STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

#### KNIGHT TRANSPORTATION INC

Form 4

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

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *Liu Michael K			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol KNIGHT TRANSPORTATION INC [KNX]				5	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5601 WEST BUCKEYE ROAD			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/08/2008					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
(Street) PHOENIX, AZ 85043			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-	Derivative	e Secu		iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution E any (Month/Day	d Date, if	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securor(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ities A Pispose , 4 and (A) or	equired ed of (D)	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	
Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	08/08/2008			M	844	A	\$ 2.8518 (1)	844	D		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	08/08/2008			S	844	D	\$ 19.89	0	D		
Common Stock, par	08/08/2008			M	921	A	\$ 4.8889	921	D		

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value (2)

\$0.01 per share

Common Stock, par

value 08/08/2008 S 921 D \$19.89 0 D

\$0.01 per share

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		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
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.8518 (1)	08/08/2008		M	844	10/13/2005(1)	10/12/2010	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	844
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.8889 ( <u>2)</u>	08/08/2008		M	921	09/18/2005(2)	09/17/2010	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	921

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

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Liu Michael K 5601 WEST BUCKEYE ROAD PHOENIX, AZ 85043 Pres., Dry Van Division

### **Signatures**

Michael K. Liu 08/12/2008

\*\*Signature of 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) An option was granted on October 13, 2000 with an exercise price of \$2.8518 per share.
- (2) An option was granted on September 18, 2001 with an exercise price of \$4.8889 per share.

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