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BECKHAM CLIFTON R Sym			2. Issuer Symbol	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol USA TRUCK INC [USAK]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			USA TR					(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of	Earliest Tra	insaction			(ene	in un application	-)	
				(Month/Day/Year)				_X_ Director	10% Owner		
3200 INDUS	STRIAL PAR	K ROAD	05/03/20	010				X Officer (give below)	e title Oth below)	er (specify	
								· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Executive Office	cer	
	(Street)		4. If Amer	ndment, Dat	e Original			6. Individual or Jo	oint/Group Filin	ng(Check	
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VAN BURE	EN, AR 72956							Person		cporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	lly Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction			3.	4. Securi			5. Amount of	6. Ownership		
Security	(Month/Day/Y	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	ion Date, if	Transactio				Securities		Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any (Month	CodeDisposed of (D)/Day/Year)(Instr. 8)(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				Beneficially Owned		Beneficial Ownership		
		(		(	(		- )	Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
						(A)		Reported			
						or		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
C				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(mout o und r)			
Common Stock	05/03/2010			А	258 <u>(2)</u>	А	\$0	59,407 <u>(3)</u>	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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number onof 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)	
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.58	05/03/2010	А	843	08/01/2011 <u>(1)</u>	08/01/2016	Common Stock	843

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	or 10% Owner Officer		Other			
BECKHAM CLIFTON R 3200 INDUSTRIAL PARK ROAD VAN BUREN, AR 72956	Х		Chief Executive Officer				
Signatures							
Darron R. Ming, Attorney-in-fact pu	rsuant to	POA previo	usly 05/05/2010				

Darron R. Ming, Attorney-in-fact pursuant to POA previously					
filed	05/05/2				

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

# **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).
- The stock option shares will vest in annual increments of one-third beginning on August 1, 2011 and continuing through and including (1) August 1, 2013. The stock option shares expire in annual increments of one-third beginning on August 1, 2014 and continuing through and including August 1, 2016.
- The Exempt grant of Restricted Stock will vest in annual increments of one-third beginning August 1, 2011 and continuing through and (2)including August 1, 2013.
- The amount includes shares purchased by the reporting person from the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan that have not been (3) previously reported.

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