

FICKETT ROBERT
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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 *
FICKETT ROBERT

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CPI INTERNATIONAL, INC.
[CPII]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
811 HANSEN WAY
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
05/21/2010

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

PALO ALTO, CA 94303

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

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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	05/21/2010		M ⁽¹⁾		2,758 A \$ 0.74	33,302 ⁽²⁾	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	05/21/2010		S ⁽³⁾		2,758 D \$ 15.27 ⁽⁴⁾	30,544 ⁽²⁾	D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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(5) A percentage of these options were exercisable on July 1 of each of 2001, 2002 and 2003 and in January 2004.

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