

C H ROBINSON WORLDWIDE 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 \*  
**BUTTS JAMES**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**C H ROBINSON WORLDWIDE INC [CHRW]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**14701 CHARLSON ROAD**  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**05/12/2008**

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Vice President

**EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55347**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(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 (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock					75,000	I	By Rabbi Trust
Common Stock	05/12/2008		M	7,131 A \$ 0	752,365	D	
Common Stock	05/12/2008		S	100 D \$ 64.71	752,265	D	
Common Stock	05/12/2008		S	2,031 D \$ 64.7001	750,234	D	
Common Stock	05/12/2008		S	5,000 D \$ 64.7	745,234 <sup>(1)</sup>	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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14					(3)	02/01/2011	Common Stock	8,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.625					(4)	02/15/2012	Common Stock	13,354
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.82	05/12/2008		M	754	(5)	02/07/2013	Common Stock	7,500
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 40.58	05/12/2008		M	1,576	08/18/2006 <sup>(2)</sup>	02/15/2009	Common Stock	1,576
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 42.37	05/12/2008		M	4,801	11/14/2006 <sup>(2)</sup>	01/31/2010	Common Stock	4,801

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
				Vice President

BUTTS JAMES  
14701 CHARLSON ROAD  
EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55347

## Signatures

/s/ Troy Renner, Attorney in Fact for James E.  
Butts

05/14/2008

\_\_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) Includes shares held in the employee stock purchase plan as of a statement dated March 31, 2007.
- (2) 100% exercisable.
- (3) Vests 25% annually on the anniversary of the date of grant beginning 2/1/03.
- (4) Vests 25% annually on the anniversary of the date of grant beginning 2/15/04.
- (5) Vests 25% annually on the anniversary of the date of grant beginning 2/7/05.

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