

Shaw Robert W
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Shaw Robert W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ARCSIGHT, INC., 5 RESULTS WAY

(Street)

CUPERTINO, CA 95014

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ArcSight Inc [ARST]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/09/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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) | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | | |
| Common Stock | 03/09/2009 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | 20,000 | A | \$ 0.24 | 1,670,000 ⁽²⁾ I | By Shaw Family Trust ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock | 03/09/2009 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | 20,000 | D | \$ 11.1939 ⁽³⁾ | 1,650,000 I | By Shaw Family Trust |

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 0.24 | 03/09/2009 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | 20,000 | ⁽⁴⁾ 01/21/2014 | Common Stock | 20,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Shaw Robert W C/O ARCSIGHT, INC. 5 RESULTS WAY CUPERTINO, CA 95014 | | X | | |

Signatures

/s/ Tram T. Phi as attorney-in-fact for Robert W. Shaw 03/10/2009

__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.
- (2) Includes an additional 1,650,000 shares held by the Shaw Family Trust U/A/D 11/22/99. The remaining shares are held by the reporting person.
- (3) Represents a weighted average sales price per share. The prices actually received ranged from \$11.09 to \$11.40. The reporting person has 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.
- (4) The option is 100% vested and exercisable.

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