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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| (Print or Type Response              | es)  |                          |                        |  |          |   |  |                  |  |  |            |
|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------|------------------------|--|----------|---|--|------------------|--|--|------------|
| 1. Name and Address of PRESSMAN LORI | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>HARRIS & HARRIS GROUP INC /NY/ [TINY] |                          |                        |  |          |   | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)<br>X Director 10% Owner |                  |  |  |            |
| (Last)<br>111 WEST 57TH S            | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>11/14/2008                       |                          |                        |  |          |   | Officer (give title below)   | Other (specify b | below)   |  |            |
| NEW YORK, NY 1                       | 4. If Amendment,   | Date Orig                | inal I                 | Filed(Mont   | h/Day/Ye | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)<br>_X_Form filed by One Reporting Person<br>Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |  |                  |  |  |            |
| (City)                               | (State)  | (Zip)                    | Tal                    | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |          |   |  |                  |  |  |            |
| 1.Title of Security<br>(Instr. 3)    |  | Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if any | Code<br>(Instr. 8)   | ction    | 4. Securities Acquired<br>(A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)   |  |                  | 5. Amount of Securities<br>Beneficially Owned Following<br>Reported Transaction(s) | Ownership o<br>Form: B                         | Beneficial |
|                                      |  |                          | (Month/Day/Year)       | Code   | v        | Amount  | (A)<br>or<br>(D)   | Price            | (Instr. 3 and 4)   | Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) |            |
| Common Stock                         |  | 11/14/2008               |                        | Р  |          | 1,400   | А  | \$<br>4.4799     | 11,585   | D  |            |
| Common Stock                         |  | 11/14/2008               |                        | Р  |          | 100   | А  | \$<br>4.471      | 11,685   | 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  | 2.          | 3. Transaction   | 3A. Deemed         | 4.         | 4    | 5. Nu      | mber  | 6. Date Exer | cisable    | 7. Tit | le and  | 8. Price of | 9. Number of   | 10.         | 11. Nature  |
| Derivative   | Conversion  | Date             | Execution Date, if | Transactio | on o | of         |       | and Expirati | on Date    | Amo    | unt of  | Derivative  | Derivative     | Ownership   | of Indirect |
| Security   | or Exercise | (Month/Day/Year) | any                | Code       | I    | Deriv      | ative | (Month/Day   | /Year)     | Unde   | rlying  | Security    | Securities     | Form of     | Beneficial  |
| (Instr. 3)   | Price of    |                  | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8) | S    | Secur      | ities |              |            | Secu   | rities  | (Instr. 5)  | Beneficially   | Derivative  | Ownership   |
|  | Derivative  |                  |                    |            | I    | Acqui      | ired  |              |            | (Instr | . 3 and |             | Owned          | Security:   | (Instr. 4)  |
|  | Security    |                  |                    |            | (    | (A) 01     | r     |              |            | 4)     |         |             | Following      | Direct (D)  |             |
|  |             |                  |                    |            | I    | Dispo      | sed   |              |            |        |         |             | Reported       | or Indirect |             |
|  |             |                  |                    |            |      | of (D)     |       |              |            |        |         |             | Transaction(s) | < /         |             |
|  |             |                  |                    |            |      | (Instr. 3, |       |              |            |        |         |             | (Instr. 4)     | (Instr. 4)  |             |
|  |             |                  |                    |            | 4    | 4, and 5)  |       |              |            |        |         |             |                |             |             |
|  |             |                  |                    |            |      |            |       |              |            |        | Amount  |             |                |             |             |
|  |             |                  |                    |            |      |            |       | Date         | Expiration |        | or      |             |                |             |             |
|  |             |                  |                    |            |      |            |       | Exercisable  |            | Title  | Number  |             |                |             |             |
|  |             |                  |                    |            |      |            |       | Excicisable  | Date       |        | of      |             |                |             |             |
|  |             |                  |                    | Code V     | V    | (A)        | (D)   |              |            |        | Shares  |             |                |             |             |

## **Reporting Owners**

|   | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |  |  |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |  |
| PRESSMAN LORI D<br>111 WEST 57TH STREET<br>SUITE 1100<br>NEW YORK, NY 10019 | Х             |           |         |       |  |  |  |  |

## **Signatures**

/s/ Jackie Matthews by Power of Attorney \*\*Signature of Reporting Person

11/14/2008 Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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#### POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned, being a person required to file a statement under Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "1934 Act") with respect to Harris & Harris Group, Inc., a New York corporation, hereby authorizes, designates and appoints Jackie Matthews, Carmen DeForest, Charles E. Harris or Sandra M. Forman to act as attorney-in-fact to execute and file statements on Form 3, Form 4 and Form 5 (including Form ID) and any successor forms adopted by the Securities Exchange Commission, as required by the 1934 Act and the Investment Company Act of 1940 and the rules thereunder, and to take such other actions as such attorney-in-fact may deem necessary or appropriate in connection with such statements, hereby confirming and ratifying all actions that such attorney-in-fact has taken or may take in reliance hereon. This power of attorney shall continue in effect until the undersigned no longer has an obligation to file statements under the section cited above, or until specifically terminated in writing by the undersigned.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has duly executed this power of attorney on the 19th day of May, 2005.

By: /s/ Lori D. Pressman

Lori D. Pressman