

WOODARD RONALD B  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
WOODARD RONALD B

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CONTINENTAL AIRLINES INC  
/DE/ [CAL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
PO BOX 91258  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
10/29/2007

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

BELLEVUE, WA 98009  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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)
Common Stock	10/29/2007		M			5,000	\$ 11.61	5,000	D	
Common Stock	10/29/2007		M			5,000	\$ 13	10,000	D	
Common Stock	10/29/2007		M			5,000	\$ 23.62	15,000	D	
Common Stock	10/29/2007		S			4,300	\$ 33.9	10,700	D	
Common Stock	10/29/2007		S			5,700	\$ 33.91	5,000	D	

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Common Stock	10/29/2007	S	2,800	D	\$ 33.92	2,200	D
Common Stock	10/29/2007	S	800	D	\$ 33.93	1,400	D
Common Stock	10/29/2007	S	200	D	\$ 33.94	1,200	D
Common Stock	10/27/2007	S	500	D	\$ 33.95	700	D
Common Stock	10/29/2007	S	300	D	\$ 33.96	400	D
Common Stock	10/29/2007	S	400	D	\$ 33.97	0	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)

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. Amount or Number of Shares
Outside Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.61	10/29/2007		M	5,000	05/14/2003 05/14/2013	Common Stock	5,000
Outside Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13	10/29/2007		M	5,000	03/12/2004 03/12/2014	Common Stock	5,000

Outside  
 Director  
 Stock Option (Right to Buy) \$ 23.62 10/29/2007 M 5,000 06/06/2006 06/06/2016 Common Stock 5,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WOODARD RONALD B PO BOX 91258 BELLEVUE, WA 98009	X			

## Signatures

/s/ Ronald B. Woodard by Sarah E. Hagy 10/30/2007  
 \*\*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).
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