MITCHAM BILLY F JR

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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading MITCHAM BILLY F JR Symbol MITCHAM INDUSTRIES INC [MIND]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(First)

(State)

05/13/2013

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title

8141 SH 75 SOUTH

(Last)

(City)

(Month/Day/Year) 05/13/2013

Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

CEO & President

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

HUNTSVILLE, TX 77342

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 7. Nature of Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial Owned Ownership (D) or Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4)

(A) or

(1)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

MII Common

A

15,000

400,375 14.63

Stock MII

Common Stock

See 3,100 I footnote (2)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	tive Expiration Date ties (Month/Day/Year) red (A) possed of 3, 4,		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
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 14.63	05/13/2013		A	30,000	<u>(3)</u>	05/13/2023	MII Common Stock	30,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MITCHAM BILLY F JR							
8141 SH 75 SOUTH	X		CEO & President				
HUNTSVILLE, TX 77342							

Signatures

/s/ Billy F.
Mitcham, Jr.

**Signature of Reporting

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) Restricted Stock vests 1/3 on May 13 2014, 1/3 on May 13, 2015 and 1/3 on May 13, 2016.
- (2) The shares are owned by Mr. Mitcham's spouse.
- (3) Options vest 1/3 on May 13,2014, 1/3 on May 13,2015 and 1/3 on May 13,2016.

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