McHugh Kathleen Form 4 October 04, 2010

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See Instruction 1(b).

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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

McHugh Kathleen

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O PRESSTEK, INC., 10 **GLENVILLE STREET**

(Street)

GREENWICH, CT 06831

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

PRESSTEK INC /DE/ [PRST]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/30/2010

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

> below) VP & Chief Marketing Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

below)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. Code

TransactionAcquired (A) or (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

4. Securities

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Transaction(s)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (T) (Instr. 4)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities Acquired 6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	8) (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.97	09/30/2010		D <u>(1)</u>			75,000	<u>(2)</u>	06/11/2018	Common Stock	75,00
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.19	09/30/2010		A <u>(1)</u>		75,000		(2)	06/11/2018	Common Stock	75,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

McHugh Kathleen C/O PRESSTEK, INC. 10 GLENVILLE STREET GREENWICH, CT 06831

VP & Chief Marketing Officer

Signatures

/s/ James Van Horn, Attorney in Fact

10/04/2010

**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) The two reported transactions involved an amendment of an outstanding option, resulting in the deemed cancellation of the "old" option and the grant of a replacement option.
- (2) The 75,000 shares subject to this option vest as follows: 18,750 shares on June 11, 2009, 18,750 shares on June 11, 2010, 18,750 shares on June 11, 2011 and 18,750 shares on June 11, 2012.

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