#### **COHEN & STEERS INC**

Form 4

February 02, 2012

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DERECHIN ADAM M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COHEN & STEERS INC [CNS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)			
280 PARK AVENUE, 10TH FLOOR		ГН	(Month/Day/Year) 01/31/2012	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Operating Officer, EVP			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
NEW YORK, NY 10017			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-E	Derivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	01/31/2012		Code V A	Amount 25,009 (1) (2)	(D)	Price \$ 0	(Instr. 3 and 4) 435,900	D	
Common Stock	01/31/2012		F	9,668 <sub>(3)</sub>	D	\$ 33.86	426,232	D	

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)

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# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

DERECHIN ADAM M 280 PARK AVENUE, 10TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017

Chief Operating Officer, EVP

## **Signatures**

Salvatore Rappa, Attorney-in-Fact

02/02/2012

Date

\*\*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).
- Includes 13,487 restricted stock units (RSUs) mandatorily deferred by CNS from the reporting persons annual incentive performance (1) bonus, plus 3,371 RSUs granted to the reporting person as a company match on such deferral. Dividends paid on CNS common stock are reflected in additional RSUs on such deferred and matching RSUs.
  - Footnote 1 continued: The deferred and matching RSUs vest ratably over four years, and the dividend RSUs vest on the fourth anniversary of the grant. Also includes 2,964 RSUs voluntarily deferred by the reporting person from his annual incentive performance
- bonus, plus 741 RSUs granted to him as a company match on such deferral. Dividends paid on CNS common stock are reflected in additional RSUs on such deferred and matching RSUs. The deferred RSUs are immediately vested (but delivered on the third anniversary of the grant) and the matching and accrued dividend RSUs vest and are delivered on the third anniversary of the grant. Also includes 4,446 RSUs that generally vest over four years.
- Represents the withholding by Cohen & Steers of a sufficient number of shares of common stock to satisfy the reporting persons tax obligations upon the vesting and delivery of previously reported restricted stock units.

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