Bastian Edward H Form 4 November 01, 2007

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Bastian Edward H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

(Middle)

(Zip)

DELTA AIR LINES INC /DE/

[DAL]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 10/30/2007

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

below) President & CFO

DELTA AIR LINES, INC., DEPT.

(Street)

(State)

981, P.O. BOX 20574

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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Issuer

ATLANTA, GA 30320

(City)

		Tube I Tion Berrial to Securities required, bis							sposed of, of Beneficially Owned			
	1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securit	ies Ac	quired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of		
	Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)		Securities	Ownership	Indirect				
	(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(A) or Amount (D) Pri 26,150 \$		5)	Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial		
			(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	(D) or	Ownership		
								Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)		
						()		Reported	(Instr. 4)			
								Transaction(s)				
				G 1 17			ъ.	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
				Code V		(D)	Price					
	Common	10/30/2007		F	26,150	D	\$	236,517 (2)	D			
	Stock	10/30/2007		Г	(1)	ע	20.68	230,317 (-)	D			
	Common	10/21/2007		C	25 000	Ъ	¢ 20 5	201 517	D			
Stock		10/31/2007		S	35,000	D	\$ 20.5	201,517	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	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	lying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	e		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative			Securities				(Instr.	3 and 4)		Own
	Security			Acquired							Follo
	·				(A) or						Repo
					Disposed						Trans
					of (D)						(Instr
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
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									Amount		
						Date	*	or Title Number of			
						Exercisable					
				C 1 W							
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Bastian Edward H DELTA AIR LINES, INC., DEPT. 981 P.O. BOX 20574 ATLANTA, GA 30320

President & CFO

Signatures

Nanci Oliver Sloan as attorney-in-fact for Edward H. **Bastian**

11/01/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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 shares withheld to pay tax withholding obligations to appropriate taxing authorities from the lapse of the restrictions on a portion of Reporting Person's restricted stock. This withholding was approved by the Personnel & Compensation Committee **(1)** of Delta's Board of Directors and is exempt from Section 16(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 under Rules 16b(d)(1) and 16b-3(e).
- **(2)** Includes 200,900 shares of restricted stock on which the restrictions have not lapsed.

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