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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES [XIDE]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
09/21/2008	X Officer (give title Other (specification) President and CEO		
4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
	Symbol EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES [XIDE] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/21/2008 4. If Amendment, Date Original		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securit	ies Ac	quired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Dis	sposed	l of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4	and 5	5)	Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	(D) or	Ownership
							Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported	(Instr. 4)	
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	09/21/2008		F	11,666 (1)	D	\$ 9.448 (2)	618,551	D	

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1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc		7. Title Amount		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Tear)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative	of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		Underly Securiti (Instr. 3	ying ies	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships						
Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
X		President and CEO				
		Director 10% Owner	Director 10% Owner Officer			

Signatures

Brad S. Kalter as attorney-in-fact for Gordon A. 09/23/2008 Ulsh

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- 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).
- These shares were surrended by the Reporting Person to address tax obligations for shares of restricted stock that vested on September 21, **(1)** 2008 under Exide's 2004 Stock Incentive Plan.
- Pursuant to Exide's 2004 Stock Incentive Plan, the per-share price is based on the closing price on the date of the tax obligation or the 10 trading days preceding the date of the tax obligation, whichever is greater.

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