

USA TRUCK INC  
Form 4/A  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**BECKHAM CLIFTON R**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**USA TRUCK INC, 3200  
INDUSTRIAL PARK RD**  
  
(Street)

**VAN BUREN, AR 72956**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**USA TRUCK INC [USAK]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**05/02/2008**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  
**05/06/2008**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**President, CEO & Director**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Code V Amount (D) Price   |  |                                   |

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 Security | 2. Conversion or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4. Transaction Code | 5. Number of Derivative | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|--|---|---|
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| (Instr. 3)                                       | Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4,<br>and 5) |     |     |                     |                    |                 |  |
|--|------------------------------------|------------------|------------|---|-----|-----|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|--|
|  |                                    |                  | Code       | V   | (A) | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title           | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy) | \$ 11.47                           | 05/02/2008       | M          |   | 650 |     | 05/05/2006          | 05/05/2008         | Common<br>Stock | 650                                    |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                           |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                   | Other |
| BECKHAM CLIFTON R<br>USA TRUCK INC<br>3200 INDUSTRIAL PARK RD<br>VAN BUREN, AR 72956 | X             |           | President, CEO & Director |       |

## Signatures

Darron R. Ming,  
Attorney-in-fact

05/21/2008

\_\_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).

The original Form 4 is being amended to correct the title stated in column 1 of Table II and to clarify that the shares that were indicated in column 9 of Table II (which are now set forth in this footnote) represent different classes of options based on differing expiration dates.

- (1) The exercised option was one installment of an option granted on May 5, 2004 with the exercise price shown in column 2. The remaining installments cover the following numbers of shares and have the vesting and expiration dates, respectively, indicated in parentheses: 1,600 shares (05/05/07; 05/05/09); 1,600 shares (05/05/08; 05/05/10); 1,600 shares (05/05/2009; 05/05/2011). No change is being made to the information contained in Table I of the original Form 4.

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