CARR ROBERT O

Form 4

August 10, 2010

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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may continue. See Instruction

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obligations

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CARR ROBERT O

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS INC [HPY]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 08/06/2010

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

Other (specify

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C/O HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS, INC., 90 NASSAU

(Street)

(First)

(Middle)

STREET

(Last)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Chairman of the Board and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Reported

92.552

_X__ Director

X_ Officer (give title

Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

PRINCETON, NJ 08542

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities Acquired (A) Transactionr Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

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

5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) or Indirect **Following**

7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code V Amount (D)

Common

(Instr. 3)

Stock, par value

\$0.001 per share

08/06/2010

M

50,450 A

\$ 6.25

 $D^{(1)}$

(Instr. 4)

Common

share

Stock, par value 08/06/2010

\$0.001 per

S 50,450 D

\$ 14.831 42,102

 $D^{(1)}$

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Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/09/2010	S	20,285	D	\$ 15.1587	21,817	D (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/10/2010	M	21,683	A	\$ 6.25	43,500	D (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	08/10/2010	S	43,500	D	\$ 14.72 (4)	0	D (1)

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 onDerivative 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0	08/06/2010		M	50,450	10/29/2007	10/29/2013	Common Stock	50,450
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0	08/10/2010		M	21,683	10/29/2007	10/29/2013	Common Stock	21,683

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Wife

CARR ROBERT O

C/O HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS, INC.

X Chairman of the Board and CEO

90 NASSAU STREET PRINCETON, NJ 08542

CARR JILL

C/O HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS, INC.

90 NASSAU STREET

PRINCETON, NJ 08542

Signatures

/s/ Charles H.N. Kallenbach, as attorney-in-fact 08/10/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ Charles H.N. Kallenbach, as attorney-in-fact 08/10/2010

**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).

This Form 4 is filed in connection with a joint/group filing consisting of Mr. Carr and Jill Carr, Mr. Carr's wife. Mrs. Carr's address is c/o Heartland Payment Systems, Inc., 90 Nassau Street, Princeton, NJ 08542. Mr. and Mrs. Carr's indirect beneficial ownership consists of 400,000 shares of the Issuer's common stock held by The Robert O. Carr 2001 Charitable Remainder Unitrust and 201,391 shares held by The Robert O. Carr 2000 Irrevocable Trust for Emily Carr. The reporting persons disclaim beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting persons are the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section

16 or for any other purpose. Mr. and Mrs. Carr have fully vested options to purchase an additional 169,117 shares of the Common Stock.

This price is the weighted average price of the 50,450 shares sold. The prices actually paid for the shares of the Company's Common (2) Stock sold ranged from \$14.46 to \$15.17. The reporting person will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer or the SEC Staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range of prices actually paid.

This price is the weighted average price of the 20,285 shares sold. The prices actually paid for the shares of the Company's Common (3) Stock sold ranged from \$14.95 to \$15.28. The reporting person will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer or the SEC Staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range of prices actually paid.

This price is the weighted average price of the 43,500 shares sold. The prices actually paid for the shares of the Company's Common (4) Stock sold ranged from \$14.575 to \$15.06. The reporting person will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer or the SEC Staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range of prices actually paid.

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