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# FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addre Blinderman	ss of Reporting Perso <mark>√iki K</mark>	on*	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CARRIAGE SERVICES INC</u> [ CSV ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title V Other (specify				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5334 DUMFRIES		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/30/2011	below) Controller				
(Street) HOUSTON (City)	TX (State)	77096 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	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)	Transaction Code (Instr.					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150.4)
Common Stock	11/30/2011		М		1,000	Α	\$4.5	12,584	D	
Common Stock	11/30/2011		S		1,000	D	\$5.877	11,584	D	

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. Transa Code ( 8)		of Expiration		Expiration Da	nth/Day/Year) Securities Underlying Derivative S		Amount of Derivative Securities Security		e derivative	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Options	\$4.5	11/30/2011		М			1,000	05/07/2006	05/06/2012	Common	1,000	\$0.00	0	D	

### Explanation of Responses:

**Remarks:** 

#### /C/ Viki K. Blinderman

12/01/2011 Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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