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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

\$0.01 per share

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

(State)

ARES CORPORATE

OPPORTUNITIES FUND LP

(Middle)

(Zip)

Symbol

DOUGLAS DYNAMICS, INC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

[PLOW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

03/10/2011

_X__ Director X__ 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

below)

Officer (give title Other (specify

2000 AVENUE OF THE STARS, 12TH FLOOR

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

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

14.65

LOS ANGELES, CA 90067

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securitie	es Acqu	iired (A)	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	omr Dispose	d of (D))	Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4	and 5)		Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
							Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
							Reported	(I)	
					(A)		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
					or		(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	,		
Common									
Stock, par									
•	02/10/2011		C	202 000	D	\$	2,446,766	D (1) (2)	
value	03/10/2011		S	302,000	D	14.65	2,440,700	$D \stackrel{(1)}{=} \stackrel{(2)}{=}$	

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

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 $\label{thm:convertible} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	ınt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Deletionships

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Function		10% Owner	Officer	Other		
ARES CORPORATE OPPORTUNITIES FUND LP 2000 AVENUE OF THE STARS 12TH FLOOR LOS ANGELES, CA 90067	X	X				
ACOF MANAGEMENT LP 2000 AVENUE OF THE STARS 12TH FLOOR LOS ANGELES, CA 90067	X	X				
ACOF OPERATING MANAGER LP 2000 AVENUE OF THE STARS 12TH FLOOR LOS ANGELES, CA 90067	X	X				
ARES MANAGEMENT LLC 2000 AVENUE OF THE STARS 12TH FLOOR LOS ANGELES, CA 90067	X	X				
ARES PARTNERS MANAGEMENT CO LLC 2000 AVENUE OF THE STARS 12TH FLOOR LOS ANGELES, CA 90067	X	X				

Signatures

/s/ Michael D. Weiner, Authorized Signatory of ACOF Operating Manager, L.P., Manager, for Ares Corporate Opportunities Fund, L.P.

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**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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/s/ Michael D. Weiner, Authorized Signatory of ACOF Operating Manager, L.P., General Partner, for ACOF Management, L.P.	03/14/2011
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Michael D. Weiner, Authorized Signatory, for ACOF Operating Manager, L.P.	03/14/2011
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Michael D. Weiner, Authorized Signatory, for Ares Management LLC	03/14/2011
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Michael D. Weiner, Authorized Signatory, for Ares Partners Management Company LLC	03/14/2011
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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- * 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).
 - The general partner of Ares Corporate Opportunities Fund, L.P. ("ACOF") is ACOF Management, L.P. ("ACOF Management") and the general partner of ACOF Management is ACOF Operating Manager, L.P. ("ACOF Operating Manager"). The manager of ACOF is
- (1) ACOF Operating Manager. ACOF Operating Manager is indirectly controlled by Ares Management LLC ("AM LLC"), which, in turn, is indirectly controlled by Ares Partners Management Company LLC ("APMC" and, together with ACOF, ACOF Management, ACOF Operating Manager and AM LLC, the "Ares Entities").
 - APMC is managed by an executive committee comprised of Antony Ressler, Michael Arougheti, David Kaplan, Greg Margolies and Bennett Rosenthal. Each of the members of the executive committee, and the Ares Entities (other than ACOF with respect to the securities held by ACOF) and the officers, partners, members and managers of the Ares Entities expressly disclaim beneficial ownership
- (2) of, and pecuniary interest in, these securities, except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that any such person or entity is the beneficial owner of, or has any pecuniary interest in, such securities for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purposes. The address of each Ares Entity is 2000 Avenue of the Stars, 12th Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90067.

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