MOTHERS WORK INC

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TIRNAUER JUDD P

(First)

C/O MOTHERS WORK, INC., 456

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

MOTHERS WORK INC [MWRK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

07/23/2008

(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner

X_ Officer (give title below)

Other (specify below)

SVP - Chief Financial Officer

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

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19123

NORTH FIFTH STREET

(City) (State) (Zip)

07/23/2008

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

Common

Stock

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

(A)

(1)

(Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price

Code V Amount

5,000 A

A \$0

7,253.9103 (2)

Transaction(s)

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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	5. 6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and		8. Price of	9. Nu
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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

TIRNAUER JUDD P C/O MOTHERS WORK, INC. 456 NORTH FIFTH STREET PHILADELPHIA, PA 19123

SVP - Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

Judd P. Tirnauer 07/23/2008 **Signature of Date Reporting Person

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 July 23, 2008, 5,000 shares of restricted stock were issued to the Reporting Person by the Issuer. These shares vest in five (5) equal **(1)** annual installments beginning on July 23, 2009.
- On November 22, 2006, 1,000 shares of restricted stock were issued to the Reporting Person by the Issuer. These shares vest in five (5) (2) equal annual installments beginning on November 22, 2007. On November 21, 2007, 1,000 shares of restricted stock were issued to the Reporting Person by the Issuer. These shares vest in five (5) equal annual installments beginning on November 21, 2008.
- (3) 253.9103 of these shares were purchased by the Reporting Person pursuant to the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Program.

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