BENTEN R ANTHONY

Form 4

Stock

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(Print or Type l	Responses)											
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BENTEN R ANTHONY			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NEW YORK TIMES CO [NYT]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
						[111.	- J	(Check all applicable)				
	(First) YORK TIMES Y, 620 EIGHTH	(Middle)	(Month/Da 12/20/20	-	ansaction			Director X Officer (giv below) S.V.P., Fi		6 Owner er (specify troller		
				nendment, Date Original onth/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
NEW YOR	K, NY 10018							Form filed by I Person	More than One R	eporting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative :	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	any		emed on Date, if /Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)))	Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Class A Common Stock (1)	12/20/2010			F	717	D	\$ 9.8	8,985 (2)	D			
Class A Common								1,171 <u>(3)</u>	I	By 401(k)		

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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				G 1 17	(1) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BENTEN R ANTHONY THE NEW YORK TIMES COMPANY 620 EIGHTH AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10018

S.V.P., Finance and Controller

Signatures

Eunice Yang, Attorney-in-Fact for R. Anthony Benten

12/21/2010

**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) Delivery of shares to The New York Times Company to satisfy withholding tax obligations related to the vesting of restricted stock units granted December 20, 2005.
- (2) Includes 728 shares acquired under The New York Times Company Employee Stock Purchase Plan in December 2008.
- Represents shares of Class A stock equivalents attributed to holdings in the Company Stock Fund of The New York Times Companies Supplemental Retirement and Investment Plan (the "401(k) Plan"), based on a plan statement dated as of September 30, 2010. The number of shares was calculated by dividing the dollar value of the reporting person's holdings in such fund by the closing price of The New York Times Company Class A Common Stock on September 30, 2010.

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