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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Lewis Karla R

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

RELIANCE STEEL & ALUMINUM

(Check all applicable)

CO [RS]

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

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ Other (specify

09/20/2010

below) Exec VP, CFO and Asst Corp Sec

350 SOUTH GRAND **AVENUE, SUITE 5100**

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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LOS ANGELES, CA 90071

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of (` ′	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	09/20/2010		M	37,500	A	\$ 24.575	79,936	D	
Common Stock	09/20/2010		S	37,500	D	\$ 39.99 (1)	42,436	D	
Common Stock							5,173	I	Held by Trustee of Reliance

Steel & Aluminum

Employee

Co.

Stock Ownership Plan

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Options to Acquire Common Stock	\$ 24.575	09/20/2010		M	37,500	(2)	10/18/2010	Common Stock	37,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

Lewis Karla R 350 SOUTH GRAND AVENUE SUITE 5100 LOS ANGELES, CA 90071

Exec VP, CFO and Asst Corp Sec

Relationshins

Signatures

Karla R. Lewis by Kay Rustand as her Attorney-in-Fact 09/20/2010

**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).

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- The price reported represents the weighted average sale price of the shares disposed of. The actual sale prices ranged from \$39.78 to

 (1) \$40.21. The Reporting Person has provided to the Issuer and hereby undertakes to provide upon request by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission Staff or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (2) The options vested and became exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on October 18, 2006, which was the first anniversary of the date on which the options were granted.
- (3) In the aggregate, the reporting person beneficially owns a total of 160,000 options (with various exercise prices and expiration dates) as of the date of this report.

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