

CUSHMAN DANIEL H
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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 *
 CUSHMAN DANIEL H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 PAM TRANSPORTATION SERVICES INC [PTSI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)
 Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 President & CEO

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O P.A.M. TRANSPORTATION SERVICES INC., POST OFFICE BOX 188

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 06/25/2018

(Street)
 TONTITOWN, AR 72770

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

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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	06/25/2018		M	4,000	A \$ 11.22	81,667	D
Common Stock	06/25/2018		M	800	A \$ 11.22	82,467	D
Common Stock	06/25/2018		M	19,600	A \$ 10.9	102,067	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. 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)				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.22	06/25/2018		M		4,000		<u>(1)</u>	11/30/2020	Common Stock	4,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.22	06/25/2018		M		800		<u>(2)</u>	11/30/2020	Common Stock	800
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.9	06/25/2018		M		19,600		<u>(3)</u>	05/24/2022	Common Stock	19,600

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CUSHMAN DANIEL H C/O P.A.M. TRANSPORTATION SERVICES INC. POST OFFICE BOX 188 TONTITOWN, AR 72770	X		President & CEO	

Signatures

/s/Courtney C. Crouch, III, as Attorney-in-fact for Daniel H. Cushman
06/26/2018

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) The option vested in five equal annual installments which began on November 30, 2011.

On November 30, 2010, the reporting person was granted an option for 25,600 shares to vest based on the satisfaction of certain quarterly and annual performance criteria by P.A.M. Transportation Services, Inc. (the "Company") for each quarter in 2011 and for the year ended

(2) 2011. Two Thousand (2,000) shares became exercisable in five equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of the Company's earnings release in which the applicable performance criteria were met. The performance criteria for the second quarter of 2011 were met, resulting in the vesting of 2,000 shares in five equal annual installments beginning on July 27, 2012.

(3) The option vested in five equal annual installments which began on May 24, 2013.

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