

Schwartz Spencer
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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 *
 Schwartz Spencer

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 ATLAS AIR WORLDWIDE HOLDINGS INC [AAWW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 11/17/2009

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 Vice President & Controller

C/O ATLAS AIR WORLDWIDE HOLDINGS, INC., 2000 WESTCHESTER AVENUE
 (Street)

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

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

PURCHASE, NY 10577

(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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock, \$0.01 par value | 11/17/2009 | | A | | 2,198 | A | \$ 0 |
| Common Stock, \$0.01 par value | 11/17/2009 | | F | | 861 | D | \$ 29.59 |
| | | | | | | | 2,198 |
| | | | | | | | 1,337 |

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 or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|---|
| Restricted Stock Units | <u>(1)</u> | 11/17/2009 | | M | 2,198 | <u>(2)</u> / <u>(2)</u> | Common Stock | 2,198 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Schwartz Spencer
C/O ATLAS AIR WORLDWIDE HOLDINGS, INC.
2000 WESTCHESTER AVENUE
PURCHASE, NY 10577

Vice President & Controller

Signatures

/s/ Michael W. Borkowski Michael W. Borkowski, as Attorney-in-Fact

11/18/2009

**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) Upon vesting, the Reporting Person is entitled to receive one share of Common Stock for each restricted stock unit.

(2) Of the 6,596 restricted stock units awarded, 2,198 units vested on November 17, 2009, 2,199 units vest on November 17, 2010 and 2,199 units vest on November 17, 2011.

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