

SKIDMORE GARY J
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SKIDMORE GARY J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

9601 MCALLISTER FREEWAY,
SUITE 610

(Street)

SAN ANTONIO, TX 78216

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
HARTE HANKS INC [HHS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/05/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP and Pres, Direct Marketing

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price (D)		
Common Stock	02/05/2012		F		1,199 (1)	D	
Common Stock	02/05/2012		A		12,000 (2)	A	
Common Stock	02/05/2012		A		6,473 (3)	A	

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 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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.91	02/05/2012		A	28,000	<u>(4)</u>	02/05/2022	Common Stock	28,000		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
SKIDMORE GARY J 9601 MCALLISTER FREEWAY, SUITE 610 SAN ANTONIO, TX 78216	EVP and Pres, Direct Marketing

Signatures

Robert L. R. Munden, Power of Attorney	02/07/2012
**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) These shares were withheld from a previously reported grant of restricted stock made pursuant to the 2005 Omnibus Incentive Plan in order to pay applicable withholding taxes upon vesting.
 - (2) These shares of restricted stock were issued pursuant to the 2005 Omnibus Incentive Plan and vest in three equal installments on the first through third anniversaries of the grant date.
 - (3) These shares of restricted stock were issued pursuant to the 2005 Omnibus Incentive Plan and will vest on February 5, 2013.
 - (4) This option was granted under the 2005 Omnibus Incentive Plan and vests in four equal installments on the first through fourth anniversaries of the grant date.

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