

CEVA INC
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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 *
NILSSON SVEN CHRISTER

(Last) (First) (Middle)

CEVA, INC., 1943 LANDINGS DRIVE

(Street)

MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CEVA INC [CEVA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/09/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| Common Stock | 02/09/2011 | | M | 38,000 | A \$ 7.45 | 38,000 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/09/2011 | | S | 38,000 | D \$ 25.11 | 0 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/09/2011 | | M | 13,000 | A \$ 7.45 | 13,000 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/09/2011 | | S | 13,000 | D \$ 25.1 | 0 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/09/2011 | | M | 13,000 | A \$ 7.91 | 13,000 | D |

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|--------------|------------|---|--------|---|----------|-------|---|
| Common Stock | 02/09/2011 | S | 13,000 | D | \$ 25.10 | 0 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/09/2011 | M | 3,250 | A | \$ 5.76 | 3,250 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/09/2011 | S | 3,250 | D | \$ 25.10 | 0 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/09/2011 | M | 9,750 | A | \$ 8.50 | 9,750 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/09/2011 | S | 9,750 | D | \$ 25.10 | 0 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/09/2011 | M | 6,500 | A | \$ 7.97 | 6,500 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/09/2011 | S | 6,500 | D | \$ 25.10 | 0 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/09/2011 | M | 3,250 | A | \$ 8.68 | 3,250 | D |
| Common Stock | 02/09/2011 | S | 3,250 | D | \$ 25.10 | 0 | 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 7.45 | 02/09/2011 | | M | 38,000 | <u>(1)</u> 06/18/2013 | Common Stock | 38,000 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 7.45 | 02/09/2011 | | M | 13,000 | <u>(2)</u> 06/18/2013 | Common Stock | 13,000 |

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| Buy) | | | | | | | | | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 7.91 | 02/09/2011 | M | 13,000 | <u>(3)</u> | 07/01/2011 | Common Stock | 13,000 | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 5.76 | 02/09/2011 | M | 3,250 | <u>(4)</u> | 06/30/2013 | Common Stock | 3,250 | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 8.5 | 02/09/2011 | M | 9,750 | <u>(5)</u> | 06/30/2014 | Common Stock | 9,750 | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 7.97 | 02/09/2011 | M | 6,500 | <u>(6)</u> | 06/30/2015 | Common Stock | 6,500 | |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 8.68 | 02/09/2011 | M | 3,250 | <u>(7)</u> | 06/30/2016 | Common Stock | 3,250 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| NILSSON SVEN CHRISTER CEVA, INC. 1943 LANDINGS DRIVE MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043 | | X | | |

Signatures

/s/ Sven Christer
Nilsson

02/11/2011

**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) The stock option becomes exercisable as to 25% of the underlying shares on the first year anniversary of the grant date and 25% each year thereafter.
 - (2) The stock option becomes exercisable as to 25% of the underlying shares on the first year anniversary of the grant date and 25% each year thereafter.
 - (3) The stock option becomes exercisable as to 25% of the underlying shares on the first year anniversary of the grant date and 25% each year thereafter.

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- (4) The stock option becomes exercisable as to 25% of the underlying shares on the first year anniversary of the grant date and 25% each year thereafter.
- (5) The stock option becomes exercisable as to 25% of the underlying shares on the first year anniversary of the grant date and 25% each year thereafter.
- (6) The stock option becomes exercisable as to 25% of the underlying shares on the first year anniversary of the grant date and 25% each year thereafter.
- (7) The stock option becomes exercisable as to 25% of the underlying shares on the first year anniversary of the grant date and 25% each year thereafter.

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