

JIAN QI
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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 *
JIAN QI

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ASIAINFO HOLDINGS INC
[ASIA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/31/2008

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

4F ZHONGDIAN INFO TOWER,6
ZHONGGUANCUN, SOUTH
STREET, HAIDIAN DISTRICT

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

BEIJING, F4 100086

(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)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	12/31/2008		M	3,750 A \$ 0	26,750	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. 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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (right to acquire Common Stock)	\$ 24					02/17/2001 ⁽¹⁾	02/17/2010	Common Stock	30,000
Stock Options (right to acquire Common Stock)	\$ 12.44					11/01/2001 ⁽²⁾	11/01/2010	Common Stock	8,000
Stock Options (right to acquire Common Stock)	\$ 9.25					01/16/2002 ⁽³⁾	01/16/2011	Common Stock	38,200
Stock Options (right to acquire Common Stock)	\$ 9.25					01/16/2002 ⁽⁴⁾	01/16/2011	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Options (right to acquire Common Stock)	\$ 4.99					06/14/2005 ⁽⁵⁾	06/14/2014	Common Stock	5,625
Restricted Stock Units (right to acquire Common Stock)	\$ 0					12/26/2006 ⁽⁶⁾	12/26/2009	Common Stock	4,000

Stock)

Restricted
Stock

Units

(right to
acquireCommon
Stock)

\$ 0

12/31/2008

M

3,750

(7)

06/30/2010

Common
Stock

26,25

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
JIAN QI 4F ZHONGDIAN INFO TOWER,6 ZHONGGUANCUN SOUTH STREET, HAIDIAN DISTRICT BEIJING, F4 100086			Vice President	

Signatures

/s/ Jian Qi

12/31/2008

**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) 30,000 stock options with an exercise price of \$24.00 were granted on February 17, 2000 and vest on an annual schedule of 20%, 20%, 30%, and 30%, beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.

(2) 8,000 stock options with an exercise price of \$12.44 were granted on November 1, 2000. These options vest in two installments of 25% each on the first and second anniversary of the grant date, and in eight subsequent quarterly installments of 6.25% each, commencing on February 1, 2003 and ending on November 1, 2004.

(3) 38,200 stock options with an exercise price of \$9.25 were granted on January 16, 2001. These options vest in two installments of 25% each on the first and second anniversary of the grant date, and in eight subsequent quarterly installments of 6.25% each, commencing on April 16, 2003 and ending on January 16, 2005.

(4) 10,000 stock options with an exercise price of \$9.25 were granted on January 16, 2001 and vest in two installments of 50% each on the first and second anniversary of the grant date.

(5) 30,000 stock options with an exercise price of \$4.99 were granted on June 14, 2004. These options vest in two installments of 25% each on the first and second anniversary of the grant date, and in eight subsequent quarterly installments of 6.25% each, commencing on September 14, 2006 and ending on June 14, 2008.

(6) 16,000 restricted stock units were granted on December 26, 2005 and vest on an annual schedule of 25% each, beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date. Upon each vesting, one share of common stock shall be issuable for each restricted stock units on such vest date.

(7) 50,000 restricted stock units were granted on November 20, 2006. These stock units are performance based and will be allocated among five different performance goals of the Company over a four-year period.

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