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FORM 4

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

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SECURITIES Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Reilly Thomas Issuer Symbol ArcSight Inc [ARST] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ Director 10% Owner __Other (specify X_ Officer (give title _ C/O ARCSIGHT, INC., 5 RESULTS 07/30/2009 below) WAY President and CEO (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 Form filed by More than One Reporting CUPERTINO, CA 95014 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		sed of 4 and (A) or	` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	07/30/2009		M(1)	5,000	A	\$ 6.8	10,670 (2)	D	
Common Stock	07/30/2009		S <u>(1)</u>	5,000	D	\$ 18	5,670 <u>(3)</u>	D	
Common Stock	08/03/2009		M(1)	5,000	A	\$ 6.8	10,670 (2)	D	
Common Stock	08/03/2009		S <u>(1)</u>	5,000	D	\$ 18.9322 (4)	5,670 <u>(3)</u>	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)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration D	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.8	07/30/2009		M <u>(1)</u>	5,000	<u>(5)</u>	01/23/2017	Common Stock	5,000	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.8	08/03/2009		M(1)	5,000	<u>(5)</u>	01/23/2017	Common Stock	5,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Fg	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Reilly Thomas C/O ARCSIGHT, INC. 5 RESULTS WAY CUPERTINO, CA 95014	X		President and CEO				

Signatures

/s/ Tram T. Phi as attorney-in-fact for Thomas
Reilly 08/03/2009

**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) This transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 plan adopted by the reporting person.

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- Includes 2,777 shares of common stock acquired by the reporting person on September 15, 2008 under the ArcSight, Inc. 2007 Employee (2) Stock Purchase Plan and 2,893 shares of common stock acquired by the reporting person on March 13, 2009 under the ArcSight, Inc. 2007 Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- Represents 2,777 shares of common stock acquired by the reporting person on September 15, 2008 under the ArcSight, Inc. 2007 (3) Employee Stock Purchase Plan and 2,893 shares of common stock acquired by the reporting person on March 13, 2009 under the ArcSight, Inc. 2007 Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- Represents a weighted average sales price per share. The prices actually received ranged from \$18.56 to \$19.10. The reporting person has (4) provided to the issuer, and will provide to the SEC staff or any security holder of the issuer, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.
- The option is immediately exercisable and subject to ArcSight's lapsing right of repurchase. Option vested as to 1/4th of the shares on November 27, 2007 and vests as to 1/48th of the shares at the end of each full month thereafter; provided that such vesting is subject to acceleration upon a corporate transaction.

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