TOELDTE ALEXANDER

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FORM 4

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Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TOELDTE ALEXANDER	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BOISE INC. [BZ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) BOISE INC., 1111 WEST JEFFERSON STREET, SUITE 200	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/15/2011	_X_ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Director, President & CEO		
(Street) BOISE, ID 83702-5388	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative :	Securi	ities Aco	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	any Code		Transactio	4. Securities Acquired tion(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	03/15/2011		F	84,961 (1)	D	\$ 8.55	1,036,024	D	
Common Stock	03/15/2011		A	40,212 (2)	A	\$0	1,076,236	D	
Common Stock	03/15/2011		A	67,694 (3)	A	\$0	1,143,930	D	
Common									Held by the Toeldte

40,000

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Family

Revocable Trust (4)

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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)	e 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5))		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount o Number o Shares
2011 Stock Option	\$ 8.55	03/15/2011		A	133,356	03/15/2013(5)	(5)	Common Stock	133,356

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
TOELDTE ALEXANDER BOISE INC. 1111 WEST JEFFERSON STREET, SUITE 200 BOISE, ID 83702-5388	X		Director, President & CEO		

Signatures

/s/ Alexander
Toeldte

_**Signature of Reporting Person

O3/17/2011

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).
- On March 16, 2009, Mr. Toeldte was awarded 960,000 restricted stock (RS) shares under the Boise Inc. Incentive and Performance Plan.

 These service-condition vesting RS shares vest as follows: 192,000 RS shares vested on March 15, 2010; 192,000 vested on March 15, 2011; and the remaining 576,000 will vest on March 15, 2012. Mr. Toeldte elected to have shares withheld to satisfy his tax withholding obligations on the 192,000 RS shares that vested on March 15, 2011.
- (2) The company declared a special cash dividend payable on December 3, 2010, to shareholders of record on November 17, 2010. On the record date, our executive officers held unvested restricted stock or restricted stock units that, pursuant to the terms of their award agreements, did not accrue dividends. On February 23, 2011, the compensation committee of our board of directors approved a supplemental equity award to our executive officers to align management and shareholder interests regarding dividend strategy. Accordingly, on March 15, 2011, Mr. Toeldte was awarded a supplemental one-year, service-condition vesting equity award equivalent in

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value to the dividends he would have received on his restricted stock held as of the record date.

- On March 15, 2011, Mr. Toeldte was awarded 67,694 restricted stock (RS) shares under the Boise Inc. Incentive and Performance Plan. (3) These service-condition vesting RS shares vest as follows: 33,847 RS shares will vest on March 15, 2013, and the remaining 33,847 will vest on March 17, 2014.
- (4) Mr. Toeldte and his wife, Nicole Lagace Toeldte, serve as the trustees of the Toeldte Family Revocable Trust.
 - On March 15, 2011, Mr. Toeldte was awarded a nonqualified stock option under the Boise Inc. Incentive and Performance Plan. This stock option award will vest and become exercisable as follows: 66,678 shares will vest and become exercisable on March 15, 2013; and
- (5) the remaining 66,678 will vest and become exercisable on March 17, 2014. This award, to the extent vested, must be exercised on or before the earliest of the following: the tenth anniversary of the award date; five years after the date of Mr. Toeldte's retirement; three years after Mr. Toeldte's death or total and permanent disability; or one year after Mr. Toeldte's termination pursuant to his stock option award agreement.

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