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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of R ZUCKERMAN STEP	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Clearfield, Inc. [CLFD]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner						
(Last) 5480 NATHAN LAN	(First) E N SUITE 120	<u>`</u>	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/14/2011						Officer (give title below)Oth	ter (specify belo	w)		
PLYMOUTH, MN 55		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group 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-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye			Execution Date, if	Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Amount (A) or (D) Price		of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership		
Common Stock		10/14/2011		М		7,500	А	\$ 1.16	28,000	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	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4. 5. Number		6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and Amount		8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature		
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transaction of		Expiration Date		of Underlying		Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect		
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any			(Month/Day/Year)		Securities		Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial		
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8					(Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership	
	Derivative				Acquired								2	(Instr. 4)	
	Security				(A) or							0	Direct (D)		
					Disposed							-	or Indirect		
					of (D)							Transaction(s)	· · /		
				(Instr. 3, 4,							(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)			
					and 5)										
											Amount				
								Date	Expiration		or				
									Date	Title	Number				
				Code	v	(1)	(D)				of Shares				
				Code	v	(A)	(D)				Shares				
Employee															
Stock										a					
Option	\$ 1.16	10/14/2011		М			7 500	02/27/2010	02/27/2015	Common	7,500	\$ 0	0	D	
-	φ 1.10	10/11/2011		141			7,500	02/2//2010	02/2//2013	Stock	7,500	ΨΟ	Ū	D	
(Right to															
Buy)															

Reporting Owners

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
ZUCKERMAN STEPHEN L 5480 NATHAN LANE N SUITE 120 PLYMOUTH, MN 55442	Х					

Signatures

Bernadette S. Ammons by Power of Attorney for Stephen L. Zuckerman	10/17/2011
Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

^{*} If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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