BUSHMAN JAMES E

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BUSHMAN JAMES E**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

Symbol

Air Transport Services Group, Inc.

(Check all applicable)

[ATSG]

(Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year) 12/02/2008

C/O AIR TRANSPORT SERVICES

(Street)

(First)

(Middle)

GROUP, INC., 145 HUNTER

DRIVE

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

WILMINGTON, OH 45177

(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)	Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	12/02/2008		P	4,900	A	\$ 0.29	46,400	D			
Common Stock	12/03/2008		P	13,930	A	\$ 0.35	60,330	D			
Common Stock	12/03/2008		P	970	A	\$ 0.34	61,300	D			
Common Stock	12/03/2008		P	25,200	A	\$ 0.33	86,500	D			

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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. Dr.Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>					(2)	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	0	

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 12/03/2008

**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.

Reporting Owners 2

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