

NCI BUILDING SYSTEMS INC  
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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 \*  
 Brown Eric James

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 NCI BUILDING SYSTEMS INC  
 [NCS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 09/06/2006

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 V.P. & Chief Inform. Officer

10943 NORTH SAM HOUSTON  
 PARKWAY WEST

(Street)

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

HOUSTON, TX 77064

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	09/06/2006		M		2,500 A \$ 29.85	2,500	D
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	09/06/2006		M		414 A \$ 30.18	2,914	D
Common Stock, \$0.01 par	09/06/2006		M		341 A \$ 36.62	3,255	D

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value

Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	09/06/2006	M	376	A	\$ 33.19	3,631	D
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Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	09/06/2006	S	1,231	D	\$ 55.29	2,400	D
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Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	09/06/2006	S	600	D	\$ 55.27	1,800	D
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Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	09/06/2006	S	1,800	D	\$ 55.25	0	D
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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. De
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options to purchase common stock	\$ 29.85	09/06/2006		M	2,500	<u>(1)</u> 06/04/2014	Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	2,500
Options to purchase	\$ 30.18	09/06/2006		M	414	<u>(2)</u> 06/15/2014	Common Stock, \$0.01 par	414

common stock								value	
Options to purchase common stock	\$ 36.62	09/06/2006	M	341	(3)	12/15/2014		Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	341
Options to purchase common stock	\$ 33.19	09/06/2006	M	376	(4)	06/15/2015		Common Stock, \$0.01 par value	376

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Brown Eric James 10943 NORTH SAM HOUSTON PARKWAY WEST HOUSTON, TX 77064			V.P. & Chief Inform. Officer	

## Signatures

/s/ Frances R. Powell (by power of attorney) 09/08/2006

\_\_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) Options vest in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of the grant. The grant date was June 4, 2004.
- (2) Options vest in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of the grant. The grant date was June 15, 2004.
- (3) Options vest in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of the grant. The grant date was December 15, 2004.
- (4) Options vest in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of the grant. The grant date was June 15, 2005.

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