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Stock

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1. Name and ATRUST FB	Symbol					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
	L HELEN G	INVES	INVESTORS CO INC [GAM]				(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	`	,	nent for Issuer's Day/Year) 2010	s Fiscal Ye	ar End	_	elow)	ittleX_ Other below) ee is a director	Owner er (specify		
	BROOK MENT CORP, 1 D STREET SUIT										
	(Street)		Filed(Month/Day/Year)					int/Group Reporting applicable line)			
NEW VOD	K, NY 10168										
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-Der	ivative Se	curitie	es Acquii	red, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned		
(Instr. 3) any		Execution Date, if	n Date, if Transaction Code		ispose 4 and	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year	Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common	12/23/2010	Â	J(1)	Amount 289	(A) or (D)	Price \$	(Instr. 3 and 4) 17,856	D	Â		
Stock 5.95%						26.01	,				
Preferred	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	2,000	D	Â		

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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 Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc		7. Titl		8. Price of	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	•	Transaction	Number	Expiration D		Amou		Derivative	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	, ,	Security	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securi	ities	(Instr. 5)	
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		
	Security				Acquired						
					(A) or						
					Disposed						
					of (D)						
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
					,						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
							Date	Title Num of	Number		
									of		
					(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
TRUST FBO VON REIS ALTSCHUL SERENA UW ALTSCHUL						
HELEN G				Trustee is a		
C/O OVERBROOK MANAGEMENT CORP	Â	Â	Â	director		
122 EAST 42ND STREET SUITE 2500				unector		
NEW YORK Â NYÂ 10168						

## **Signatures**

Arthur G. Altschul, Jr., as trustee 02/11/2011

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

# **Explanation of Responses:**

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

Date

- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Shares received as dividends

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