

Treska Edward Joseph
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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 *
Treska Edward Joseph

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ACACIA RESEARCH CORP
[ACTG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
11/03/2010

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Vice President, Secretary

500 NEWPORT CENTER DRIVE, 7TH FLOOR

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

(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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	11/03/2010		S	6,100	D	\$ 27.08 (1)	87,232 D
Common Stock	11/03/2010		S	400	D	\$ 27.1 (2)	86,832 D
Common Stock	11/03/2010		S	3,500	D	\$ 27.27 (3)	83,332 D
Common Stock	11/04/2010		S	800	D	\$ 27.14	82,532 D

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- (1) The price reported is the average price for shares sold between \$27.07 and \$27.0875 per share.
- (2) The price reported is the average price for shares sold between \$27.09 and \$27.12 per share.
- (3) The price reported is the average price for shares sold between \$27.25 and \$27.31 per share.
- (4) The price reported is the average price for shares sold between \$27.13 and \$27.15 per share.
- (5) The price reported is the average price for shares sold between \$27.16 and \$27.20 per share.

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