STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Anderson Harold M Form 4 December 19, 2008

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Anderson Harold M

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

	BOOKS A MILLION INC [BAMM]					(Check all applicable)						
(Last) (First) (Middle)  3101 CLAIRMONT ROAD SUITE C			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/17/2008					Director 10% Owner Officer (give titleX Other (specify below)				
				endment, Date Original onth/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				
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned											
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	) Execution any		3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi or(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d 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	12/17/2008			P(1)	1,699	A	\$ 1.9982 (2)	369,979	D			
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value per share	12/17/2008			P	849	A	\$ 1.9982 (2)	16,999	I	BY SPOUSE		

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	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Date		Amour	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	ying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. :	3 and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired						Follo
	•				(A) or						Repo
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					of (D)						(Instr
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
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									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	xercisable Date	Title Number			
				G 1 W	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Anderson Harold M 3101 CLAIRMONT ROAD SUITE C ATLANTA, GA 30329

SEE REMARKS BELOW

### **Signatures**

MARTIN R. ABROMS, BY POWER OF **ATTORNEY** 

12/19/2008

\*\*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).
- The purchase reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on December **(1)** 3, 2008, which plan became effective on December 7, 2008.
- This price represents the weighted average purchase price for multiple transactions reported on this line. The prices of the transactions (2) reported on this line ranged from \$1.99 to \$2.01 per share. Upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, the reporting person will undertake to provide full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price.

#### **Remarks:**

The reporting person may be deemed to be a member of a "group" (within the meaning of Section 13(d)(3) of the Securities Exchange Act ) which owns more than 10% of the Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share (the "Common Stock"), of the Iss

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