Balisle Phillip Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Balisle Phillip	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DRS TECHNOLOGIES INC [DRS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
	(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
DRS TECHNOLOGIES, INC., 5 SYLVAN WAY	09/26/2008	X Officer (give title Other (specification) below) Exec. V.P., Washington Ops.		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3.	4. Securi		•	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	on(A) or D	ispose	d of (D)	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					()		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			~		or	~ .	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price			
Common Stock	09/26/2008		F	1,611	D	\$ 77.88	7,617 <u>(1)</u>	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)

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						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number		
						Exercisable	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Balisle Phillip DRS TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 5 SYLVAN WAY PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054			Exec. V.P., Washington Ops.				

Signatures

Phillip Balisle 09/29/2008

**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) Includes: 2,103 shares of restricted stock granted on June 16, 2006 that vest on June 16, 2009; 2,025 shares of restricted stock granted on June 15, 2007 that vest on June 15, 2010; and 100 shares owned by spouse as to which reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership.

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