

VISA INC.
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
RICHEY ELLEN

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O VISA INC., P.O. BOX 8999

(Street)

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94128-8999

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
VISA INC. [V]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/05/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Chief Enterprise Risk Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
Class A Common Stock	11/05/2011		M	V	6,642	A	\$ 0 39,384	D
Class A Common Stock	11/05/2011		F	D	5,226	D	\$ 92.64 34,158	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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Performance Share Award	\$ 0	11/05/2011		M	6,642	(1) (1)	Common Stock
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 92.64	11/05/2011		A	10,582	(2) 11/05/2021	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	11/05/2011		A	3,373	(3) 11/05/2021	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
RICHEY ELLEN C/O VISA INC. P.O. BOX 8999 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94128-8999			Chief Enterprise Risk Officer	

Signatures

/s/ Jenny Kim, 11/08/2011
Attorney-In-Fact

**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).
 - (1) Represents performance share awards granted and earned pursuant to the Visa Inc. 2007 Equity Incentive Compensation Plan. The performance shares award vest in two equal installments on each of the first two anniversaries of the date earned which were November 5, 2010 and 2011, respectively.
 - (2) Options vest in three equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the date of the grant, subject to earlier vesting in full in limited circumstances as specified in the award agreement.
 - (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Visa Inc. common stock or a cash equivalent of its value. The restricted stock units vest in three equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the date of the grant, subject to earlier vesting in full in limited circumstances as specified in the award agreement.

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