OLSSON BJORN E

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **OLSSON BJORN E**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

Symbol SAIA INC [SAIA]

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

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11465 JOHNS CREEK PARKWAY, 05/01/2012 SUITE 400

(Street)

(State)

(First)

(City)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

JOHNS CREEK, GA 30097

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

(Zip)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock

Code V Amount (D) Price

2,000 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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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4. 5. Number		6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and Amount of		8. Pric
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction of Derivative		Expiration Date		Underlying Securities		Deriva
Security	or Exercise		any	Code Securities		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Securi
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired					(Instr.
	Derivative				(A) or					
	Security				Disposed of					
					(D)					
					(Instr. 3, 4,					
					and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration	m: 1	or	
						Exercisable Date	-	Title	Number	
									of	
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares	
Phantom Stock	\$ 1	05/01/2012		A	2,723	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	2,723	\$ 19

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

OLSSON BJORN E

11465 JOHNS CREEK PARKWAY, SUITE 400 X

JOHNS CREEK, GA 30097

Signatures

/s/ Stephanie R.
Maschmeier

**Signature of Reporting

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).
- (1) The shares of phantom stock become payable in the Company's common stock upon the reporting person's termination of service as a Director.

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