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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement MATTEL INC /DE/ [MAT] McKenzie Jean A. (Month/Day/Year) 01/01/2013 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) MATTEL, INC., Â 333 (Check all applicable) CONTINENTAL BOULEVARD (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting **Executive Vice President** Person EL SEGUNDO, Â CAÂ 90245 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â 0 No securities beneficially owned D Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of | Form of Derivative | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) |
|--------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| | | Title | Derivative | Security: | |
| | | | Security | Direct (D) | |

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| | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | | Amount or Number of Shares | | or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) | |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|---------------|----------------------------|---|
| Employee Stock Option - Right to Buy - Granted 10/3/2011 | (1) | 10/03/2021 | Common Stock | 13,476 | \$ 25.07 | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units - Granted 10/3/2011 | (2) | (2) | Common Stock | 2,992 | \$ <u>(3)</u> | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units - Granted 08/01/2012 | (2) | (2) | Common Stock | 5,035 | \$ (3) | D | Â |
| Restricted Stock Units - Granted 09/04/2012 | (2) | (2) | Common Stock | 4,289 | \$ (3) | D | Â |
| Empolyee Stock Option - Right to Buy - Granted 8/1/2012 | (1) | 08/01/2022 | Common Stock | 23,649 | \$ 34.76 | D | Â |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|----------------------------|-------|--|
| coporting of the relation | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | |
| McKenzie Jean A. | | | | | |
| MATTEL, INC. | â | â | Executive Vice President | â | |
| 333 CONTINENTAL BOULEVARD | А | А | A Executive vice President | Α | |
| EL SEGUNDO. CA 90245 | | | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Andrew Paalborg, Attorney-in-Fact for Jean A.
McKenzie

01/04/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- The option was granted pursuant to the Mattel, Inc. 2010 Equity and Long-Term Compensation Plan (the "2010 Plan"). The option vests and becomes exercisable with regard to (a) 33% of the shares granted on the first anniversary of the date of grant, (b) an additional 33% of the shares granted on the second anniversary of the date of grant, and (c) the remaining 34% of the shares granted on the third anniversary of the date of grant.
- The Restricted Stock Units (the "RSUs" or the "Units") vest as to 50% of the Units granted on the second anniversary of the date of grant and as to the remaining 50% of the Units granted on the third anniversary of the date of grant. On each vesting date, for each Unit vesting on such date, the reporting person will receive one share of Mattel common stock (or, at the election of Mattel, a cash amount equal to the fair market value of one share of common stock on the date of vesting), subject to tax withholding.
- The RSUs were granted pursuant to the 2010 Plan. Each Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Mattel common stock (3) (or, at the election of Mattel, a cash amount equal to the fair market value of such share on the settlement date). The RSUs are accompanied by dividend equivalent rights.

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