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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement C H ROBINSON WORLDWIDE INC [CHRW] Freeman Angela K. (Month/Day/Year) 12/03/2012 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 14701 CHARLSON ROAD (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person EDEN PRAIRIE, Â MNÂ 55437 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One Vice President-Human Resources Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock $28,503 \frac{(1)}{2}$ 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		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. 6. Nature of Indirect Ownership Form of (Instr. 5)	
			(Instr. 4)		Price of	Derivative	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	

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Shares

(I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

Freeman Angela K.

14701 CHARLSON ROAD EDEN PRAIRIE, MNÂ 55437 \hat{A} \hat{A} \hat{A} Vice President-Human Resources \hat{A}

Signatures

/s/ Troy Renner, Attorney-in-Fact

12/10/2012

**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).

Included in this amount are 27,867 shares of common stock issuable in settlement of an equal number of vested performance restricted stock units credited to the reporting person's account under the registrant's Nonqualified Deferred Compensation Plan, and 636 shares

(1) held under the registrant's employee stock purchase plan. The vested performance restricted stock units result from awards under the registrant's equity compensation plan during the years 2003-2011 involving 53,891 units in total, with the remaining 26,024 units eligible to vest over performance periods ending December 31, 2012-2016.

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Remarks:

Exhibit List

Exhibit 24.1 Power of Attorney

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