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Form 3			
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FORM 3	UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION	OMB APPROVAL	
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Last) ((First)	(Middle)	(Month/Day/Year) 07/30/2012		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
1626 EAST JEF	FERSON	STREET							
(5	Street)	et)				k all applicable	e)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
ROCKVILLE,Â	A MDÂ 20	852-4041			Director 10% Owner X Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) Executive Vice President		er low)		
(City) (State)	(Zip)		Table I - N	on-Deriva	tive Securit	ties Be	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)				2. Amount of S Beneficially Ov (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Natu Owner (Instr. :	•	
Common shares	4,612		D	Â					
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Data	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4)	Amount or Deriva	Price of Derivative	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	
	Date Exercisable		Thie		Security		

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(I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships						
		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Taylor James M Jr 1626 EAST JEFFERSON ROCKVILLE, MD 208		Â	Â	Executive Vice President	Â			
Signatures								
James M. Taylor, Jr.	08/07/201	2						
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date							
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Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

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