

VFINANCE INC  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**ORTEGA JORGE A**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O VFINANCE, INC., 3010  
NORTH MILITARY TRAIL,  
SUITE 300

(Street)

BOCA RATON, FL 33431

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**VFINANCE INC [VFIN.OB]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**07/01/2008**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.2	07/01/2008	D				(1)	06/05/2012	Common Stock	200,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ORTEGA JORGE A C/O VFINANCE, INC. 3010 NORTH MILITARY TRAIL, SUITE 300 BOCA RATON, FL 33431		X		

Signatures

/s/ Jorge A. Ortega                      07/02/2008

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\*\*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) Disposed of pursuant to the Agreement and a Plan of Merger dated November 7, 2008, as amended, by and among the Issuer, National Holdings Corporation ("National") and National's wholly-owned subsidiary, vFin Acquisition Corporation ("MergerSub"), pursuant to which the Issuer was the surviving entity in a merger with MergerSub and became a wholly-owned subsidiary of National. In the merger, the Reporting Person exchanged this option for an option, which provided for vesting in four equal installments beginning June 5, 2008, having the same terms and conditions, except that it is 100% vested and is exercisable to purchase 28,000 shares of National common stock at \$1.43 per share.
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