Freiman Daniel E Form 4 April 26, 2012

FORM 4

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

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CHANCES IN RENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Freiman Daniel E Issuer Symbol NII HOLDINGS INC [NIHD] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 1875 EXPLORER STREET, SUITE 04/24/2012 below) 1000 VP and Treasurer

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Street)
4. If Amendment, Date Original
6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Filed(Month/Day/Year)
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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RESTON, VA 20190

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common \$0 04/24/2012 A 7,980 Α $19,553 \stackrel{(2)}{=}$ D Stock (1)

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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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 or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	erivative Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) cquired (A) Disposed of D) nstr. 3, 4,		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securitie
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Sha
Common Stock (right to purchase)	\$ 18.85	04/24/2012		A	14,479	04/24/2013(3)	04/24/2022	Common Stock	14,47

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Freiman Daniel E

1875 EXPLORER STREET SUITE 1000

VP and Treasurer

Signatures

RESTON, VA 20190

Shana Smith Attorney-in-Fact 04/26/2012

**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) The restricted stock grant will vest over three years, as follows: 33-1/3% on April 24, 2013; 33-1/3% on April 24, 2014; and 33-1/3% on April 24, 2015.
- The amount of securities beneficially owned following reported transactions on this column 5 of Table I include 533 shares of restricted stock that vest on April 23, 2013; 1,530 shares of restricted stock that vest on April 20, 2013; 1,530 shares of restricted stock that vest on April 20, 2014; 2,660 shares of restricted stock that vest on April 24, 2013; 2,660 shares of restricted stock that vest on April 24, 2014; and 2,660 shares of restricted stock that vest on April 24, 2015.
- (3) The stock option grant will vest over three years, as follows: 33-1/3% on April 24, 2013; 33-1/3% on April 24, 2014; and 33-1/3% on April 24, 2015.

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