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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** ROSE PETER J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EXPEDITORS INTERNATIONAL OF WASHINGTON INC [EXPD]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 1015 THIRD FLOOR	015 THIRD AVENUE, 12TH		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/12/2012	_X_ Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman and CEO			
SEATTLE, V	(Street) VA 98104		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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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. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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)
Common Stock	03/12/2012		M	836	A	\$ 14.29	3,458.2679 <u>(1)</u>	I	By Spouse
Common Stock							81,218	I	by Trust
Common Stock							1,076,898.3381 (2)	D	

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	omf Der Sec Acc (A) Disj of (posed D) tr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exerci- Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	e	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 Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.29	03/12/2012		M(3)		836	05/08/2005	05/08/2012	Common Stock	836
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.29						05/08/2005	05/08/2012	Common Stock	0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ROSE PETER J

1015 THIRD AVENUE, 12TH FLOOR X Chairman and CEO

SEATTLE, WA 98104

Signatures

/s/ Stock Plan Administrator, attorney-in-fact 03/14/2012

**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).

Balance of Common Stock beneficially owned includes 110.5937 shares purchased on July 29, 2011 under Expeditors International of Washington, Inc.'s 2002 Employee Stock Purchase Plan and 10.7005 shares acquired on June 15, 2011 and 13.1877 shares acquired on December 16, 2011 pursuant to the reinvestment of a dividend under Expeditors International of Washington, Inc.'s 2002 Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

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Balance of Common Stock beneficially owned includes 581.9367 shares purchased on July 29, 2011 under Expeditors International of Washington, Inc.'s 2002 Employee Stock Purchase Plan and 43.4599 shares acquired on June 15, 2011 and 54.3845 shares acquired on December 16, 2011 pursuant to the reinvestment of a dividend under Expeditors International of Washington, Inc.'s 2002 Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

(3) Options exercised were due to expire May 8, 2012.

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