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| August 14, 2008 | | | | | | | | |
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| 1(b). | | | | | | | | |
| (Print or Type Responses) | | | | | | | | |
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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting I Lund George | suer Name and Ticker o | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | | | | |
| ENCORE CAPITAL GROUP INC | | | | | c all applicable) | | | |
| | [ECI | PG] | | (CHECK | an applicable |) | | |
| | | | | _X_ Director Officer (give ti | title 00% Owner | | | |
| 8875 AERO DRIVE, #200 | | 3/2008 | 1 | below) | | | | |
| (Street) | Amendment, Date Origir | al | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | | | | |
| Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | | | | rson | | |
| | | | | | ore than One Reporting | | | |
| (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | |
| (Instr. 3) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, i any (Month/Day/Yea | f Transactionor Dispo Code (Instr. 3, | 4 and 5) (A) or | 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) | | |
| | | | ¢ | | | By | | |
| Common 08/13/2008 | | P 20,500 | \$ A 11.6019 | 132,000 | Ι | George Lund | | |
| Stock | | | <u>(1)</u> | | | Holdings LLC | | |
| Common Stock | | | | 7,200 | D | | | |

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | ate | Amor Unde Secur | le and unt of rlying ities . 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owna Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|---|---|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |
| Repo | rting O | wners | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Relationshins | | | | | | | | |

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | | Relationsh | | | | | |
|---|----------|------------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| Lund George 8875 AERO DRIVE, #200 SAN DIEGO, CA 92123 | Х | | | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | | |
| /s/ Florentino Zamora, Jr., Atto Lund | ge | 08/14/2008 | | | | | |
| <u>**</u> Signature of Repor | | 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).

The shares were purchased in multiple transactions on August 13, 2008 at an actual purchase price ranging from \$11.40 to \$11.75 per share. The price reported reflects the weighted average purchase price for the transactions. The reporting person undertakes to provide

(1) share. The price reported reflects the weighted average purchase price for the transactions. The reporting person indertakes to provide upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price.

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