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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement AMYRIS, INC. [AMRS] Renninger Neil (Month/Day/Year) 09/27/2010 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) C/O AMYRIS, INC., 5885 (Check all applicable) HOLLIS ST., SUITE 100 (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Chief Technical Officer Person EMERYVILLE, Â CAÂ 94608 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) By Neil Renninger 2010 Common Stock 300,000 I **Qualified Annuity Trust** Common Stock 600,000 D Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

 $Table\ II\ -\ Derivative\ Securities\ Beneficially\ Owned\ (\textit{e.g.}, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible\ securities)$

1. Title of Derivative Security
2. Date Exercisable and 3. Title and Amount of 4. 5. 6. Nature of Indirect (Instr. 4)
Expiration Date Securities Underlying Conversion Ownership Derivative Security
Derivative Security
Ownership (Instr. 5)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	$\hat{A} = \frac{(1)(2)}{2}$	09/26/2017	Common Stock	85,000	\$ 3.93	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 6	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Renninger Neil						
C/O AMYRIS, INC.	â	Â	Chief Technical Officer	â		
5885 HOLLIS ST., SUITE 100	А	A	A Cilier recillical Officer	A		
EMERYVILLE, CA 94608						

Signatures

/s/ Neil Renninger by Tamara Tompkins, Attorney-in-Fact

09/27/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- (1) Immediately exercisable.
- (2) The stock option vested as to 1/5th of the total number of shares subject to the option on October 1, 2008, and thereafter vested and shall vest as to 1/60th of the total number of shares subject to the option in equal monthly installments.

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Remarks:

Exhibit List

Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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