

RUSTAND KAY  
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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 \*  
RUSTAND KAY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
RELIANCE STEEL & ALUMINUM CO [RS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
350 SOUTH GRAND AVENUE, SUITE 5100  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/22/2010

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
VP, General Counsel, Corp Sec

LOS ANGELES, CA 90071

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

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

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)
			Code	V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	12/22/2010		M	2,500 A \$ 33.7	25,514	D	
Common Stock	12/22/2010		S	2,500 D \$ 51.78 (1)	23,014	D	
Common Stock					1,052 (2)	I	Held by Trustee of Reliance Steel & Aluminum Co.

Common Stock				624	I	Employee Stock Ownership Plan Held by Trustee of Reliance Steel & Aluminum Co. 401(k) Plan
Common Stock				1,800	I	Held by Trustee of pension and profit sharing plan

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
Options to Acquire Common Stock	\$ 33.7	12/22/2010		M	2,500	<sup>(3)</sup> 04/27/2016	Common Stock	2,500

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

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Director                      10% Owner                      Officer                      Other

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VP, General  
Counsel, Corp  
Sec

## Signatures

Kay Rustand

12/22/2010

\_\_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).  
The price reported represents the weighted average sale price of the shares disposed of. The actual sale prices ranged from \$51.77 to  
(1) \$51.80. The Reporting Person has provided to the Issuer and hereby undertakes to provide upon request by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission Staff or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.  
(2) The Company received the allocation for the 2009 plan year under the Reliance Steel & Aluminum Co. Employee Stock Ownership Plan ("ESOP") on May 18, 2010. The Reporting Person acquired 112 ESOP shares for the 2009 plan year.  
(3) The options vested and became exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 27, 2010 which was the first anniversary of the date on which the options were granted.  
(4) In the aggregate, the Reporting Person beneficially owns a total of 37,500 options (with various exercise prices and expiration dates) as of the date of this report.

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