

BRAAKSMA GEERT  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â BRAAKSMA GEERT</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>C/O SENSATA TECHNOLOGIES, INC., Â 529 PLEASANT STREET</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>ATTLEBORO, Â MA Â 02703</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>03/10/2010</p>	<p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>Sensata Technologies Holding N.V. [ST]</p>	<p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) Vice President, Sensors Europe</p>	<p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p>	<p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Ordinary Shares, par value EUR 0.01 per share	9,300 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	Â

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)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security	4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Options to Buy	Â (2)	05/15/2016	Ordinary shares	375,968 (2)	\$ 6.99	D	Â
Stock Options to Buy	Â (3)	09/04/2019	Ordinary shares	25,000 (3)	\$ 14.8	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BRAAKSMA GEERT C/O SENSATA TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 529 PLEASANT STREET ATTLEBORO, MA 02703	Â	Â	Â Vice President, Sensors Europe	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Geert Braaksma 03/10/2010

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## 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).
- (1) Consists of unvested restricted ordinary shares granted to the reporting person on December 9, 2009. The restricted ordinary shares vest in five equal annual installments beginning one year from the date of grant.  
  
Consists of 125,323 Tranche I options and 250,645 Tranche II options granted to the reporting person on May 15, 2006. The Tranche I options vest as follows: 40% upon the second anniversary of the date of grant and 20% upon each of the third, fourth and fifth anniversaries of the date of grant. Vesting of Tranche II options is conditioned upon the achievement of a performance target at which time they become subject to time vesting in the same manner as the Tranche I options. 75,194 of the Tranche I options have vested; no Tranche II options have vested.
  - (2)
  - (3) Consists of Tranche I options granted to the reporting person on September 4, 2009. The Tranche I options vest in five equal annual installments beginning one year from the date of grant.

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