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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

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obligations

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading SHERERTZ WILLIAM W Issuer Symbol BARRETT BUSINESS SERVICES (Check all applicable) INC [BBSI]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X_ Director X__ 10% Owner __ Other (specify X_ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below)

8100 NE PARKWAY 06/19/2008 DRIVE, SUITE 200

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

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

VANCOUVER, WA 98662

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	ransaction Date 2A. Deemed nth/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			ies Ac ed of (l and 5		Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	06/19/2008		M	37,500	A	\$ 2.5	2,457,120	D	
Common Stock	06/19/2008		M	19,536	A	\$ 9.87	2,476,656	D	
Common Stock	06/19/2008		M	27,660	A	\$ 9.27	2,504,316	D	
Common Stock	06/19/2008		F	45,117	D	\$ 12.035	2,459,199 (1)	D	

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 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 Underlying Securitic (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Employee Stock Option	\$ 2.5	06/19/2008		M	37,500	12/30/2005(2)	03/16/2011	Common Stock	37,5
Employee Stock Option	\$ 9.87	06/19/2008		M	19,536	12/30/2005(2)	11/28/2013	Common Stock	19,5
Employee Stock Option	\$ 9.27	06/19/2008		M	27,660	12/30/2005(2)	03/04/2014	Common Stock	27,6

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SHERERTZ WILLIAM W 8100 NE PARKWAY DRIVE SUITE 200 VANCOUVER, WA 98662	X	X	President and CEO				

Signatures

James D. Miller, as attorney-in-fact

06/23/2008

**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)

Reporting Owners 2

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The reporting person also has indirect beneficial ownership of 10,500 shares held by his wife and 91,479 shares held by the reporting person for his children.

(2) Exercisable in full as of December 30, 2005.

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