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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(State)

SHORT BRIAN Issuer Symbol C H ROBINSON WORLDWIDE (Check all applicable) INC [CHRW] X_ Director (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 14701 CHARLSON ROAD 03/31/2009

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Person

EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55347

(Zip)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 6. Ownership 7. Nature of 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Beneficially Beneficial Code Disposed of (D) (D) or (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Ownership (Instr. 8) Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Common 11,672 D Stock

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)

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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. Transac Code (Instr. 8			rative rities ired rosed) . 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisab Date (Month/Day/Year	•	7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock (Director Units)	(1)	03/31/2009		A		370		(2)	(2)	Common Stock	8,480
Phantom Stock (Director Units)	(1)							12/31/2006(3)	12/31/2010(3)	Common Stock	673
Phantom Stock (Director Units)	(1)							12/31/2007(3)	12/31/2011(3)	Common Stock	553
Phantom Stock (Director Units)	(1)							12/31/2008(3)	12/31/2012(3)	Common Stock	981

Reporting Owners

Short

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SHORT BRIAN 14701 CHARLSON ROAD EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55347	X						
Signatures							
s/Troy Renner, Attorney in fact	t for Brian	1 P.					

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).

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- **(1)** 1-for-1
- (2) Issued as Director Compensation, upon board termination, the shares of phantom stock become payable in common stock in accordance with the election of the reporting person.
- (3) Vests annually each year end based on the financial performance of the Company, beginning and ending the dates shown.

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