

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>PICKERING JOHN F</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>13001 HOLLENBERG DRIVE</u> (Street) <u>BRIDGETON MO 63044</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CASS INFORMATION SYSTEMS INC [CASS]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>COO Transportation</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>01/03/2012</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	

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	01/03/2012		M		821	A	\$13.13	22,901 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	01/03/2012		F		294	D	\$36.61	22,607 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock								18,334	I	Held in spousal trust

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$13.13	01/03/2012		M		821		01/02/2012 ⁽²⁾	01/02/2012	Common Stock	821	\$13.13	0	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$18.79							01/02/2013 ⁽²⁾	01/02/2013	Common Stock	1,097		1,097	D	
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$25.83							01/22/2009 ⁽³⁾	01/22/2018	Common Stock	9,169		9,169	D	
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$23.43							01/20/2010 ⁽³⁾	01/22/2019	Common Stock	12,098		12,098	D	
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$27.42							01/27/2011 ⁽³⁾	01/26/2020	Common Stock	2,262		2,262	D	
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$32.95							01/26/2012 ⁽³⁾	01/25/2021	Common Stock	6,695		6,695	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- Includes restricted stock bonus shares, subject to vesting and forfeiture.
- Exercisable date may be accelerated based on Company performance.
- Over a three-year vesting period, SARs become exercisable in one-third increments on the anniversary date of the grant.

Remarks:

Security prices and values adjusted for 10% stock dividend issued on 12/15/2011.

/s/ John F. Pickering

01/04/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

