

KITT BARRY M  
Form 4  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
KITT BARRY M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CHINA VALVES TECHNOLOGY, INC [CVVT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/07/2009

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

C/O THE PINNACLE FUND, L.P., 4965 PRESTON PARK BLVD., SUITE 240

(Street)

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

PLANO, TX 75093

(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)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	12/07/2009		S	12,450 D	\$ 9.3471 2,026,250	I (1) (2)	By Pinnacle China Fund, L.P.
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	12/07/2009		S	12,450 D	\$ 9.3471 2,026,250	I (3) (4)	By The Pinnacle Fund, L.P.

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Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	12/08/2009	S	23,100	D	\$ 9.2118	2,003,150	I <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	By Pinnacle China Fund, L.P.
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	12/08/2009	S	23,100	D	\$ 9.2118	2,003,150	I <u>(3)</u> <u>(4)</u>	By The Pinnacle Fund, L.P.
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	12/09/2009	S	37,600	D	\$ 9.3942	1,965,550	I <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	By Pinnacle China Fund, L.P.
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	12/09/2009	S	37,600	D	\$ 9.3942	1,965,550	I <u>(3)</u> <u>(4)</u>	By The Pinnacle Fund, L.P.

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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 6)
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Reporting Owners

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KITT BARRY M  
C/O THE PINNACLE FUND, L.P.  
4965 PRESTON PARK BLVD., SUITE 240  
PLANO, TX 75093

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## Signatures

/s/ Barry M. Kitt 12/09/2009

\*\*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).

Barry M. Kitt exercises investment discretion and control over the securities of the issuer held by Pinnacle China Fund, L.P. ("Pinnacle China"). Mr. Kitt may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of the securities beneficially owned by Pinnacle China. Mr. Kitt hereby

- (1) disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of common stock reported herein except to the extent of his direct or indirect pecuniary interest therein, and this Form 4 is not an admission that Mr. Kitt is the beneficial owner of the securities reported herein for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.

This Form 4 is filed on behalf of Pinnacle China and Barry M. Kitt. Pinnacle China Advisers, L.P. ("China Advisers") is the general

- (2) partner of Pinnacle China. Pinnacle China Management, LLC ("China Management") is the general partner of China Advisers. Kitt China Management, LLC ("China Manager") is the manager of China Management. Mr. Kitt is the manager of China Manager.

Barry M. Kitt exercises investment discretion and control over the securities of the issuer held by The Pinnacle Fund, L.P. ("Pinnacle").

Mr. Kitt may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of the securities beneficially owned by Pinnacle. Mr. Kitt hereby disclaims beneficial

- (3) ownership of the securities of the issuer reported herein to the extent of his direct or indirect pecuniary interest therein, and this Form 4 shall not be deemed to be an admission that Mr. Kitt is the beneficial owner of the securities of the issuer reported herein for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.

This Form 4 is filed on behalf of Pinnacle and Barry M. Kitt. Pinnacle Advisers, L.P. ("Advisers") is the general partner of Pinnacle.

- (4) Pinnacle Fund Management, LLC ("Management") is the general partner of Advisers. Mr. Kitt is the sole member of Management.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.

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## ITEM 6. EXHIBITS

### Exhibits

10.1(1) Form of Agreement for Heartland Financial USA, Inc. 2005 Long-Term Incentive Plan Restricted Stock Unit Agreement for awards granted in January 2012.

10.2(1) Form of Agreement for Heartland Financial USA, Inc. 2005 Long-Term Incentive Plan Performance-Based Restricted Stock Unit Agreement for awards granted in January 2012.

31.1 Certification of Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a).

31.2 Certification of Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Rule 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a).

32.1 Certification of Chief Executive Officer pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.

32.2 Certification of Chief Financial Officer pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.

101 Financial statement formatted in Extensible Business Reporting Language: (i) the Consolidated Balance Sheets, (ii) the Consolidated Statements of Income, (iii) the Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income, (iv) the Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows, (v) the Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity, and (vi) the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

(1) Management contracts or compensatory plans or arrangements.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned there unto duly authorized.

HEARTLAND FINANCIAL USA, INC.  
(Registrant)

Principal Executive Officer

/s/ Lynn B. Fuller  
By: Lynn B. Fuller  
President and Chief Executive Officer

Principal Financial and Accounting Officer

/s/ John K. Schmidt  
John K. Schmidt  
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial  
Officer

Dated: May 10, 2012