**CASEY BRIAN O** 

Form 4

November 28, 2012

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol WESTWOOD HOLDINGS GROUP INC [WHG]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/26/2012	X Director 10% Owner Selection Other (specify below) Dresident & CEO			
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			
	Symbol WESTWOOD HOLDINGS GROUP INC [WHG] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/26/2012 4. If Amendment, Date Original			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ble I - N	on-	Derivative	e Secu	rities Acquii	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transac Code (Instr. 3		4. Securit mor Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (		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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
common stock	11/26/2012		S		14,796 (1)	D	\$ 38.8091 (2)	362,566	D	
common stock	11/27/2012		G	V	7,000 (3)	D	\$0	355,566	D	
common stock	11/27/2012		S		10,204 (1)	D	\$ 38.756 (4)	345,362	D	
common stock								700	I	As UTMA custodian

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			daughter
common stock	700	I	As UTMA custodian for son
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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. Transa Code (Instr.	ection	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

## **Reporting Owners**

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Reporting Owner Name / Address		lationships		
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CASEY BRIAN O 200 CRESCENT COURT SUITE 1200 DALLAS, TX 75201	X		President & CEO	
Signatures				
William R. Hardcastle, Jr.as attorney-in-fact		11/	28/2012	

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Date

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### **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 sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 23, 2012.
- Price reflected is the weighted-average sale price for shares sold. The range of sale prices for the transactions reported was \$38.5201 to (2) \$39.17 per share. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided to the Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer upon request.
- (3) Represents gift of shares to a charitable gift fund.
- Price reflected is the weighted-average sale price for shares sold. The range of sale prices for the transactions reported was \$38.75 to (4) \$38.80 per share. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided to the Commission staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer upon request.

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