TOWN SPORTS INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS INC

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FARALLON PARTNERS L L C/CA

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

below)

Symbol

TOWN SPORTS

INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS

INC [CLUB]

(Check all applicable)

(Middle)

Director Officer (give title

X__ 10% Owner _X_ Other (specify

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

08/06/2009

(Month/Day/Year)

below) Member of Group Owning 10%

C/O FARALLON CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.L.C., ONE MARITIME PLAZA, SUITE 2100

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Indirect Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

Common

Stock, par

D (1) (2) (3) value 1,396,011

\$0.001 per share

Common 1,574,334 D (1) (2) (4)

Stock, par value

\$0.001 per

share							
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share						1,021,256	D (1) (2) (5)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share						2,500	D (1) (2) (6)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/06/2009	S	75	D	\$ 3.2815	2,358	D (1) (2) (7)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/07/2009	S	135	D	\$ 3.3003	2,223	D (1) (2) (7)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/07/2009	S	168	D	\$ 3.3063	2,055	D (1) (2) (7)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/06/2009	S	7,575	D	\$ 3.2815	239,653	D (1) (2) (8)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/07/2009	S	13,726	D	\$ 3.3003	225,927	D (1) (2) (8)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/07/2009	S	17,128	D	\$ 3.3063	208,799	D (1) (2) (8)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share						65,981	D (1) (2) (9)

Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share						4,270,936	I	See Footnotes (1) (2) (10)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share						4,270,936	I	See Footnotes (1) (2) (11)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/06/2009	S	13,874	D	\$ 3.2815	438,944	D (1) (2) (15)	
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/07/2009	S	25,141	D	\$ 3.3003	413,803	D (1) (2) (15)	
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/07/2009	S	31,372	D	\$ 3.3063	382,431	D (1) (2) (12) (15)	
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/06/2009	S	15,645	D	\$ 3.2815	495,014	D (1) (2) (13) (15)	
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/07/2009	S	28,353	D	\$ 3.3003	466,661	D (1) (2) (13) (15)	
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/07/2009	S	35,379	D	\$ 3.3063	431,282	D (1) (2) (13) (15)	
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/06/2009	S	731	D	\$ 3.2815	23,128	D (1) (2) (14) (15)	
	08/07/2009	S	1,325	D		21,803		

Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share					\$ 3.3003		D (1) (2) (14) (15)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/07/2009	S	1,653	D	\$ 3.3063	20,150	D (1) (2) (14) (15)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	ionNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amount	t of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underly	ing	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securitie	es	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities	3		(Instr. 3	and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration	0 T'(1 N		
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Fg	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
FARALLON PARTNERS L L C/CA C/O FARALLON CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.L.C. ONE MARITIME PLAZA, SUITE 2100 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111		X		Member of Group Owning 10%			
Farallon FCP, Ltd. C/O FARALLON CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.L.C. ONE MARITIME PLAZA, SUITE 2100		X		Member of Group Owning 10%			

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SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

Farallon FCIP, Ltd.

C/O FARALLON CAPITAL MANGEMENT, L.L.C.

Member of Group Owning

ONE MARITIME PLAZA, SUITE 2100

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

Farallon FCOI II, Ltd.

C/O FARALLON CAPITAL MANAGEMENT,

L.L.C. X Member of Group Owning

ONE MARITIME PLAZA, SUITE 2100 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

Signatures

/s/ Monica R. Landry as attorney-in-fact and/or authorized signer for Farallon Partners, L.L.C.

08/10/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Monica R. Landry as attorney-in-fact and/or authorized signer for Farallon Partners, L.L.C., solely in its capacity as a trustee of each of Farallon FCP, Ltd., Farallon FCIP, Ltd. and Farallon FCOI II, Ltd.

08/10/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

08/10/2009 Date

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08/10/2009

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Date

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- * 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).
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- Since the number of reporting persons that may be listed on a Form 4 is limited, the entities and individuals listed in the footnotes of this Form 4 that are not reporting persons on this Form 4 are filing separate Forms 4 on the date hereof as reporting persons with respect to the securities described in this Form 4 (the "Parallel Forms 4"). Information regarding these entities and individuals is included on this Form 4 for purposes of clarification and convenience only, and is duplicative of the information reported in the Parallel Forms 4.
- (3) The amount of securities shown in this row is owned directly by Farallon Capital Partners, L.P. ("FCP").
- (4) The amount of securities shown in this row is owned directly by Farallon Capital Institutional Partners, L.P. ("FCIP").
- (5) The amount of securities shown in this row is owned directly by Farallon Capital Institutional Partners II, L.P. ("FCIP II").
- (6) The amount of securities shown in this row is owned directly by Farallon Capital Institutional Partners III, L.P. ("FCIP III").
- (7) The amount of securities shown in this row is owned directly by Tinicum Partners, L.P. ("Tinicum").
- (8) The amount of securities in this row is owned directly by RR Capital Partners, L.P. ("RR").
- (9) The amount of securities in this row is owned directly by Farallon Capital Offshore Investors II, L.P. ("FCOI II").
- (10) The amount of securities shown in this row is owned directly by FCP, FCIP, FCIP II, FCIP III, Tinicum, RR and FCOI II (collectively, the "Partnerships"). As the general partner of each of the Partnerships, Farallon Partners, L.L.C. ("FPLLC") may be deemed to be the

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beneficial owner of the Issuer's securities held by each of the Partnerships. FPLLC disclaims any beneficial ownership of any of the Issuer's securities reported or noted herein for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act"), or otherwise, except as to securities representing FPLLC's pro rata interest in, and interest in the profits of, the Partnerships.

The amount of securities shown in this row is owned directly by the Partnerships. Each of William F. Duhamel, Richard B. Fried, Daniel J. Hirsch, Monica R. Landry, Douglas M. MacMahon, Stephen L. Millham, Jason E. Moment, Ashish H. Pant, Rajiv A. Patel, Andrew J. M. Spokes, Richard H. Voon and Mark C. Wehrly (collectively, the "Managing Members") and Thomas F. Steyer (the "Senior

- (11) Managing Member"), as either a managing member or a senior managing member of FPLLC with the power to exercise investment discretion, may be deemed to be a beneficial owner of the Issuer's securities held by each of the Partnerships. Each of the Managing Members and the Senior Managing Member disclaims any beneficial ownership of any of the Issuer's securities reported or noted herein for purposes of Section 16 of the Act or otherwise, except to the extent of his or her pecuniary interest, if any.
- (12) The amount of securities shown in this row is owned directly by Farallon FCP, Ltd. (the "FCP Trust").
- (13) The amount of securities shown in this row is owned directly by Farallon FCIP, Ltd. (the "FCIP Trust").
- (14) The amount of securities shown in this row is owned directly by Farallon FCOI II, Ltd. (the "FCOI II Trust" and, together with the FCP Trust and the FCIP Trust, the "Farallon Trusts").
- (15) FPLLC is a trustee of each of the Farallon Trusts. FPLLC has no direct or indirect pecuniary interest in the securities held by the Farallon Trusts.

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