## FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Name and Address of Reporting Person * Blackwood Bruce C				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS INC [JCS]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1001 E HWY 212 (Street) HECTOR, MN 55342				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/15/2012					_X_0	Officer (give	title below)	VP	(specify belo	ow)	
				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					
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#### **Reporting Owners**

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Blackwood Bruce C 1001 E HWY 212 HECTOR, MN 55342			VP			

### **Signatures**

Getey M. Ritchott, Attorney-in-Fact for Bruce C. Blackwood	03/19/2012
Signature of Reporting Person	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).
- (1) Option vests as to the first 25% on the first anniversary of the date of grant and 25% on each of the next three anniversaries.

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