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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement EXPRESS, INC. [EXPR] À Multi-Channel Retail (Month/Day/Year) Holdings LLC - Series G 05/12/2010 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) C/O GOLDEN GATE PRIVATE (Check all applicable) EQUITY, INC., ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER, _X_ 10% Owner Director 39TH FLOOR Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person **SAN** _X_ Form filed by More than One FRANCISCO, Â CAÂ 94111 Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 3. (Instr. 4) Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â Common Stock, par value \$0.01 52,642,520 (1) D Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying
Conversion
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(Month/Day/Year)		Derivative S (Instr. 4)	ecurity	or Exercise Price of	Form of Derivative	(Instr. 5)
Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	

Reporting Owners

		Relationships			
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Multi-Channel Retail Holdings LLC - Series G C/O GOLDEN GATE PRIVATE EQUITY, IN ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER, 39TH FLO SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111	Δ	ÂX	Â	Â	
Golden Gate Capital Management, L.L.C. C/O GOLDEN GATE PRIVATE EQUITY, IN ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER, 39TH FLO SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111	Δ	ÂX	Â	Â	
CCG AV, LLC-Series C C/O GOLDEN GATE PRIVATE EQUITY, IN ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER, 39TH FLO SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111	Δ	ÂX	Â	Â	
CCG AV, L.L.C Series I C/O GOLDEN GATE PRIVATE EQUITY, IN ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER, 39TH FLO SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111	Δ	ÂX	Â	Â	
CCG AV, L.L.C Series L C/O GOLDEN GATE PRIVATE EQUITY, IN ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER, 39TH FLO SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111	Δ	ÂX	Â	Â	

Signatures

/s/ Lacey J. Bundy, Attorney in Fact	05/12/2010
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) See Exhibit 99.1

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Remarks:

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Reporting Owners 2

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Exhibit List:

Exhibit 24.1 - Power of Attorney

Exhibit 24.2 - Power of Attorney

Exhibit 99.1 - Footnote Explanation

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