

VISA INC.  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
POLLITT BYRON H JR

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O VISA INC., P.O. BOX 8999

(Street)

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94128-8999

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
VISA INC. [V]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
11/05/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)

Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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  |   |  |   |
| Class A Common Stock            | 11/05/2009                           |  | A                              | 9,423 (1) A \$ 0  | 22,704  | D  |   |
| Class A Common Stock            |                                      |  |                                |   | 10,000  | I  | Pollitt Family Trust                                  |

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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Performance Shares Award                   | \$ 0   | 11/05/2009                           |  | A                              | 26,562  | (2) (2)  | Common Stock  | 26,562                     |
| Employee Stock Options                     | \$ 79.59   | 11/05/2009                           |  | A                              | 50,865  | (3) 11/05/2019   | Common Stock  | 50,865                     |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                 | Other |
| POLLITT BYRON H JR<br>C/O VISA INC.<br>P.O. BOX 8999<br>SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94128-8999 |               |           | Chief Financial Officer |       |

## Signatures

Ariela St. Pierre,  
Attorney-in-Fact

11/09/2009

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).
- (1) Represents restricted stock granted pursuant to the Visa Inc. 2007 Equity Incentive Compensation Plan. The restricted stock vests in three equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the date of the grant, subject to earlier vesting in full in limited circumstances specified in the award agreement.
- (2) Represents performance share awards granted and earned pursuant to the Visa Inc. 2007 Equity Incentive Compensation Plan. The performance shares award earned vests in two equal installments on each of the first two anniversaries of the date earned, subject to earlier vesting in full in limited circumstances specified in the award agreement.
- (3) Options vest in three equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the date of the grant, subject to earlier vesting in full in limited circumstances as specified in the award agreement.

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