## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Efrat Aviv</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PENNANTPARK INVESTMENT CORP PNNT ]								(Ched	k all app	olicable)	10% (	Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner Other (specify	
(Last) 590 MAI 15TH FL	DISON AVI	rst) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/08/2008								X	X Officer (give title Officer (specify below)  CFO and Treasurer				
(Street)  NEW YORK NY 10022  (City) (State) (Zip)				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line)	5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tabl	e I - Non	-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	ficially	Own	ed		
Date					Ex Day/Year) if a		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				ies Acquired (A) Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			Secur Benef	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or P	rice	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		,
Common Stock 12/08					3/2008						4,700		A \$	\$3.7953		3,452(1)	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)	titve Conversion or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) 3) Price of Derivative Security Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) 8		4. Transa Code ( 8)		Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Date Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		r. 3	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Includes 610 shares of Common Stock received pursuant to a dividend reinvestment plan since last filing.

/s/ Aviv Efrat

12/08/2008

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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