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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person * Sampsell David H.		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DIGI INTERNATIONAL INC [DGII]			
(Last) (Firs	st) (Middle)	01/18/2012	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Origin Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
11001 BREN ROAD EAST (Street)			(Check all applicable)	6. Individual or Joint/Group		
MINNETONKA,	MN 55343		Director 10% Owner X_ Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) VP, Gen. Counsel & Corp. Sec.	Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City) (Stat	te) (Zip)	Table I - N	on-Derivative Securities Be	eneficially Owned		

1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities
Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)

Ownership
Form: (Instr. 5)
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Expiration Exercisable Date	· · ·	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	

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Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(1)	04/27/2021	Common Stock	50,000	\$ 12.07	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	(2)	11/22/2021	Common Stock	15,000	\$ 10.63	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Sampsell David H. 11001 BREN ROAD EAST MINNETONKA. MN 55343	Â	Â	VP, Gen. Counsel & Corp. Sec.	Â	

Signatures

/s/ David H.
Sampsell

**Signature of Reporting Person

O1/26/2012

Date

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- * 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).
- (1) 25% of the option will vest on April 27, 2012. The remaining shares of the option vest ratably each month over the next 3 months.
- (2) 25% of the option will vest on November 22, 2012. The remaining shares of the option vest ratably each month over the next 3 months.

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Remarks:

No shares are beneficially owned.

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