

Currie John Alexander Du Plessis
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FORM 4

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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 *
 Currie John Alexander Du Plessis

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O BRIGHTPOINT, INC., 7635
 INTERACTIVE WAY, SUITE 200

(Street)

INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46278

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 BRIGHTPOINT INC [CELL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 02/09/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 ____ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

Chief Information Officer

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) Amount (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/09/2009 | | M | 13,482 A \$ 0 | 130,541 | 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) | 8. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|---|
| Restricted Stock Units | \$ 0 ⁽¹⁾ | 02/09/2009 | | M | 13,482 | ⁽²⁾ / ⁽²⁾ | Common Stock | 13,482 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|---------------------------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Currie John Alexander Du Plessis C/O BRIGHTPOINT, INC. 7635 INTERACTIVE WAY, SUITE 200 INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46278 | | | | Chief Information Officer |

Signatures

/s/ Steven E. Fivel, Attorney-in-Fact 02/11/2009

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).
- (1) Each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Registrant's common stock. These are performance-based RSUs that were determined to be earned on 2/14/2008. Of the RSUs, 13,483 RSUs vested on 2/14/2008, 13,482 RSUs vested on 2/9/2009 and 13,482 RSUs will vest on 2/9/2010, subject to the Registrant's 2004 Long-Term Incentive Plan and the Reporting Person's Restricted Stock Unit Agreement. Vested shares will be delivered to the Reporting Person following each vest date.

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