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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

Common

Stock

02/13/2009

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and A Sprecher Je | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol INTERCONTINENTALEXCHANGE INC [ICE] | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | | |
|---|--|---|---|-----------------|--|--|--|---|----------|---|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 2100 RIVEREDGE PARKWAY, SUITE 500 | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2009 | | | | X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Executive Officer | | | |
| ATLANTA | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | | 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) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | ly Owned | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Month/Day/Year) Execution Date any (Month/Day/Ye | | Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securit or(A) or Dia (Instr. 3, 4 | sposed 4 and 3 (A) or | of (D) 5) | Securities Ownership In Beneficially Form: Direct Bo Owned (D) or O | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | 02/13/2009 | | | A A | Amount 1,772 (1) | (D) | Price \$ 0 | 47,873 (2) | I | By spouse |
| Common Stock | 02/13/2009 | | | F | 192 (3) | D | \$ 63.12 | 47,681 <u>(2)</u> | I | By spouse |
| Common Stock | 02/13/2009 | | | A | 11,577 (4) | A | \$0 | 249,341 (5) | D | |

1,639

(3)

D

63.12

 $247,702 \stackrel{(5)}{=}$

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 | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exerc | cisable and | 7. Tit | le and | 8. Price of | 9. |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------|------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|----|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transaction | onNumber | Expiration Date | | Amount of | | Derivative | D |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/ | Year) | Unde | rlying | Security | Se |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | | | Securities | (Instr. 5) | В | |
| | Derivative | | | Securities | | | | (Instr | . 3 and 4) | | O |
| | Security | | | | Acquired | | | | | | Fo |
| | | | | | (A) or | | | | | | R |
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| | | | | | (Instr. 3, | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 4, and 5) | | | | | | |
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| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | | Shares | | |
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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sprecher Jeffrey C 2100 RIVEREDGE PARKWAY **SUITE 500**

X Chief Executive Officer

ATLANTA, GA 30328

Signatures

/s/ Andrew J. Surdykowski, 02/18/2009 Attorney-in-fact

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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Represents shares of performance based restricted stock units granted to the filing person's spouse on December 28, 2007. The vesting of the shares of performance based restricted stock units was conditioned upon the achievement of certain 2008 earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization ("EBITDA") performance versus pre-established targets. The restricted stock units vest over three

- (1) years (1/3 on February 13, 2009; 1/3 on January 2, 2010; and 1/3 on January 2, 2011). Of the 1,772 shares of common stock, 590 shares were issued on February 13, 2009, of which 192 shares were withheld to satisfy payment of the Issuer's tax withholding obligation. The remaining 1,182 shares are scheduled to be issued on the two remaining vesting dates and taxes for these future issuances will be withheld at the time the shares are issued.
- As previously reported, the reporting person also indirectly owns 1,952,978 shares that are beneficially owned directly by Continental (2) Power Exchange, Inc. ("CPEX"). The reporting person beneficially owns 100% of the equity interest in CPEX. Additionally, as previously reported, the reporting person also beneficially owns shares directly.

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- (3) Represents shares of common stock underlying vested restricted stock that are being withheld to satisfy payment of the Issuer's tax withholding obligation.
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- (4) (1/3 on February 13, 2009; 1/3 on January 2, 2010; and 1/3 on January 2, 2011). Of the 11,577 shares of common stock, 3,859 shares were issued on February 13, 2009, of which 1,639 shares were withheld to satisfy payment of the Issuer's tax withholding obligation. The remaining 7,718 shares are scheduled to be issued on the two remaining vesting dates and taxes for these future issuances will be withheld at the time the shares are issued.
- As previously reported, the reporting person also indirectly owns 1,952,978 shares that are beneficially owned directly by Continental Power Exchange, Inc. ("CPEX"). The reporting person beneficially owns 100% of the equity interest in CPEX. In addition, as previously reported, the reporting person also indirectly owns shares that are beneficially owned directly by the reporting person's spouse for which the reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership.

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