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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Williams Edward E			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			ESCALADE INC [ESCA]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	•			
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner			
PO BOX 50			07/24/2009	Officer (give titleOther (specify below)			
	(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			
CRYSTAL	CITY, MO	63019		Form filed by More than One Reporting			

(City)

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secui	rities Ac	equired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	ially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			ties A ispose 4 and		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
		, ,	(Instr. 8) Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	07/24/2009		A	7,105 (1)	A	\$ 0.95	26,041	D	
Common Stock							37,038 (2)	I	Good Earth Tools, Inc.
Common Stock							337,302 (3)	I	KPW Family Limited Partnership

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date		4.	5. ionNumber	6. Date Exerc		7. Tit		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	.		Under	rlying	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	7 (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Williams Edward E								
PO BOX 50	X							
CRYSTAL CITY, MO 63019								

Signatures

/s/ Edward E.
Williams

**Signature of 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).
- (1) The grant of common stock is in lieu of cash compensation earned for services performed as a Director. The common stock is awarded pursuant to the Escalade, Incorporated 2007 Incentive Plan.
- (2) Mr. Edward Williams owns 33% of the outstanding shares of Good Earth Tools, Inc. and is an executive officer of same.
- (3) Mr. Edward Williams is a general partner of KPW Family Limited Partnership.

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