

McGrath Emmett
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 McGrath Emmett

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 ON ASSIGNMENT INC [ASGN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ON ASSIGNMENT, INC., 26745
 MALIBU HILLS ROAD

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 12/11/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)

Pres, Life Sciences & Allied HC

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

CALABASAS, CA 91301

(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 Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 12/11/2012 | | M | | 5,120 | A | \$ 4.97 |
| Common Stock | 12/11/2012 | | S | | 5,120 | D | \$ 19.5008 |
| Common Stock | 12/11/2012 | | M | | 10,382 | A | \$ 4.96 |
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| Common Stock | 12/11/2012 | | M | | 9,498 | A | \$ 4.96 |

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Common Stock 12/11/2012 S 9,498 D \$ 19.5008 118,164 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 4.96 | 12/11/2012 | | M | 10,382 | 12/10/2005 12/10/2014 | Common Stock |
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 4.97 | 12/11/2012 | | M | 5,120 | 08/30/2005 ⁽¹⁾ 08/30/2014 | Common Stock |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 4.96 | 12/11/2012 | | M | 9,498 | 12/10/2005 12/10/2014 | Common Stock |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| McGrath Emmett ON ASSIGNMENT, INC. 26745 MALIBU HILLS ROAD CALABASAS, CA 91301 | | | Pres, Life Sciences & Allied HC | |

Signatures

By: Power of Attorney, James L. Brill, CAO For: Emmett McGrath

12/12/2012

**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) These options vest one-fourth of the total number of shares on August 30, 2005, and one forty-eighth of such amount with respect to each month thereafter.

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