MALSON KELLY M

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MALSON KELLY M | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WORLD ACCEPTANCE CORP [WRLD] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | |
|--|------------|----------|--|---|--|--|--|
| (Last) PO BOX 6429 | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/16/2012 | Director 10% Owner Other (specify below) SVP, TREASURER AND CFO | | | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | |
| GREENVILL | E, SC 2960 | 5 | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |

| (City) | (State) (Zi | Table 1 | I - Non-Dei | rivative S | ecurit | ies Acqui | red, Disposed of, | or Beneficiall | y Owned |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|--------|----------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securi or(A) or Di (Instr. 3, | ispose | d of (D) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| COMMON STOCK, NO PAR | 08/16/2012 | | Code V M | Amount 4,000 | ` / | Price \$ 25.05 | (Instr. 3 and 4) 39,027 | D | |
| COMMON STOCK, NO PAR | 08/16/2012 | | S | 4,000 | D | \$ 73.81 | 35,027 | 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)

| 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|-----------------------------|---|---|---|--|--|--|--------------------|---|------------------------------|
| | | | | | Code V | and 5) (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Am or Nur of Sha |
| | EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION | \$ 25.05 | 08/16/2012 | | M | 4,000 | 03/23/2006 | 03/23/2016 | COMMON STOCK, NO PAR | 4,0 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MALSON KELLY M PO BOX 6429 GREENVILLE, SC 29606

SVP, TREASURER AND CFO

Signatures

/S/ Kelly M. 08/16/2012 Malson

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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).

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