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# FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ARBITRON INC [ARB]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
(Month/Day/Year) 03/07/2011	Director X 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
	Symbol ARBITRON INC [ARB] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/07/2011 4. If Amendment, Date Original		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquir				ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie onDisposed of (Instr. 3, 4)	of (D)	uired (A) or	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)
Common Stock	03/07/2011		S	70,000	D	\$ 40.7902	3,227,272	I	See Footnotes (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6)
Common Stock	03/07/2011		S	160,000	D	\$ 40.5628	3,067,272	I	See Footnotes (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6)
Common Stock	03/08/2011		S	4,900	D	\$ 40.0938	3,062,372	I	See Footnotes (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6)

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Common	03/08/2011	C	35 197	D	\$	3,027,175	T	See
Stock	03/08/2011	S	33,197	ע	40.0871	3,027,173	1	Footnotes

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)

1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amour		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security	or Exercise	,	any	Code	of	(Month/Day/		Underl	ying	Security	Secui
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	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired						Follo
					(A) or						Repo
					Disposed						Trans
					of (D)						(Instr
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date		Number		
						Lacroisable	Dute		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
ABRAMS CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P. 222 BERKELEY STREET, 22ND FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02116		X				
ABRAMS CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC 222 BERKELEY STREET, 22ND FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02116		X				
ABRAMS CAPITAL LLC 222 BERKELEY STREET 22ND FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02116		X				
Abrams Capital Partners II, L.P. 222 BERKELEY STREET, 22ND FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02116		X				
Abrams David C 222 BERKELEY STREET 22ND FLOOR		X				

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**BOSTON, MA 02116** 

## **Signatures**

/s/ Abrams Capital Management, L.P., by Abrams Capital Management, LLC, the General Partner, by David C. Abrams, Managing Member	03/09/2011
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Abrams Capital Management, LLC, by David C. Abrams, Managing Member	03/09/2011
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Abrams Capital, LLC, by David C. Abrams, Managing Member	03/09/2011
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Abrams Capital Partners II, L.P., by Abrams Capital, LLC, the General Partner, by David C. Abrams, Managing Member	03/09/2011
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ David C. Abrams	03/09/2011
**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).
- These securities are held by investment funds, the general partner and/or investment adviser of which is directly or indirectly controlled by David C. Abrams. In such capacity, Mr. Abrams may be deemed to beneficially own the reported securities.
  - These securities are held by investment funds for which Abrams Capital Management, L.P. (the "LP") serves as investment adviser.
- (2) Abrams Capital Management, LLC (the "LLC") serves as the general partner of the LP. In their respective capacities, each of the LP and the LLC may be deemed to beneficially own the reported securities.
- (3) A portion of these securities are held by investment funds for which Abrams Capital, LLC ("Abrams Capital") serves as general partner. In such capacity, Abrams Capital may be deemed to beneficially own the reported securities.
- Abrams Capital Partners II, L.P. ("ACP II"), one of the investment funds referred to above, held 2,553,099 shares of Common Stock prior to March 7, 2011, as previously reported. Of the shares reported herein as being sold on March 7, 2011, 54,202 shares were sold by ACP II for \$40.7902 per share and 123,889 shares were sold by ACP II for 40.5628 per share. Of the shares reported herein as being sold on March 8, 2011, 3,794 shares were sold by ACP II for \$40.0938 per share and 27,253 shares were sold by ACP II for \$40.0871 per share.
- Each Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein, and (5) the inclusion of such securities in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- ACP II may be deemed to beneficially own 2,343,961 shares of Common Stock. Abrams Capital may be deemed to beneficially own 2,834,024 shares of Common Stock. Mr. Abrams, the LP and the LLC be deemed to beneficially own 3,027,175 shares of Common Stock. As of the date of this report, ACP II beneficially owns less than 10% of the shares of Common Stock outstanding and will no longer be listed as a Reporting Person.

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