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# FORM 3

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

A Bird Howard

(Last)

(First)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

08/17/2010

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Brigus Gold Corp. [BRD]

(Middle)

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Director

\_X\_\_ Officer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

357 BAY STREET, SUITE 700

(Street)

(Check all applicable)

6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner

Filing(Check Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

TORONTO, A6Â M5H 2T7

(State)

(Zip)

(give title below) (specify below) Vice President - Exploration

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

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

Other

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

(City)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

Ownership Form:

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

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 2. Date Exercisable and (Instr. 4)

**Expiration Date** 

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of

5. Ownership Form of Derivative

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 5)

Expiration Date Exercisable

Amount or Title

Derivative Security: Security Direct (D) or Indirect

(I) (Instr. 5)

Date

Number of Shares

1

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Stock Option (Right to Buy) (1) (2)

08/17/2010 08/17/2015

Common Stock 250,000

\$0

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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

Bird Howard

357 BAY STREET, SUITE 700 TORONTO, A6Â M5H 2T7

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 $\hat{A}$   $\hat{A}$  Vice President - Exploration

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# **Signatures**

/s/ Melvyn Williams, for Howard Bird Pursuant to Power of Attorney

08/26/2010

\*\*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) The stock options were granted at an exercise price of \$1.135 per share expressed in Canadian dollars.
- (2) The stock options vest in two equal installments, 125,000 on August 17, 2011 and 125,000 on August 17, 2012.

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