## SEC Form 4

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# FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addres	1 0	n*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MITCHAM INDUSTRIES INC [ MIND ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
MITCHAM E	<u>SILLY FJR</u>			X	Director	10% Owner		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		
8141 SH 75 SOU	JTH		05/27/2010		CEO & President			
(Street)		77342	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable			
HUNTSVILLE	TX			X	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting 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)		Code (Instr.					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
MII Common Stock	05/27/2010		Α		18,000(1)	Α	\$ <del>6</del> .4	232,375	D	
MII Common Stock								3,100	Ι	See footnote <sup>(2)</sup>

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. Transa Code ( 8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		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 Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	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				
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$6.4	05/27/2010		A		30,000		(3)	05/27/2020	MII Common Stock	30,000	\$6.4	30,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Restricted Stock vests 1/3 upon grant, 1/3 on May 27, 2011 and 1/3 on May 27, 2012.

2. The shares are owned by Mr. Mitcham's spouse.

3. Options vest 1/3 upon grant, 1/3 on May 27, 2011 and 1/3 on May 27, 2012.

Remarks:

/s/ Billy F. Mitcham, Jr.

06/01/2010

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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