FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Caulfield Thomas						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PDF SOLUTIONS INC [ PDFS ]										Relationship eck all app X Direct	,		rson(s) to Is	
(Last)	(Fi	rst) (	Middle	e)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/16/2009										Office below	r (give title		Other (s	specify
333 WES	4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)											6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicab							
(Street)	SE C.	A 9	95110	)												Form	Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(Si	ate) (	Zip)																	
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction (Month/Day/Ye										Transaction Dispos Code (Instr. and 5)			curities Acquired ( osed Of (D) (Instr. i)				ities Fo icially (D d Ind		n: Direct or rect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
										Code	v	Amou	nt (A) or (D)		Price	Repor Transa		(Instr. 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 12/16/2009						(2)(3) A 7,500 A (2) 18,215(4)				,215(4)		D								
		T	able	II - Deriva (e.g., p						,	•		•		•	Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execu	eemed ution Date, th/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		on of		Ехр	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. ) and 4)		r. 3	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y   1	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	V (A)		(D)	Date Exe	e ercisable	Exp	iration	Title	or Nui of	mber ares					
2001 Stock Plan Option (Right to Buy)	\$5.4	12/16/2009 <sup>(1)</sup>			D			15,000		(5)	05/2	21/2018	Commo Stock	<sup>n</sup> 15	,000	(2)	0		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. All transactions on this Form 4 report occurred immediately following the close of PDF Solutions, Inc.'s ("PDFS") offer to exchange described in Schedule TO-1 filed on November 17, 2009, as amended (the "Exchange Offer"). The close of the Exchange Offer occurred at 12 a.m. EST on December 16, 2009 (the "Transaction Date").
- 2. Pursuant to the Exchange Offer, on the Transaction Date, PDFS cancelled an option granted to the reporting person on May 22, 2008. In exchange for the cancelled option, the reporting person received 7,500 RSRs which will vest as to 25% on March 15, 2010, 25% on September 15, 2011, and 25% on September 15, 2011, subject to the reporting person's continued service with PDFS, or an affiliate thereof, through each vesting date.
- 3. Each RSR represents a bookkeeping entry equal in value to 1 share of PDFS common stock that will be automatically settled in shares upon vesting of the RSR.
- 4. This amount includes 15,537 RSRs, each of which represents a bookeeping entry equal in value to 1 share of PDFS common stock that will be automatically settled in shares upon vesting of the RSR. This amount also includes 2,678 shares of outstanding PDFS common stock.
- 5. The cancelled option provided for vesting as follows: 12/48ths of the total shares subject to the option vested on May 22, 2009 and 1/48th of the total shares vested on the 22nd day of each month thereafter, subject to the reporting person's continued service with PDFS, or an affiliate thereof, through each vesting date.

## Remarks:

/s/ Joy E. Leo, Attorney-in-Fact for Thomas Caulfield

12/17/2009

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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The undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints John K. Kibarian and Joy E. Leo, and each of them, his or her, true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) prepare, execute in the undersigned's name and on the undersigned's behalf, and submit to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") a Form ID, including amendments thereto, and any other documents necessary or appropriate to obtain codes and passwords enabling the undersigned to make electronic filings with the SEC of reports required by Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or any rule or regulation of the SEC;
- (2) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director, and/or person who holds more than 10% of the stock of PDF Solutions, Inc. (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act") and the rules thereunder;
- (3) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4 or 5, complete and execute any amendment(s) thereto, and timely file any such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (4) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done pursuant to this power of attorney. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Exchange Act.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked or modified by the undersigned in a signed writing, but shall terminate automatically as to each individual attorney-in-fact when such person is no longer an employee of the Company. This Power of Attorney may be filed with the SEC as a confirming statement of the authority granted herein.

The undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of November 10, 2009.

/s/ T. Caulfield

Thomas Caulfield