

DRS TECHNOLOGIES INC
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FORM 4

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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 *
NEWMAN MARK S

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**DRS TECHNOLOGIES, INC., 5
SYLVAN WAY**

(Street)

PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

DRS TECHNOLOGIES INC [DRS]

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

10/22/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Chairman & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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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	10/22/2008		D		196,982	D	\$ 81 (1)
					0		

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)

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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		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.5	10/22/2008		D		90,000	(2)	11/23/2010	Common Stock	90,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 33.96	10/22/2008		D		90,000	(3)	11/15/2011	Common Stock	90,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 32.08	10/22/2008		D		90,000	(4)	11/05/2012	Common Stock	90,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.53	10/22/2008		D		123,000	(5)	01/21/2014	Common Stock	123,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 37.29	10/22/2008		D		96,000	(6)	11/03/2014	Common Stock	96,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 50.23	10/22/2008		D		55,000	(7)	07/05/2015	Common Stock	55,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 49.91	10/22/2008		D		43,558	(8)	06/15/2016	Common Stock	43,558
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 54.3	10/22/2008		D		58,200	(9)	06/14/2017	Common Stock	58,200

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

NEWMAN MARK S
 DRS TECHNOLOGIES, INC.
 5 SYLVAN WAY
 PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054

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Chairman
 & CEO

Signatures

Mark S. 12/09/2008
 Newman

**Signature of Date
 Reporting Person

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) Disposed of pursuant to merger agreement among Issuer, Finmeccanica S.p.A. and Dragon Merger Sub for the merger consideration of \$81.00 per share.
 Pursuant to the merger agreement, option to buy granted on November 24, 2000 and exercisable on the first four anniversaries of the date of grant at 25% per year, was converted into the right to receive an amount of cash equal to the excess of the merger consideration over the exercise price multiplied by the number of unexercised options.
- (2) Pursuant to the merger agreement, option to buy granted on November 16, 2001 and exercisable on the first four anniversaries of the date of grant at 25% per year, was converted into the right to receive an amount of cash equal to the excess of the merger consideration over the exercise price multiplied by the number of unexercised options.
- (3) Pursuant to the merger agreement, option to buy granted on November 6, 2002 and exercisable on the first four anniversaries of the date of grant at 25% per year, was converted into the right to receive an amount of cash equal to the excess of the merger consideration over the exercise price multiplied by the number of unexercised options.
- (4) Pursuant to the merger agreement, option to buy granted on January 22, 2004 and exercisable on the first four anniversaries of the date of grant at 25% per year, was converted into the right to receive an amount of cash equal to the excess of the merger consideration over the exercise price multiplied by the number of unexercised options.
- (5) Pursuant to the merger agreement, option to buy granted on November 4, 2004 and exercisable on the first four anniversaries of the date of grant at 25% per year, was converted into the right to receive an amount of cash equal to the excess of the merger consideration over the exercise price multiplied by the number of unexercised options.
- (6) Pursuant to the merger agreement, option to buy granted on July 6, 2005 and exercisable on March 31, 2006, was converted into the right to receive an amount of cash equal to the excess of the merger consideration over the exercise price multiplied by the number of unexercised options.
- (7) Pursuant to the merger agreement, option to buy granted on June 16, 2006 and exercisable on the first four anniversaries of the date of grant at 25% per year, was converted into the right to receive an amount of cash equal to the excess of the merger consideration over the exercise price multiplied by the number of unexercised options.
- (8) Pursuant to the merger agreement, option to buy granted June 15, 2007 and exercisable on the first four anniversaries of the date of grant at 25% per year, was converted into the right to receive an amount of cash equal to the excess of the merger consideration over the exercise price multiplied by the number of unexercised options.
- (9)

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