROUSE

None

WILLIAM J. ROBERTS

None

GARY G. SCHLARBAUM

None

ROBERT A. WOOD

None

