

TRANSCAT INC  
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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 \*  
SASSANO CARL E

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O TRANSCAT, INC., 35  
VANTAGE POINT DRIVE

(Street)

ROCHESTER, NY 14624

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
TRANSCAT INC [TRNS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
11/13/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Chairman of the Board

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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, \$.50 par value	11/13/2008		S		325	D	\$ 7.5
Common Stock, \$.50 par value	11/14/2008		S		15	D	\$ 7.5
Common Stock, \$.50 par value						I	3,000 <u>(1)</u>

See Footnote (1)

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 (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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.26					08/16/2008 08/16/2015	Common Stock, \$.50 par value	10,895 <sup>(2)</sup>
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.68					<sup>(3)</sup> 08/08/2016	Common Stock, \$.50 par value	8,803 <sup>(3)</sup>
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.72					<sup>(4)</sup> 07/31/2017	Common Stock, \$.50 par value	60,160 <sup>(4)</sup>

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SASSANO CARL E C/O TRANSCAT, INC. 35 VANTAGE POINT DRIVE ROCHESTER, NY 14624	X		Chairman of the Board	

## Signatures

/s/ Carl E. Sassano  
Date: 11/17/2008

\_\_Signature of  
Reporting Person

## 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).
- (1) These shares are held by Mr. Sassano as custodian for his son.
- (2) This option was previously reported by Mr. Sassano.
- (3) This option was previously reported by Mr. Sassano. Mr. Sassano can exercise this option as follows: 2,935 shares on 8/08/07, 2,934 shares on 8/08/08, and 2,934 shares on 8/08/09.
- (4) This option was previously reported by Mr. Sassano. Mr. Sassano can exercise this option as follows: 12,032 shares on 7/30/09, 12,032 shares on 7/30/10 and 36,096 shares on 7/30/11.

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