## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  OFFENSEND DAVID G					HU												all applicable) Director Officer (give title				ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O NY PUBLIC LIBRARY, 5TH AVE AND 42ND ST, RM 210				07/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/19/2007											below)			below)		
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10018				_   4. II -	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										. Indivine)	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person					
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Table I - Non-Deriv  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Trans Date (Month/I		action	ar) i	A. Deemed Execution Date, f any Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				or 5. Amo 4 and Securit Benefic Owned		int of es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
										Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		Price	•	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	d tion(s) and 4)	.		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock (			07/19	9/2007	/2007 0		07/23/2007		A		943		A	\$18.51		14,541.375		I		By Deferred Comp Plan <sup>(1)</sup>	
Common Stock													45,000		000 D		D				
		Т	able II -	Deriva (e.g., p													wned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	ed Date,	4. Transa	I. Transaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of			6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		Amoun	t 8. De	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly Ov Fo Dii or (I)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Director Stock Option (Right to	\$6.83									(2)	04	/11/2013	Commo Stock	n 5	60,000	0		50,000		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Balance reflects the reporting person's holdings in the Hudson Highland Group, Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan as of the date of this filing.
- 2. Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares of common stock under the Hudson Highland Group, Inc. Long Term Incentive Plan. The option vests and becomes exercisable as follows: 40% immediately upon the date of grant, 60% after 1st anniversary of the date of grant, 80% after 2nd anniversary, and 100% after 3rd anniversary.

## Remarks:

John K. Wilson, Attorney-in-07/23/2007 <u>Fact</u>

\*\* 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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