CARR ROBERT O

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CARR ROBERT O

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

HEARTLAND PAYMENT

SYSTEMS INC [HPY]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

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

12/14/2007

X Director X 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

Chairman of the Board and CEO

C/O HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS, INC., 90 NASSAU

STREET

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

Person

PRINCETON, NJ 08542

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Securities Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price Amount (D)

Common

per share

Stock, par 12/14/2007 value \$.001

V 73.275 D

 $7,942,083 \stackrel{(1)}{=}$

By Carr Holdings, L.L.C. (4)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc		7. Tit		8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ant of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Unde	rlying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	e		Secur	rities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
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					(A) or						Repo
					Disposed						Trans
					of (D)						(Instr
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CARR ROBERT O C/O HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS, INC. 90 NASSAU STREET PRINCETON, NJ 08542	X	X	Chairman of the Board and CEO				
CARR JILL C/O HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS, INC. 90 NASSAU STREET PRINCETON, NJ 08542		X					
Signatures							

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Signatures	
/s/ Robert O. Carr	12/21/2007
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Jill Carr	12/21/2007
**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).
- In addition, Mr. Carr directly owns 764,544 shares of Common Stock of Heartland Payment Systems, Inc. (the "Company") and has a fully vested option to purchase an additional 125,000 shares of Common Stock of the Company. Mr. Carr indirectly owns 7,414,404 shares of Common Stock of the Company held by Carr Holdings, L.L.C., a New Jersey limited liability company owned and managed by Mr. and Mrs. Carr. Mr. Carr's beneficial ownership also consists of (See Footnote 2)
- (2) 400,000 shares of Common Stock of the Issuer held by The Robert O. Carr 2001 Charitable Remainder Unitrust; 41,253 shares held by The Robert O. Carr 2000 Irrevocable Trust for Emily Carr; 27,364 shares held by The Robert O. Carr 2000 Irrevocable Trust for Ryan

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Carr; 37,086 shares held by The Robert O. Carr 2000 Irrevocable Trust for Kelly Carr; 2,697 shares held by the Jill A. Carr 2000 Irrevocable Trust for Corrissa Nichols; 2,695 shares held by the Jill A. Carr 2000 Irrevocable Trust for Robert Carr, Jr.; and 16,584 shares held by the Jill A. Carr Irrevocable Trust for Hilary Holland Carr.

- (3) This Form 4 is filed in connection with a joint/group filing consisting of Mr. Carr and Jill Carr, Mr. Carr's wife. Mrs. Carr's address is c/o Heartland Payment Systems, Inc., 90 Nassau Street, Princeton, NJ 08542.
- (4) Carr Holdings, L.L.C. is a New Jersey limited liability company managed by Mr. Carr and Mrs. Carr who are also members of the limited liability company.

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