

RILEY BRYANT R
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FORM 4

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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 *
RILEY BRYANT R

(Last) (First) (Middle)

11100 SANTA MONICA BLVD.,
SUITE 810

(Street)

LOS ANGELES, CA US 90025

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
TRANS WORLD ENTERTAINMENT CORP [TWMC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
10/16/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___X___ 10% Owner
___ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)

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

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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)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock					697,483	I	Footnote 1 (1)
Common Stock					1,859,213	I	Footnote 2 (2)
Common Stock					423,470	I	Footnote 3 (3)
Common Stock					34,148	I	Footnote 4 (4)
	10/16/2008		P	250 A	250	I	

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Common Stock					\$ 2.077			Footnote 5 (5)	
Common Stock	10/16/2008		P	250	A	\$ 2.077	500	I	Footnote 5 (5)
Common Stock	10/16/2008		P	250	A	\$ 2.077	750	I	Footnote 5 (5)
Common Stock	10/16/2008		P	250	A	\$ 2.077	1,000	I	Footnote 5 (5)

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
RILEY BRYANT R 11100 SANTA MONICA BLVD., SUITE 810 LOS ANGELES, CA US 90025		X		
Riley Investment Management LLC 11100 SANTA MONICA BLVD., SUITE 810 LOS ANGELES, CA US 90025		X		
Riley Investment Partners Master Fund, L.P. 11100 SANTA MONICA BLVD., SUITE 810 LOS ANGELES, CA US 90025		X		

Signatures

/s/ Bryant Riley

10/20/2008

**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) Sole equity owner of Riley Investment Management LLC, General Partner of Riley Investment Partners Master Fund, L.P.
- (2) Sole equity owner of Riley Investment Management LLC, investment advisor to managed accounts of investment advisory clients some of which are indirectly affiliated with Mr. Riley or Riley Investment Partners Master Fund, L.P.
- (3) Sole indirect equity owner of B. Riley and Co., LLC, including shares held in an indirectly affiliated account.
- (4) Trustee of B. Riley and Co. Retirement Trust.
- (5) Custodian for Mr. Riley's children.

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