Compass Diversified Holdings Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **SABO ELIAS** Issuer Symbol **Compass Diversified Holdings** (Check all applicable) [CODI] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Officer (give title __X_ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) SIXTY ONE WILTON 11/07/2008 See Remarks (a) ROAD, SECOND FLOOR (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting WESTPORT, CT 06880 Person

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Shares (1) 65,000 D Through Shares (1) 11/07/2008 P I 24 \$ 11.2 65,445.52 Pharos I (2) LLC (3) Through Shares (1) P \$ 11.2 65,493.52 I Pharos I 11/07/2008 48 (2) LLC (3) Through Shares (1) 11/07/2008 I Pharos I 120 \$ 11.2 65,613.52

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Shares (1)	11/07/2008	P	1.68	A (2)	\$ 11.26	65,615.2	I	Pharos I LLC (3)
Shares (1)	11/07/2008	P	20.4	A (2)	\$ 11.27	65,635.6	I	Through Pharos I LLC (3)

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. Transa Code (Instr.		5. DiNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	ant of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Relationships

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			_	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SABO ELIAS SIXTY ONE WILTON ROAD SECOND FLOOR WESTPORT, CT 06880				See Remarks (a)
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Signatures

/s/ Elias Sabo, by James J. Bottiglieri as attorney-in-fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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) Each Share represents one undivided beneficial interest in Compass Diversified Holdings (the "Trust") property and corresponds to one trust interest of Compass Group Diversified Holdings LLC held by the Trust.
- (2) The purchases reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by Pharos I LLC on May 29, 2008.
- (3) Amounts with respect to Mr. Sabo reflect his beneficial ownership of Shares through his pecuniary interest in Pharos I LLC.

Remarks:

(a) Mr. Sabo is an Assistant Secretary of Compass Group Diversified Holdings LLC, Sponsor of the Trust.

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