MASON J BARRY Form 4 April 04, 2013

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MASON J BARRY | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BOOKS A MILLION INC [BAMM] | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|---------------|---|--|----------------|---|--|---------|--|--|---|--|
| | | | | | | | | | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| | UM DRIVE 420 | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/02/2013 | | | | X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) | | | | | |
| ALSTON H | IALL | | | | | | | | below) | ociow) | | |
| | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | |
| TUSCALO | OSA, AL 35487 | | | | | | | | Form filed by Person | More than One Ro | eporting | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table | e I - Non-E | Deri | ivative S | ecuri | ties Ac | quired, Disposed (| of, or Beneficia | lly Owned | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year | Execution any | emed on Date, if /Day/Year) | 3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | ionA E (| 4. Securit Acquired Disposed Instr. 3, 4 | (A) o of (D |) | 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) | |
| Common Stock, | | | | | | | ` / | | | | | |
| \$0.01 par value per share | 04/02/2013 | | | A | | 9,191 1) | A | \$0 | 44,191 | 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 | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exer | | 7. Title a | | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
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| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | | onNumber | Expiration D | | Amount | | Derivative | Deriv |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/ | Year) | Underly | _ | Security | Secui |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e | | Securitie | es | (Instr. 5) | Bene |
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| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | | hares | | |

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

MASON J BARRY # 4 STADIUM DRIVE 420 ALSTON HALL X TUSCALOOSA, AL 35487

Signatures

/s/ R. Todd 04/04/2013 Noden

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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- 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).
- Represents a grant of restricted stock. This transaction is exempt from Section 16(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 pursuant to Rule 16b-3(d) thereunder.

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