

CASS INFORMATION SYSTEMS INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
MURRAY HARRY M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CASS INFORMATION SYSTEMS INC [CASS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
13001 HOLLENBERG DRIVE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/16/2008

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP

BRIDGETON, MO 63044
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾					5,918	D	
Common Stock	12/16/2008		S	100 D	\$ 34 29,655	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 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
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.998					01/02/2010 ⁽²⁾	01/02/2010	Common Stock	4,171
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.509					01/02/2011 ⁽²⁾	01/02/2011	Common Stock	1,311
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.445					01/02/2012 ⁽²⁾	01/02/2012	Common Stock	1,252
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.666					01/02/2013 ⁽²⁾	01/02/2013	Common Stock	1,701
Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 28.41					01/22/2009 ⁽³⁾	01/22/2018	Common Stock	10,421

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MURRAY HARRY M 13001 HOLLENBERG DRIVE BRIDGETON, MO 63044			EVP	

Signatures

/s/ Harry M. Murray
12/17/2008

**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) Restricted stock bonus shares; over a three-year vesting period, restrictions expire in one-third increments on the anniversary date of the award.
- (2) Exercise date may be accelerated based on attainment of certain criteria.
- (3) Over a three-year vesting period, SARs become exercisable in one-third increments on the anniversary date of the grant.

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