

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>SAGE RICHARD D</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>SAGE LAW OFFICES</u> <u>1300 SAWGRASS CORPORATE PKWY SUITE 140</u>  (Street) <u>SUNRISE FL 33323</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>EZCORP INC [ EZPW ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>01/28/2009</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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			
Class A Non-Voting Common Stock	01/28/2009		M		1,800	A	\$0.6667	10,800	D	
Class A Non-Voting Common Stock	01/28/2009		M		3,600	A	\$0.8567	14,400	D	
Class A Non-Voting Common Stock	01/28/2009		S		1,400	D	\$14.56	13,000	D	
Class A Non-Voting Common Stock	01/28/2009		S		4,000	D	\$14.55	9,000 <sup>(1)</sup>	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)	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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Incentive Stock Option - 1998 Plan (right to buy)	\$0.6667	01/28/2009		M		1,800		11/01/2006	11/01/2011	Class A Non-Voting Common Stock	1,800	0	D	
Incentive Stock Option - 1998 Plan (right to buy)	\$0.8567	01/28/2009		M		3,600		10/01/2007	10/01/2012	Class A Non-Voting Common Stock	3,600	0	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

1. The Total Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned does not include 15,000 Derivative Securities currently held by Reporting Person.

**Remarks:**

/s/ Laura Jones Attorney-in-Fact

01/29/2009

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

\* 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).

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