EQUUS TOTAL RETURN, INC.

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Mobiquity Investments Ltd

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

EQUUS TOTAL RETURN, INC. [EQS]

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last)

(City)

Stock

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director Officer (give title below)

Issuer

X 10% Owner Other (specify

19105 36TH AVENUE

WEST, SUITE 213

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

12/14/2010

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

LYNNWOOD, WA 98036

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
		Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(======================================	(
Common Stock	12/14/2010	P	700	A	\$ 2.24	947,719 (1)	D	
Common Stock	12/14/2010	P	645	A	\$ 2.25	948,364 (1)	D	
Common	12/15/2010	P	1,037	A	\$	949,401 (1)	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da		7. Title Amou		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(ona., Day, Toal)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/		Under Securi	lying	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Mobiquity Investments Ltd 19105 36TH AVENUE WEST SUITE 213 LYNNWOOD, WA 98036	X	X					
Versatile Systems Inc. SUITE 910 355 BURRARD STREET VANCOVER A1 V6C-2G8	X	X					

Signatures

/s/ Fraser Atkinson	12/16/2010			
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			
/s/ Fraser Atkinson	12/16/2010			
**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).

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Reporting Owners 2

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The reported shares are held directly by Mobiquity Investments Limited ("Mobiquity"). Mobiquity, a Washington investment holding company, is a wholly owned subsidiary of Versatile Systems Inc., a Canadian corporation.

Remarks:

Exhibit List

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