#### GREENHILL ROBERT F

Form 4

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### FORM 4

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(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* GREENHILL ROBERT F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

GREENHILL & CO INC [GHL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

\_X\_\_ Director

X\_\_ 10% Owner

GREENHILL & CO., INC., 300

(First)

(Street)

PARK AVENUE

(Month/Day/Year)

01/28/2009

X\_ Other (specify Officer (give title below) below)

Chairman

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

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Instr. 4)

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

(State)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

(Instr. 4)

(A)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8. 1 **Underlying Securities** De Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	3)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					(Iı	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Unit	(1)	01/28/2009		A		12,747		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	12,747	
Restricted Stock Unit	<u>(2)</u>	01/28/2009		A		72,631		(2)	(2)	Common	72,631	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
r g	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
GREENHILL ROBERT F GREENHILL & CO., INC. 300 PARK AVENUE	X	X		Chairman				
NEW YORK, NY 10022								

### **Signatures**

/s/ Jodi B. Ganz, Attorney-in-Fact for Robert F.

Greenhill

01/29/2009

\*\*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).

This restricted stock unit award was granted pursuant to the Greenhill & Co., Inc. Equity Incentive Plan. The 12,747 shares of Common Stock underlying this restricted stock unit award vest in ratable installments on January 1 of each of the first, second, third, fourth and fifth calendar years following the grant date. The restricted stock unit award is subject to payment within 75 days following the applicable vesting date. Each unit represents a right to receive one share of Common Stock or an amount equal to the market value of the Common

- vesting date. Each unit represents a right to receive one share of Common Stock or an amount equal to the market value of the Common Stock underlying the award on the applicable vesting date. Payment may be made in cash, shares of Common Stock or a combination thereof.
  - This restricted stock unit award pursuant to the Greenhill & Co., Inc. Equity Incentive Plan. The 72,631 shares underlying this restricted stock unit award vest in full on January 1 of the fifth calendar year following the grant date and is subject to payment within 75 days
- (2) following such vesting date. Each unit represents a right to receive one share of Common Stock or an amount equal to the market value of the Common Stock underlying the award on the vesting date. Payment may be made in cash, shares of Common Stock or a combination thereof.

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