H&E Equipment Services, Inc.

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

below)

ALESSI KEITH E

H&E Equipment Services, Inc.

(Check all applicable)

[HEES]

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner _X_ Other (specify Officer (give title

below)

Former Director

C/O H&E EQUIPMENT

(First)

SERVICES, INC., 11100 MEAD ROAD, SUITE 200

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

05/24/2011

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting

BATON ROUGE, LA 70816

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following (Instr. 4) Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Indirect Form: Direct Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) Code V Amount (D)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common

Stock, par value \$0.01

05/24/2011

D 1,710 \$0 7,912 D

Price

D

(1)

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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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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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ALESSI KEITH E C/O H&E EQUIPMENT SERVICES, INC. 11100 MEAD ROAD, SUITE 200 BATON ROUGE, LA 70816

Former Director

Signatures

/s/ W. Scott Bozzell Attorney-in-Fact

05/25/2011

**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).

The Reporting Person ended his service as a director of H&E Equipment Services, Inc. (the "Company") on May 24, 2011. In light of his many years of service to the Company, the Board of Directors of the Company approved an acceleration of the vesting on May 23, 2011 of the following shares of Company common stock, par value \$0.01 per share ("Common Stock"), which were previously granted to the

(1) Reporting Person: (i) 166 shares of Common Stock which were scheduled to vest on June 30, 2011; (ii) 705 shares of Common Stock which were scheduled to vest on June 2, 2011; and (iii) 502 shares of Common Stock which were scheduled to vest on May 25, 2011. The Reporting Person's remaining unvested 1,710 shares of Common Stock, 706 shares of which he received on June 2, 2009 and 1,004 shares of which he received on May 25, 2010, were forfeited, as reported above, upon the termination of his service as a director.

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