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7. Nature of

Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Form 4 or

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(Zip)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Stein David

> (First) (Middle)

5301 N. FEDERAL HIGHWAY, SUITE 120

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

China Direct, Inc [CDS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/10/2007

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director X__ 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title __Other (specify below) Chief Operating Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transactionor Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: (Month/Day/Year) Owned Direct (D) (Instr. 8) Following or Indirect Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 2,083,115 D Stock Common $M_{\underline{1}}^{(1)}$ \$ 2.5 D 12/10/2007 28,000 Α 2,111,115 Stock Common S 12/10/2007 28,000 2,083,115 D 10.4302 Stock Common 12/11/2007 $M_{\underline{}}^{(1)}$ 14,000 Α \$ 2.5 2,097,115 D Stock Common 12/11/2007 S 28,000 2,083,115 D Stock

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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 onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ative aties red (A) posed of 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(1	A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 0.01							01/01/2005	01/01/2010	Common Stock	200,000
Stock Options	\$ 2.5							01/01/2006	01/01/2011	Common Stock	83,920
Stock Options	\$ 2.5	12/10/2007		M(1)		Ź	28,000	01/01/2006	01/01/2011	Common Stock	28,000
Stock Options	\$ 2.5	12/11/2007		M(1)			14,000	01/01/2006	01/01/2011	Common Stock	14,000
Stock Options	\$ 5							01/01/2007	01/01/2012	Common Stock	200,000
Stock Options	\$ 7.5							01/01/2008	01/01/2013	Common Stock	250,000
Stock Options	\$ 10							01/01/2009	01/01/2014	Common Stock	250,000

Reporting Owners

Relationships								
irector	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
X	X	Chief Operating Officer						
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/s/ David Stein 12/12/2007

**Signature of Date
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).
- (1) Mr. Stein exercised options granted to him under an employment agreement with China Direct, Inc. and vested on 1/1/06. Mr. Stein delivered proceeds of \$105,000 to China Direct, Inc. Transactions were made pursuant to a duly adopted trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.

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