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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address Clifton J Chris	1 0	n*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>BIMINI CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC.</u> [BMNM]		tionship of Reporting Pers all applicable) Director Officer (give title	10% Owner Other (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O BIMINI CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC. 3305 FLAMINGO DRIVE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/30/2008		below) EVP, GC, CCO	below) & Sec
(Street) VERO BEACH (City)	FL (State)	32963 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Filing Form filed by One Repo Form filed by More thar Person	orting Person

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr.					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(
Class A Common Stock	09/30/2008		М		6,250	A	(1)	25,321	D	

 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 (8)		of Deri Sec Acq (A) (Disp of (I (Inst	of Expiration Date Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Securities Acquired		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Phantom Stock	(1)	09/30/2008		М			6,250	09/30/2008	09/30/2008	Class A Common Stock	6,250	(1)	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Each share of phantom stock represents the economic equivalent of one share of Bimini Capital Management, Inc.'s Class A Common Stock.

J. Christopher Clifton

<u>10/01/2008</u> erson Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).

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