BUSHMAN JAMES E

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **BUSHMAN JAMES E** Issuer Symbol Air Transport Services Group, Inc. (Check all applicable) [ATSG] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) C/O AIR TRANSPORT SERVICES 08/22/2008 GROUP, INC., 145 HUNTER DRIVE (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting WILMINGTON, OH 45177 (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

		Table	ible 1 - Non-Delivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Deficiently Owned							
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4	and 5	5)	Beneficially Owned	(D) or Indirect (I)	Beneficial Ownership	
					(A)		Following Reported Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	08/22/2008		P	10,000	A	\$ 0.96	26,500	D		
Common Stock	08/22/2008		P	12,400	A	\$ 0.98	38,900	D		
Common Stock	08/22/2008		P	2,600	A	\$ 0.97	41,500	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivativ Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>					(2)	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	32,000	

X

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BUSHMAN JAMES E C/O AIR TRANSPORT SERVICES GROUP, INC. 145 HUNTER DRIVE WILMINGTON, OH 45177

Signatures

W. Joseph Payne for: James E. Bushman 08/25/2008

**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) There is no expiration date.
- (2) The units will not be settled until Mr. Bushman's board service ends.
- (3) The restricted stock units will be exchanged for common stock on a one-for-one basis.

Remarks:

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