Brown David B Form 3 February 02, 2012 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB APPROVAL FORM 3 Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB Number:

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Brown David B			2. Date of Event Rev Statement (Month/Day/Year)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MONEYGRAM INTERNATIONAL INC [MGI]			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	01/23/2012		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
2828 N. HA	ARWOOD							
ST., 15TI	H FLOOR			(Check	c all applicable))		
DALLAS,	(Street) À TXÂ 7520)1		÷		ow)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One	
							Reporting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-Deriva	tive Securiti	ies Be	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Sec (Instr. 4)	urity			nount of Securities ficially Owned r. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr		
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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 (Instr. 4) Title	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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		Shares	(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Brown David B 2828 N. HARWOOD ST. 15TH FLOOR DALLAS, TX 75201	Â	Â	SVP-Chief Accounting Officer	Â		
Signatures						
/s/ Corinna Ulrich, attorney-in-fact	02/02/2012					
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date				
Evaluation of Dechanges						

Explanation of Responses:

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