Kotov Alexey Form 3 July 28, 2009

FORM 3

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

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Statement Kotov Alexey (Month/Day/Year) 07/20/2009 (Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CASPIAN SERVICES INC [CSSV]

> 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

257 EAST 200 SOUTH, SUITE 490

(Street)

10% Owner _X__ Director Officer Other (give title below) (specify below)

(Check all applicable)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

SALT LAKE CITY. UTÂ 84111

> (City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

Ownership Form:

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

Direct (D) or Indirect (Instr. 5)

(I) (Instr. 5)

Â 31,667 (1) Common Stock 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 Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

(Instr. 4)

1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying **Derivative Security** (Instr. 4)

Conversion or Exercise Price of

5. Ownership Form of Derivative

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 5)

Derivative Security: Title Direct (D) Security

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Date Expiration or Indirect Amount or Exercisable Date Number of (I)

(Instr. 5) Shares

Common 08/01/2005 07/31/2015 Â **Stock Options** 100,000 \$ 3 D Stock

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Kotov Alexey

257 EAST 200 SOUTH ÂΧ Â Â Â **SUITE 490**

SALT LAKE CITY, UTÂ 84111

Signatures

/s/ Alexey Kotov 07/23/2009 **Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).
- These shares were granted with certain vesting conditions. As of the date of this Form 3, 23,750 shares have vested. The remaining shares will vest on April 30, 2010 so long as Mr. Kotov continues to be employed by the Company on the vesting date.

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