MCCONNELL MARC H

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MCCONNELL MARC H		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ARTS WAY MANUFACTURING CO INC [ARTW]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) P. O. BOX 6		Middle)	3. Date of (Month/Dath/10/15/20					_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
			ndment, Date Original hth/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
KINSTON, NC 28501							Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)	Executi any	emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) c l of (D)	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	10/15/2010			S	4,000	D	\$ 10	10,000	D	
Common Stock								250	I	By spouse

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		te	7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Prio Deriv Secur (Instr.
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.1					04/25/2008	04/25/2013	Common Stock	2,000	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 3.88					04/30/2009	04/30/2014	Common Stock	2,000	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.17					04/29/2010	04/29/2015	Common Stock	2,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MCCONNELL MARC H P. O. BOX 6219 KINSTON, NC 28501	X						

Signatures

/s/ Marc H.

McConnell 10/15/2010

**Signature of Person Date

Reporting Person

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).

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