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(Print or Type	Responses)									
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> CRYSTAL RICHARD			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol OPPENHEIMER HOLDINGS INC			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
			[OPY]							
(Last) (First) (Middle) 41 BLACK BIRCH LN			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2012			_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
(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				
SCARSDA	LE, NY 10583							More than One R		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-l	Derivative	Securities A	cquired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deema Execution any (Month/Da	ed Date, if	3.	4. Securiti nAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	ies (A) or of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect	
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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8.
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onof Derivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	D
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	S

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquire (A) or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3 and 5)	d of					(
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Class A non-voting common stock	<u>(1)</u>	01/03/2012		J		2,200		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Class A non-voting common stock	2,200	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CRYSTAL RICHARD 41 BLACK BIRCH LN SCARSDALE, NY 10583	Х						
Signatures							

Richard Crystal	01/04/2012		
**Signature of	Date		

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).
- The transaction is a stock award granted under the Oppenheimer Holdings Inc. 2006 Equity Incentive Plan on 1/3/2012 for 2,200 shares
 (1) of Class A non-voting common stock vesting 25% on 7/1/2012, 25% on 7/1/2013, 25% on 7/1/2014 and 25% on 7/1/2015. This award is subject to shareholder approval of an amendment to the 2006 Equity Incentive Plan.

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