FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Nachtsheim Stephen P		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>DELUXE CORP</u> [DLX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
Inachishelm Stephen P		[]	X	Director	10% Owner			
Last) (First) (Middle) 420 WALSH ROAD		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2008		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
(Street) ATHERTON CA	94027	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv X	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Che Form filed by One Reporting Form filed by More than One	Person			
(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 Ad Disposed Of (D			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/15/2008		J ⁽¹⁾		1,967	A	\$11.06	32,315 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock								12,000	Ι	By Family Trust

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. Transac Code (li 8)		Derivative		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Yo	te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock Option	\$44.32							05/07/2003 ⁽²⁾	05/07/2009	Common Stock	1,000		1,000	D	
Common Stock Option	\$44.28							04/29/2004 ⁽²⁾	04/29/2010	Common Stock	1,000		1,000	D	
Common Stock Option	\$42.35							05/04/2005 ⁽²⁾	05/04/2011	Common Stock	1,000		1,000	D	
Common Stock Option	\$39.63							04/27/2006 ⁽²⁾	04/27/2012	Common Stock	1,000		1,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Securities acquired represent restricted stock units received in lieu of director fees pursuant to the Company's Non-Employee Director Stock and Deferral Plan. These units will convert to shares of Common Stock on deferred dates specified by the director. Total Direct ownership reported in column 5 includes 3,293 shares of restricted stock and 22,378 restricted stock units.

2. Options vest in three equal installments on the three succeeding anniversary dates of the date of grant, provided the holder remains a director of the Company. Date entered reflects date on which first installment vests(ed).

Anthony C. Scarfone as Power of Attorney for Stephen P.

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** Signature of Reporting Person Date

12/16/2008

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

 * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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