

ALSIKAFI ZAID  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â ALSIKAFI ZAID		(Month/Day/Year)	Boise Inc. [BZ]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
		02/22/2008		
70 W. MADISON STREET,Â SUITE 3800			(Check all applicable)	
(Street)			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director	<input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner
			<input type="checkbox"/> Officer	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
CHICAGO,Â ILÂ 60602			(give title below)	(specify below)
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)	
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person	
			<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001	37,857,374	I	See footnote <u>(1)</u>

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
		Title			

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Date	Expiration	Amount or	or Indirect
Exercisable	Date	Number of	(I)
		Shares	(Instr. 5)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ALSIKAFI ZAID 70 W. MADISON STREET SUITE 3800 CHICAGO, IL 60602	X	^	^	^

## Signatures

/s/ Karen E. Gowland, under a Power of Attorney 03/03/2008

\*\*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) Boise Cascade Holdings, L.L.C. ("BCH") is the record owner of the 37,857,374 shares set forth herein. The shares held by BCH may be deemed to be beneficially owned by: (i) Forest Products Holdings, L.L.C. ("FPH"), by virtue of its being the controlling equityholder of BCH; (ii) Madison Dearborn Capital Partners IV, L.P. ("MDCP IV") by virtue of its being the controlling equityholder of FPH; and (iii) Madison Dearborn Partners IV, L.P. ("MDP IV"), by virtue of its being the general partner of MDCP IV. Mr. Alsikafi is a director of the general partner of MDP IV. Mr. Alsikafi expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares that may be deemed to be owned by MDCP IV or MDP IV, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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