

VASSALLUZZO SCOTT J

Form 4

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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 \*  
SMITH THOMAS W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
WORLD ACCEPTANCE CORP  
[WRLD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
06/17/2009

\_\_\_\_ Director  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  
\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Member of Section 13(d) Group

323 RAILROAD AVENUE

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

GREENWICH, CT 06830

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	06/17/2009		S		236,127	D (1)	\$ 16.94	740,790 (2) I (2)	By Idoya Partners L.P. (2)
Common Stock	06/17/2009		P		236,127	A (1)	\$ 16.94	1,076,020 (3) I (3)	By Prescott Associates L.P. (3)

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 Owned Beneficially (Instr. 5)
				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
SMITH THOMAS W 323 RAILROAD AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830		X		Member of Section 13(d) Group
VASSALLUZZO SCOTT J 323 RAILROAD AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830		X		Member of Section 13(d) Group
Fischer Steven M 323 RAILROAD AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830		X		Member of Section 13(d) Group

## Signatures

/s/ Thomas W. Smith 06/19/2009  
 \*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

Scott J. Vassalluzzo 06/19/2009  
 \*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

Steven M. Fischer 06/19/2009  
 \*\*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).

Represents a private sale of shares by Idoya Partners L.P. ("Idoya") to Prescott Associates L.P. ("Prescott Associates"). Because the

(1) Reporting Persons have an indirect interest in these shares by virtue of their role as general partners of both Idoya and Prescott Associates, this transaction represents a change in form of indirect interest.

These shares are owned directly by Idoya Partners L.P. ("Idoya"), a private investment limited partnership, and indirectly by the Reporting

(2) Persons as general partners of Idoya. The Reporting Persons disclaim beneficial ownership of these shares in excess of their pecuniary interest under 16a-1(a)(2)(ii)(B). The address for Idoya is 323 Railroad Avenue, Greenwich, CT 06830

These shares are owned directly by Prescott Associates L.P. ("Prescott Associates"), a private investment limited partnership, and

(3) indirectly by the Reporting Persons as general partners of Idoya. The Reporting Persons disclaim beneficial ownership of these shares in excess of their pecuniary interest under 16a-1(a)(2)(ii)(B). The address for Prescott Associates is 323 Railroad Avenue, Greenwich, CT 06830

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