

DeSpirito Antonio
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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 *
DeSpirito Antonio

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Pzena Investment Management, Inc.
[PZN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/31/2012

____ Director
 Officer (give title below) _____ 10% Owner
_____ Other (specify below)
Executive Vice President

C/O PZENA INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT, 120 WEST 45TH STREET, 20TH FLOOR

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10036

(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/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	(A) or (D)	Price	
Class A common stock, par value \$0.01	08/31/2012		J(1)(2)		134,585	A	<u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> 485,447	D
Class B common stock, par value \$0.000001	08/31/2012		J(1)(2)(3)		134,585	D	<u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(3)</u> 762,654	D

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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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares				
					Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Class B Units ⁽⁴⁾	<u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	08/31/2012		<u>J(1)(2)</u>	134,585	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>				Class A common stock, par value \$0.01	134,585

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DeSpirito Antonio C/O PZENA INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT 120 WEST 45TH STREET, 20TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10036			Executive Vice President	

Signatures

/s/ Joan F. Berger, as attorney-in-fact for Antonio DeSpirito

09/05/2012

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) On February 17, 2009, the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") declared effective the Issuer's registration statement on Form S-3, in which the Issuer registered 57,937,910 shares of its Class A common stock, issuable upon exchange of an equivalent number of Class B units of its operating company, Pzena Investment Management, LLC ("Pzena LLC").

(2) On August 31, 2012(the "Exchange Date"), the Reporting Person exchanged 134,585 Class B units of Pzena LLC for an equivalent number of the Issuer's Class A common stock. At this time, the Reporting Person does not intend to sell any of the subject Class A common stock.

(3)

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Each Class B unit of Pzena LLC is paired with a share of the Issuer's Class B common stock. Whenever a Class B unit is exchanged for a share of Class A common stock, a share of Class B common stock is forfeited.

- (4) Represents units of Pzena LLC that were reclassified as "Class B Units" of Pzena LLC on a one-for-one basis in connection with the amendment and restatement of Pzena LLC's operating agreement as of October 30, 2007 ("the Amended Pzena LLC Agreement"), among the Issuer, as the Managing Member of Pzena LLC and the holder of certain units of Pzena LLC, and the holders of such reclassified units of Pzena LLC. Pursuant to the Amended Pzena LLC Agreement, each Class B Unit is exchangeable for a share of Class A common stock of the Issuer, subject to the timing and volume limitations set forth in the Amended Pzena LLC Agreement.

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