

China Direct, Inc
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Stein David

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 5301 N. FEDERAL HIGHWAY, SUITE 120
 (Street)

BOCA RATON, FL 33487

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 China Direct, Inc [CDS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/05/2007

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)

Chief Operating Officer

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock					2,083,115	D	
Common Stock	12/05/2007		M ⁽¹⁾		33,000	A	\$ 2.5
Common Stock	12/05/2007		S		33,000	D	\$ 10.0241
Common Stock	12/06/2007		M ⁽¹⁾		60,080	A	\$ 2.5
Common Stock	12/06/2007		S		60,080	D	\$ 10.4281

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Common Stock	12/07/2007	M ⁽¹⁾	23,000	A	\$ 2.5	2,106,115	D
Common Stock	12/07/2007	S	23,000	D	\$ 10.7733	2,083,115	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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 0.01					01/01/2005 01/01/2010	Common Stock 200,000
Stock Options	\$ 2.5					01/01/2006 01/01/2011	Common Stock 200,000
Stock Options	\$ 2.5	12/05/2007		M ⁽¹⁾	33,000	01/01/2006 01/01/2011	Common Stock 33,000
Stock Options	\$ 2.5	12/06/2007		M ⁽¹⁾	60,080	01/01/2006 01/01/2011	Common Stock 60,080
Stock Options	\$ 2.5	12/07/2007		M ⁽¹⁾	23,000	01/01/2006 01/01/2011	Common Stock 23,000
Stock Options	\$ 5					01/01/2007 01/01/2012	Common Stock 200,000
Stock Options	\$ 7.5					01/01/2008 01/01/2013	Common Stock 250,000
Stock Options	\$ 10					01/01/2009 01/01/2014	Common Stock 250,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Stein David
5301 N. FEDERAL HIGHWAY X X Chief Operating Officer
SUITE 120
BOCA RATON, FL 33487

Signatures

/s/ David Stein 12/07/2007

 **Signature of Date
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).
- (1) Mr. Stein exercised options granted to him under an employment agreement with China Direct, Inc. and vested on 1/1/06. Mr. Stein delivered proceeds of \$290,200 to China Direct, Inc. Transactions were made pursuant to a duly adopted trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.

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