FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PENN ARTHUR H						PE	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PENNANTPARK INVESTMENT CORP [PNNT]									eck all app	olicable) ctor			Owner
(Last) 590 MAI	DISON A	(Firs	t) (I NUE 15TH FLO	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/07/2010 X Officer (give title below) Chairman and CEO												^ below	′ I
(Street) NEW YC	ORK	(State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)) K Forn Forn	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicab Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
		`			on-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	guired	I, Dis	sposed o	f, or E	enet	iciall	y Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trai				2. Transac	2. Transaction Date			2A. Deemed Execution Date,		ction Instr.	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 at 5)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
					Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Pri	се	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)					
Common Stock															284,953 ⁽¹⁾		I		By Pennant Park Investment Advisers, LLC	
Common Stock 05				05/07/	05/07/2010				P		5,000	A	\$	9.592	178,400		D			
			Та	ble II -								osed of, convertib				Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	ative Conversion Date Execution rity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		on Date,	Code (Instr.		5. Nu of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D) (Instr and E	rities ired r osed) : 3, 4	6. Date Expirat (Month	ion Da /Day/Y		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amount or Numbe of Title Shares		r. 3	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Includes 5,115 Shares of Common Stock received pursuant to a dividend reinvestment Plan since last filing

05/07/2010 /s/ Arthur H. Penn

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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