#### WALKER STEVEN R

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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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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** WALKER STEVEN R			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol OLD REPUBLIC INTERNATIONAL CORP [ORI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 307 NORTH AVENUE, S		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/25/2008	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			
CHICAGO, IL 60601				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State) (	tate) (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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	11/25/2008		P	6,000	A	\$ 8.64	6,000	I	By Spouse	
Common Stock	11/25/2008		<u>J(1)</u>	0	A	\$0	14,825	I	SEP/IRA	
Common Stock	11/25/2008		<u>J(2)</u>	0	A	\$0	2,100	I	IRA	
Common Stock	11/25/2008		J <u>(3)</u>	0	A	\$0	3,075	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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired		ate	Amou Under Secur	le and ant of rlying rities . 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo
	·				(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WALKER STEVEN R 307 NORTH MICHIGAN AVENUE, STE 2300 X CHICAGO, IL 60601

## **Signatures**

William J. Dasso, Power of Attorney for Steven R. Walker

11/25/2008

\*\*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) No transactions to report related to this indirect ownership of 14,825 shares.
- (2) No transactions to report related to this indirect ownership of 2,100 shares.
- (3) No transactions to report related to this direct ownership of 3,075 shares.

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