

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
 WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549
 FORM 4
 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

() Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.
 Form 4 or Form 5 Obligations may continue.
 See Instruction 1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person:
 HANSON, PAUL N.
 213 MAIN STREET S
 HECTOR, MN 55342
 USA
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS, INC.
 CSII
3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
4. Statement for Month/Year
 09/18/2002
5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
 N/A
6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all Applicable):
 Director
 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below)
 Other (specify below)
 VICE PRESIDENT, TREASURER
7. Individual of Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by more than One Reporting Person

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Table I - Non-derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security	2. Transaction Date	3. Transaction Code	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month	6. Ownership Form: (D) or Indirect
Common Stock	9/18/2002	T	1,568 A	74,798	D
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Spouse				1,411	I

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security	2. Conversion or Exercise Date	3. Transaction Date	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	8. Price of Derivative Security	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned at	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Securities
Indirect Security	Exercise Price of Deriv-	Date	Code	Securities	tion	Underlying Securities	Deriva tive Security	Securities Owned at	Form of

at	ative	Disposed	Date	End of	Owned
	Security	of (D)		Month	End of
					Month

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Common	N/A

Explanation of Responses:

Signature of Reporting Person
/s/ PAUL N. HANSON

Date
SEPTEMBER 19, 2002