

EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
 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)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Cole Bruce (Last) (First) (Middle) 13000 DEERFIELD PARKWAY, BUILDING 200 (Street) ALPHARETTA, GA 30004 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 08/22/2007	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES [XIDE]	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below) President-Transportation Ameri	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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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)
Common Stock	17,931 ⁽¹⁾	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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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 (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Title			

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		Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	10/13/2005 ⁽²⁾	10/13/2014	Common Stock	10,500	\$ 15.82	D	Â
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	11/29/2006 ⁽²⁾	11/29/2015	Common Stock	5,856	\$ 4.46	D	Â
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	09/21/2007 ⁽²⁾	09/21/2016	Common Stock	11,600	\$ 3.64	D	Â
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	03/22/2008 ⁽²⁾	03/22/2017	Common Stock	11,036	\$ 7.559	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Cole Bruce 13000 DEERFIELD PARKWAY BUILDING 200 ALPHARETTA, GA 30004	Â	Â	Â President-Transportation Ameri	Â

Signatures

Brad S. Kalter as attorney-in-fact for
Bruce Cole

08/28/2007

__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) The restricted Common Stock and Restricted Share Units were acquired by the Reporting Person pursuant to the 2004 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (2) The Stock Options, acquired by the Reporting Person pursuant to the 2004 Stock Incentive Plan, vest in three equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant.

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