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September 22, 2011

SCHEDULE 13D

DATE OF EVENT WHICH REQUIRES FILING OF THIS STATEMENT 09/21/2011

1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
Bulldog Investors, Brooklyn Capital Management,
Phillip Goldstein and Andrew Dakos

2. CHECK THE BOX IF MEMBER OF A GROUP

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- 3. SEC USE ONLY
- 4. SOURCE OF FUNDS

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- 5. CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) AND 2(e) []
- 6. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION USA
- 7. SOLE VOTING POWER 644,344
- 8. SHARED VOTING POWER 188,615
- 9. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 832,959

10. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

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- 11. AGGREGATE AMOUNT OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 832,959
- 12. CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

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- 13. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY ROW 11
- 12.73%
- 14. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

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#### Item 1. SECURITY AND ISSUER

This statement constitutes Amendment #5 to the schedule 13d filed May 27, 2011. Except as specifically set forth herein, the Schedule 13d remains unmodified.

ITEM 5. INTEREST IN SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER
As per the N-CSRS filed on June 15, 2011 there were 6,545,201 shares of common stock outstanding as of 4/30/2011 The percentage set forth in item 5 was derived using such number. Bulldog Investors, Brooklyn Capital Management, Phillip Goldstein and Andrew Dakos beneficially own an aggregate of 832,959 shares of IRL or 12.73% of the outstanding shares.Power to dispose of and vote securities resides either with Mr. Goldstein, Mr. Dakos or with clients.

c) Since the last filing on 8/17/11 the following shares of IRL were purchased:

Date:	Shares:	Price:
08/22/11	6 <b>,</b> 511	7.1297
08/23/11	1,548	7.1500
08/31/11	4,590	7.4472
09/02/11	5,000	7.2500
09/06/11	7,300	7.0585
09/07/11	14,369	7.2926
09/19/11	3,440	6.8241
09/21/11	25,000	6.7901

d) Beneficiaries of managed accounts are entitled to receive any dividends or sales proceeds.

### e) NA

ITEM 6. CONTRACTS, ARRANGEMENTS, UNDERSTANDINGS OR RELATIONSHIPS WITH RESPECT TO SECURITIES OF THE ISSUER. None.

ITEM 7. MATERIAL TO BE FILED AS EXHIBITS None.

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: 09/22/2011

By: /s/ Phillip Goldstein Name: Phillip Goldstein

By: /S/ Andrew Dakos Name: Andrew Dakos