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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Magolske Charles J			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FreightCar America, Inc. [RAIL]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	09/28/2007		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA, SUITE 1250					(Check all applicable)				
	(Street)				Director10% Owner OfficerOther (give title below) (specify below)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting	
CHICAGO, IL 60606				VP, Business Development			Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tal	ble I - N	Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Secu (Instr. 4)	rity		Ben	Amount of neficially (str. 4)	Securities Dwned	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	•	
Common Stock			1,833 <u>(1)</u>		D	Â	A Contraction of the second se		
Common Stock			5,0	5,000 (2)		D	Â		
Reminder: Rep owned directly		ate line for ea	ch class of securitie	es beneficia	ally SI	EC 1473 (7-02)		

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	

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Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Magolske Charles J TWO NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA SUITE 1250 CHICAGO, IL 60606	Â	Â	VP, Business Development	Â			
Signatures							
/s/ Kevin P. Bagby, as attorney-in-fact	10/18/2007						
**Signature of Reporting Person	I	Date					

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Exempt issuance of restricted shares under Rule 16b-3 pursuant to the Issuer's 2005 Long-Term Incentive Plan. The shares will vest at the opening of the second full trading day after the press release with respect to earnings for the Company's first fiscal quarter ending in 2008.
- (2) Exempt issuance of restricted shares under Rule 16b-3 pursuant to the Issuer's 2005 Long-Term Incentive Plan. The shares will vest in three equal installments beginning on May 1, 2008.

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