PRE PAID LEGAL SERVICES INC

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SECURITIES

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading SMITH THOMAS W Issuer Symbol PRE PAID LEGAL SERVICES INC (Check all applicable) [PPD] _X__ Director _X__ 10% Owner (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction __X__ Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) below) 323 RAILROAD AVENUE 12/04/2008 Member of Section 13(d) Group (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting GREENWICH, CT 06830 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	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)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/04/2008		S	14,900	` ′	\$ 38.54	1,026,556	I (1)	By Idoya Partners LP (1)
Common Stock	12/05/2008		S	29,200	D	\$ 36.64	997,356	I (1)	By Idoya Partners LP (1)

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

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$\label{thm:convertible} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	ınt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owno Follo Repo Trans (Instr
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
SMITH THOMAS W 323 RAILROAD AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830	X	X		Member of Section 13(d) Group				
VASSALLUZZO SCOTT J 323 RAILROAD AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830		X		Member of Section 13(d) Group				
Fischer Steven M 323 RAILROAD AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830		X		Member of Section 13(d) Group				

Signatures

12/08/2008			
Date			
12/08/2008			
Date			

Steven M.

Fischer 12/08/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
 - These shares are owned directly by Idoya Partners L.P.("Idoya"), a private investment limited partnership, and indirectly by Thomas W. Smith, Scott J. Vassalluzzo and Steven M. Fischer as general partners of Idoya (collectively, the "General Partners"). The General
- Partners disclaim beneficial ownership of these shares in excess of their pecuniary interest under 16a-1(a)(2)(ii)(B). The address for Idoya is 323 Railroad Avenue, Greenwich, CT 06830

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