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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **ZHANG STEVE**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

Symbol

09/30/2010

ASIAINFO-LINKAGE, INC [ASIA]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

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

_X__ Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

4/F ZHONGDIAN INFORMATION TOWER, 6 ZHONGGUANCUN S. ST., HAIDIAN DIST.

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3.

CEO & President 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

BEIJING, F4 100086

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Ownership Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V (D) Price Amount

or

Common 09/30/2010 Stock

\$0 M 82,500 Α

219,769

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securitic (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou Numb Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.625					04/04/2002(1)	04/04/2011	Common Stock	40,0
Restricted Stock Units (Right to Buy)	\$ 0	09/30/2010		M	82,500	(2)	09/30/2011	Common Stock	165,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
ZHANG STEVE 4/F ZHONGDIAN INFORMATION TOWER 6 ZHONGGUANCUN S. ST., HAIDIAN DIST. BEIJING, F4 100086	X		CEO & President		

Signatures

/S/ Steve Zhang 10/08/2010

**Signature of 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).
- 40,000 stock options with an exercise price of \$9.625 were granted on April 4, 2001. These options vest in two installments of 25% each (1) on the first and second anniversary of the grant date, and in eight subsequent quarterly installments of 6.25% each, commencing on July 5, 2003 and ending on April 4, 2005.
- (2) 247,500 restricted stock units were granted on March 16, 2009. These restricted stock units are performance based and will vest based on the achievement of certain performance goals of the Company over a three-year period from October 1, 2008 to September 30, 2011.

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