Grierson Stewart Form 4 September 30, 2009

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Grierson Stewart			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ArcSight Inc [ARST]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	, 11		
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
C/O ARCSIGHT, INC., 5 RESULTS WAY (Street)			09/29/2009	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
CUPERTINO, CA 95014				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	ed, 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit ord Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (` '	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	09/29/2009		M	13,750	A	\$ 0.24	25,882 (1)	I	See Footnote
Common Stock	09/29/2009		M	6,250	A	\$ 0.48	32,132 (2)	I	See Footnote 2
Common Stock	09/29/2009		S	20,000	D	\$ 24.0483	12,132 (4)	I	See Footnote 4

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 of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.24	09/29/2009		M	13,750	<u>(5)</u>	01/21/2014	Common Stock	13,750
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.48	09/29/2009		M	6,250	<u>(5)</u>	10/05/2014	Common Stock	6,250

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Grierson Stewart C/O ARCSIGHT, INC. 5 RESULTS WAY CUPERTINO, CA 95014

Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Tram T. Phi as attorney-in-fact for Stewart Grierson

09/30/2009

**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) Represents 15,882 shares held by the reporting person and 10,000 shares held by the reporting person and spouse, together.
- (2) Represents 22,132 shares held by the reporting person and 10,000 shares held by the reporting person and spouse, together.

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- Represents a weighted average sales price per share. The prices actually received ranged from \$24.00 to \$24.20. 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) Represents 2,132 shares held by the reporting person and 10,000 shares held by the reporting person and spouse, together.
- (5) The option is 100% vested and exercisable.

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