NII HOLDINGS INC

Form 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RISNER JOHN W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

NII HOLDINGS INC [NIHD]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director

10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

10700 PARKRIDGE BLVD., SUITE 12/20/2004

(Street)

(State)

(Zip)

600

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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below)

RESTON, VA 20191

(City)

(City)	(State)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ities		5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionAcquired (A) or			or	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Code Disposed of (D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership		
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
							Reported			
				(A)		Transaction(s)				
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
common stock	12/20/2004		G	1,200	D	\$0	7,800	D		
common stock	12/20/2004		G	1,200	D	\$0	6,600	D		

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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									Amount		
						Date	Evaluation		or		
							Expiration	Title	Number		
						Exercisable	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
DIGNED TOTAL						

RISNER JOHN W 10700 PARKRIDGE BLVD. SUITE 600 RESTON, VA 20191

X

Signatures

Mercedes Barreras Vescovi Attorney-in-fact

**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).

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