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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

#### ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Form 3 Holdings Reported

Form 4 Transactions Reported

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address Franklin Ronald R	ARABI	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ARABIAN AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT CO [ARSD]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (F HC 1 BOX 315A	irst) (Middle)	(Month/l	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2010					X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)  VP of Manufacturing			
(S		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line)				
ANAHUAC, TX 7						-	_X_ Form Filed by One Reporting Person Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (S	Table	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 Da any (Month/Day/		Code	ransaction Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		D)	at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
common stock				3				2,028	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.	<ol><li>Transaction</li></ol>	3A. Deemed	4.	5.		<ol><li>Date Exer</li></ol>	cisable	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	9. Number	10.	11. Nature	
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transaction	Numb	oer	and Expirati	on Date	Amo	unt of	Derivative	of	Ownership	of Indirect	
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code	of		(Month/Day	/Year)	Unde	erlying	Security	Derivative	Form of	Beneficial	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Deriv	ative			Secu	rities	(Instr. 5)	Securities	Derivative	Ownership	
	Derivative				Secur	ities			(Instr	: 3 and		Beneficially	Security:	(Instr. 4)	
	Security				Acqui	ired			4)			Owned at	Direct (D)		
					(A) o	r						End of	or Indirect		
					Dispo	sed						Issuer's	(I)		
					of (D	)						Fiscal Year	(Instr. 4)		
					(Instr	. 3,						(Instr. 4)			
					4, and	15)									
										Amount					
							Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number					
					(A)	(D)				of Shares					

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
		10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Franklin Ronald R.								
HC 1 BOX 315A			VP of Manufacturing					
ANAHUAC, TX 77514								

## **Signatures**

Ronald Franklin	01/05/2011
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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