## FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Hearn Stephen Patrick						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WILLIS GROUP HOLDINGS PLC [ WSH ]								(Check	all app Direc	olicable)	g Person(s) to Is 10% C Other	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O WILLIS GROUP HOLDINGS PLC 51 LIME STREET						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/02/2012								X	belov	w) ``	below O Willis Glob	)``
(Street) LONDON, ENGLAND  EC3M 7D0		7DQ	4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Indiv Line) X	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye					Execution Date,		ite,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. ) 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			5)	Secui Bene	ficially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Ordinary Shares, nominal value \$0.000115 per share 07/02/201				012	12			S <sup>(1)</sup>		1,972	D	\$36.80	066 <sup>(2)</sup>	12,528 <sup>(3)</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)	ve Conversion or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) Price of Derivative Security  Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transa Code ( 8)	instr.	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)  Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Number of Title Shares		nt er		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The sales reported in this Form 4 were pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 30, 2011 to cover taxes incurred on the vesting of 3,300 restricted share units ("RSUs") on July 1, 2012.
- 2. The number of securities disposed of represents the aggregate number of shares sold in multiple open market transactions having prices ranging from \$36.80 to \$36.81 per share. The price listed in Table I represents the weighted average sale price for such sales. The reporting person undertakes to provide the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a stockholder of the Issuer, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range.
- 3. Includes an aggregate of 9,900 RSUs subject to the satisfaction of vesting requirements.

/s/ Faith Shippen as attorney-

in-fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

07/05/2012

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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