

POWELL ROBERT M

Form 4

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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 OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
POWELL ROBERT M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3200 INDUSTRIAL PARK ROAD

(Street)

VAN BUREN, AR 72956

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
USA TRUCK INC [USAK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/01/2010

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☒ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify
below)

Chairman of the Board

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	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		
Common Stock	03/01/2010		A		4,000 (1)	\$ 0	1,116,400	D
Common Stock							12,500 (2)	I
								By spouse

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
POWELL ROBERT M 3200 INDUSTRIAL PARK ROAD VAN BUREN, AR 72956	X	X	Chairman of the Board	

Signatures

Darron R. Ming, Attorney-in-fact pursuant to POA previously
filed

03/03/2010

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) On August 22, 2003, the reporting person contributed/transferred 100,000 of his personally owned shares of USA Truck, Inc. (the "Company") common stock to the Company without consideration in a transaction exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3 (e). The shares were contributed for the purpose of issuance to certain officers of the Company as awards of restricted stock under the USA Truck, Inc. 2003 Restricted Stock Award Plan (the "Plan"). The Plan terminated on August 31, 2009 and pursuant to the terms of the Plan all shares that are forfeited after that date will be returned to the reporting person without consideration in a transaction exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3 (d). These shares were forfeited after the termination of the Plan.

(2) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares owned by his spouse.

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