

Ebling Keith J.  
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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 \*  
Ebling Keith J.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O EXPRESS SCRIPTS  
HOLDING COMPANY, ONE  
EXPRESS WAY

(Street)

ST. LOUIS, MO 63121

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Express Scripts Holding Co. [ESRX]

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

12/14/2012

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)

EVP & General Counsel

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

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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                                         |                                                                                               |                                                          |                                                       |
| Common Stock                    | 08/15/2012                           |                                                    | G                              | V <u>3,577</u> <sup>(1)</sup> D \$ 0                              | 135,660                                                                                       | D                                                        |                                                       |
| Common Stock                    | 08/15/2012                           |                                                    | G                              | V <u>3,577</u> <sup>(1)</sup> A \$ 0                              | 116,082                                                                                       | I                                                        | By Spouse Trust #1                                    |
| Common Stock                    | 11/23/2012                           |                                                    | G                              | V <u>64,713</u> <sup>(1)</sup> D \$ 0                             | 70,947                                                                                        | D                                                        |                                                       |
| Common Stock                    | 11/23/2012                           |                                                    | G                              | V <u>64,713</u> <sup>(1)</sup> A \$ 0                             | 64,713                                                                                        | I                                                        | By Reporting Person's Trust                           |

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|              |            |   |   |                              |   |            |        |   |                             |
|--------------|------------|---|---|------------------------------|---|------------|--------|---|-----------------------------|
| Common Stock | 12/06/2012 | G | V | <u>62,500</u> <sup>(1)</sup> | D | \$ 0       | 53,582 | I | By Spouse Trust #1          |
| Common Stock | 12/06/2012 | G | V | <u>62,500</u> <sup>(1)</sup> | A | \$ 0       | 62,500 | I | By Spouse Trust #2          |
| Common Stock | 12/10/2012 | G | V | 625 <u>(1)</u>               | D | \$ 0       | 70,322 | D |                             |
| Common Stock | 12/10/2012 | G | V | 625 <u>(1)</u>               | A | \$ 0       | 65,338 | I | By Reporting Person's Trust |
| Common Stock | 12/14/2012 | M |   | 9,984                        | A | \$ 21.8175 | 80,306 | D |                             |
| Common Stock | 12/14/2012 | D |   | 6,528                        | D | \$ 54.76   | 73,778 | D |                             |
| Common Stock | 12/14/2012 | G | V | <u>1,728</u> <sup>(1)</sup>  | D | \$ 0       | 72,050 | D |                             |
| Common Stock | 12/14/2012 | G | V | <u>1,728</u> <sup>(1)</sup>  | A | \$ 0       | 55,310 | I | By Spouse Trust #1          |

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 Appreciation Right                   | \$ 21.8175                                             | 12/14/2012                           |                                                    | M                              | 9,984                                                                                   | <u>(2)</u>                                               | 02/28/2013                                                    | Express Scripts Holding Company Common Stock | 9,984                      |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                                   | Relationships |           |                       |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-----------------------|-------|
|                                                                                                  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer               | Other |
| Ebling Keith J.<br>C/O EXPRESS SCRIPTS HOLDING COMPANY<br>ONE EXPRESS WAY<br>ST. LOUIS, MO 63121 |               |           | EVP & General Counsel |       |

## Signatures

Keith Ebling 12/18/2012

\_\_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) Gift
  - (2) Vested in three (3) equal installments on the first three (3) anniversaries of the grant date.
  - (3) Stock Appreciation Right granted pursuant to Express Scripts 2000 Long-Term Incentive Plan.

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