FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF	CHANGES IN E	BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  DURDEN HUGH M					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ST JOE CO [ JOE ]										all applicable)  Director		g Perso	Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 245 RIVERSIDE AVENUE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2008											Office	fficer (give title elow)		Other (specify below)	
SUITE 500				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street) JACKSONVILLE FL 32202															X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(St	ate) (	Zip)																	
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D				Day/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispos Code (Instr. 5)		Disposed	ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3,			4 and Sec Ber Ow		ecurities I eneficially (		ership Direct ndirect r. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
										v	Amount		(A) or (D) Price				action(s) 3 and 4)			(
Common Stock 12/31				12/31	1/2008				A		701		A	\$24.32		.32 14,854		Ι	)	
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  Security  3. Transaction Date Execution Date (Month/Day/Year)  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			Date,	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)			rative rities ired r osed )	6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		9	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		ount	ıt		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	of	mber ares						

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Remarks:

/s/ Reece B. Alford, by power of attorney

01/05/2009

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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