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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* ALVARADO LINDA G					PITI 3. Date	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PITNEY BOWES INC /DE/ [PBI] Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									ck all app	olicable)		Issuer Owner r (specify	
(Last) (Filst) (Middle)					05/12	05/12/2008									below)			below)	
WORLD HEADQUARTERS ONE ELMCROFT ROAD					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street)	treet) TAMFORD CT 06926														X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(St	ate) (Z	Zip)																
		Tabl	e I - I	Non-Deriv	ative S	ecu	ıritie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed of	f, or l	3enet	iciall	y Own	ed		_	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/You					Year) if	Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 5)					, 4 and Secu		icially d	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		ice	Repor Trans		(,	(mean ty	
Common Stock 05/12/200						08			A		2,200(1)	A	\$	\$37.285		128.2594	D		
	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)	rivative Conversion Date Execution curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		ution Date,	Code (Ir	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		vative rities irred rosed) r. 3, 4	Expiration D (Month/Day/		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr 3 and 4) Amount or Numbor of Title Shares		of Do Se (In	Price erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Award of Restricted Stock under the Pitney Bowes Inc. Directors' Stock Plan.

Remarks:

<u>Lori I. Zyskowski - POA for</u> <u>L.G. Alvarado</u> <u>05/13/2008</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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