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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person A Howell Peyton R			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERISOURCEBERGEN CORP [ABC]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	08/11/2011	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Origin Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
1300 MORI	RIS DRIV	E					•	
	(Street)			(Chec	ck all applicable	6. Individual or Joint/Group		
CHESTERI	BROOK,Â	PAÂ 19087		·C		low)	Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I -	Non-Deriva	ative Securit	ies Be	eneficially Owned	
1.Title of Secu (Instr. 4)	ırity		2. Amount of Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	*	
Common St	tock		21,722		D	Â		
Reminder: Rep	_		h class of securities benefic	cially	SEC 1473 (7-02	2)		
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 $Table\ II\ -\ Derivative\ Securities\ Beneficially\ Owned\ (\textit{e.g.},\ puts,\ calls,\ warrants,\ options,\ convertible\ securities)$

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisab	ole and	3. Title and A	mount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date		Securities Underlying		Conversion	Ownership	Indirect Beneficial
	(Month/Day/Year)		Derivative Security		or Exercise	Form of	Ownership
			(Instr. 4)		Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title		Derivative	Security:	
				Amount or Number of	Security	Direct (D)	
						or Indirect	

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				Shares		(I) (Instr. 5)	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	02/08/2007(1)	02/08/2016	Common Stock	45,984	\$ 21.2593	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	02/15/2008(2)	02/15/2017	Common Stock	45,984	\$ 27.067	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	02/27/2009(3)	02/27/2015	Common Stock	45,000	\$ 21.46	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	02/19/2010(4)	02/19/2016	Common Stock	45,000	\$ 17.775	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	03/03/2011(5)	03/03/2017	Common Stock	45,000	\$ 28	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	06/01/2011(6)	06/01/2017	Common Stock	3,750	\$ 30.81	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	02/16/2012(7)	02/16/2018	Common Stock	45,000	\$ 36.37	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
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Howell Peyton R 1300 MORRIS DRIVE CHESTERBROOK Â PAÂ 19087	Â	Â	Senior Vice President	Â			

Date

Signatures

John G. Chou for Peyton Howell 08/19/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Exercisable in four equal annual installments on 02/08/07, 02/08/08, 02/08/09 and 02/08/10
- (2) Exercisable in four equal annual installments on 2/15/08, 2/15/09, 2/15/10 and 2/15/11
- (3) Exercisable in four equal annual installments on 2/27/09, 2/27/10, 2/27/11 and 2/27/12
- (4) Exercisable in four equal annual installments on 02/19/10, 02/19/11, 02/19/12 and 02/19/13
- (5) Exercisable in four equal annual installments on 03/03/11, 03/03/2012, 03/03/2013 and 03/03/2014
- (6) Exercisable in four equal annual installments on 06/01/11, 06/01/12, 06/01/13 and 06/01/14
- (7) Exercisable in four equal annual installments on 02/16/12, 02/16/13, 02/16/14 and 02/16/15

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