FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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obligations may continue. See
Instruction 1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

SYKES OLLIN B		ARLES & CO	<u>JLVP</u>	<u> </u>	<u>LID</u> [CI			Director	10%	6 Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O CHARLES & COLVARD LTD		ate of Earliest Trans 6/2013	action (Month	/Day/Year)		Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)					
300 PERIMETER PARK DR., STE A (Street) MORRISVILLE NC 27560	4. If <i>i</i>	Amendment, Date o	f Origin	al File	d (Month/Day		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) (Zip)												
Table I - N	on-Deriva	ative	Securities Acc	quired	l, Dis	sposed of,	or Be	nefic	ciall	y Owned		
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				Code V		Amount	(A) or (D) Price		9	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
common stock										325,860	D	
common stock	08/16/20	013		S		26,900	D	\$7.	.25	569,803	I	By Ollin Sykes TR FBO Sykes & Company PA 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan UA Jan 01, 1985(1)
common stock	08/19/2	013		S		15,000	D	\$7.	.44	554,803	I	By Ollin Sykes TR FBO Sykes & Company PA 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan UA Jan 01, 1985
common stock	08/19/2	013		S		7,193	D	\$7.	.48	547,610	I	By Ollin Sykes TR FBO Sykes & Company PA 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan UA Jan 01, 1985
common stock										10,599	I	By SEP IRA
common stock										4,787	I	By spouse
common stock										918	I	By Sykesco Investment Partners ⁽²⁾
common stock										17,323	I	By ROTH IRA

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
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Security (Instr. 3)	curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any					nstr.	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		(Month/Day/Y			Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Security (Instr. 5) Securit Benefic Owned Following Reporte Transac (Instr. 4)		s Ily I	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					

Explanation of Responses:

- $1. \ Ollin \ Sykes \ is the \ trustee of the \ Sykes \ \& \ Company \ PA \ 401(k) \ Profit \ Sharing \ Plan \ UA \ Jan \ 01, \ 1985. \ The \ aggregate \ shares \ of the \ Issuer's \ common \ stock \ reported \ as \ held \ by \ the \ plan \ include \ 57,277 \ shares \ held \ long \ partial \ par$ in Mr. Sykes's personal 401(k) account under the plan. Mr. Sykes disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- 2. Mr. Sykes is a partner within this investment partnership and has shared voting and investment power over these shares.

/s/ Bernadette Lindemer, 08/20/2013 Attorney-In-Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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