

MASSOUD I JOSEPH

Form 4

November 04, 2009

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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Section 16.  
Form 4 or  
Form 5  
obligations  
may continue.  
See Instruction  
1(b).

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
MASSOUD I JOSEPH

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
Compass Diversified Holdings  
[CODI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
11/02/2009

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)  
See Remarks (a)

SIXTY ONE WILTON  
ROAD, SECOND FLOOR

(Street)

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  
Person

WESTPORT, CT 06880

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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			
Shares <sup>(1)</sup>	11/02/2009		P		954 <u>A</u> <sub>(2)</sub>	\$ 10.48	286,904	I	Through Pharos I LLC <sup>(3)</sup>
Shares <sup>(1)</sup>	11/03/2009		P		979 <u>A</u> <sub>(2)</sub>	\$ 10.2079 <sub>(4)</sub>	287,883	I	Through Pharos I LLC <sup>(3)</sup>
Shares <sup>(1)</sup>	11/04/2009		P		915 <u>A</u> <sub>(2)</sub>	\$ 10.92	288,798	I	Through Pharos I LLC <sup>(3)</sup>
Shares <sup>(1)</sup>							153,515	D	

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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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
MASSOUD I JOSEPH SIXTY ONE WILTON ROAD SECOND FLOOR WESTPORT, CT 06880	See Remarks (a)

## Signatures

/s/ I. Joseph Massoud, by James J. Bottiglieri as attorney-in-fact 11/04/2009

\_\_\_\_Signature of Reporting Person 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) Each Share represents one undivided beneficial interest in Compass Diversified Holdings (the "Trust") property and corresponds to one trust interest of Compass Group Diversified Holdings LLC held by the Trust.
- (2) The purchases reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by Pharos I LLC on May 29, 2008.
- (3) Amounts with respect to Mr. Massoud reflect his beneficial ownership of Shares through his interest in, and control as Managing Member of, Pharos I LLC.
- (4) The purchase price reported in this Form 4 was between the range of \$10.19 per share to \$10.21 per share. Full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price will be provided upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer, or any security holder of the

issuer.

**Remarks:**

(a) Mr. Massoud is a Director and the Chief Executive Officer for Compass Group Diversified Holdings LLC, Sponsor of the "

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