

Bennett Michael F
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Â Bennett Michael F

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ROYAL CENTRE ONE,Â 11675
 GREAT OAKS WAY, SUITE
 120

(Street)

ALPHARETTA,Â GAÂ 30022

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)
 01/02/2009

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 TRI-S SECURITY CORP [TRIS]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security
 (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned
 (Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:
 Direct (D)
 or Indirect (I)
 (Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
 (Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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)

Date Exercisable Expiration Date

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security
 (Instr. 4)

Title Amount or Number of

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
 (Instr. 5)

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				Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
14% Convertible Promissory Note	11/13/2008	11/13/2010	Common Stock	57,143	\$ 1.75	I	By Southwick Capital, LLC
Warrant	11/13/2008	11/13/2013	Common Stock	10,417	\$ 0.66	I	By Southwick Capital, LLC

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Bennett Michael F ROYAL CENTRE ONE 11675 GREAT OAKS WAY, SUITE 120 ALPHARETTA, GA 30022	Â X	Â	Â	Â

Signatures

/s/ Michael F.
Bennett

12/29/2008

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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