FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* KNOWLING ROBERT E JR						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HEIDRICK & STRUGGLES INTERNATIONAL INC [HSII]									ck all appli	cable)	g Per	son(s) to Is:		
(Last)	/Ei	rst) ((Middle)								-				Officer below)	(give title		Other (below)		
C/O HEIDRICK & STRUGGLES INTERNATIONAL						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/22/2008									ŕ			,		
233 S. W	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)											
(Street)														l ′	X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
CHICAGO IL 60606															Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(St	tate) ((Zip)																	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
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								Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)		rice	Transac	action(s) 3 and 4)			(111501.4)		
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 Dat if any (Month/Day/Yo	Co	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Non- Employee Restricted Stock Units	\$27.52	05/22/2008			A		2,725		(1)		(2)	Common Stock	2,7	25	\$27.52	9,448		D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. All RSUs will vest upon the date Mr. Knowling ceases to be a Director of the Company.
- 2. Upon vesting, the RSUs automatically convert into an equal number of shares of Company common stock, therefore there is no expiration date for this award.

Stephen W. Beard, Attorneyin-Fact

05/27/2008

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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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