

EXPEDITORS INTERNATIONAL OF WASHINGTON INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
POWELL BRADLEY S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
EXPEDITORS INTERNATIONAL OF WASHINGTON INC [EXPD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1015 THIRD AVENUE, 12TH FLOOR
 (Street)

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

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Senior VP - CFO

SEATTLE, WA 98104

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

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

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)
Common Stock				(A) or (D) Price	2,043.2931 ⁽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)

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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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 40.74	05/02/2012		A	10,000	05/02/2015 ⁽²⁾ 05/02/2022	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
POWELL BRADLEY S 1015 THIRD AVENUE, 12TH FLOOR SEATTLE, WA 98104			Senior VP - CFO	

Signatures

/s/ Stock Plan Administrator,
attorney-in-fact

05/04/2012

__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) Beginning balance of Common Stock beneficially owned includes 581.9367 shares purchased on July 29, 2011 under Expeditors International of Washington, Inc.'s 2002 Employee Stock Purchase Plan and 7.6840 shares acquired on June 15, 2011 and 12.5843 shares acquired on December 16, 2011 pursuant to the reinvestment of a dividend under Expeditors International of Washington, Inc.'s 2002 Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
 - (2) The option vests in three installments: 50% on the third anniversary of the date of grant, 25% on the fourth anniversary and 25% on the fifth anniversary.
 - (3) Employee Stock Options granted at no cost pursuant to Expeditors International of Washington, Inc.'s 2012 Stock Option Plan.

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