Titan Machinery Inc. Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Christianson Ted O

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Titan Machinery Inc. [TITN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

10% Owner

4876 ROCKING HORSE CIRCLE

(Street)

(First)

(Month/Day/Year) 05/21/2008

Director X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) Vice President - Finance

below)

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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

FARGO, ND 59106-6049

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I)

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 4)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) or

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price

Common Stock

05/21/2008

Code V Amount (D) S 5,000 D

\$ 20 13,073

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	:	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities 1
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to purchase)	\$ 4.5					<u>(1)</u>	10/18/2016	Common Stock	35,000
Stock Option (right to purchase)	\$ 7.5					(2)	07/20/2017	Common Stock	40,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Christianson Ted O 4876 ROCKING HORSE CIRCLE FARGO, ND 59106-6049

Vice President - Finance

Signatures

Ryan C. Brauer as Attorney-in-Fact for Ted O. Christianson pursuant to Power of Attorney previously filed

05/22/2008

8. Pri Deriv Secui (Instr

**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) The option was granted 10/18/2006. The option became exercisable as to 5,834 shares on October 18, 2007 and becomes exercisable as to 5,834 shares on October 18, 2008 and 5,833 shares on each of October 18, 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012.
- The option was granted 7/20/2007. The option vests and becomes exercisable as to 6,667 shares on July 20, 2008 and becomes exercisable as to the remaining shares ratably on July 20, 2009, 2010, 2011 and as to 6,666 shares on July 20, 2012 and 2013.

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