# Form **8937**(December 2011) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

## Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities

► See separate instructions.

OMB No. 1545-2224

Reporting	issuer				
1 Issuer's name		2 Issuer's employer identification number (EIN)			
Pride International, Inc.		76-0069030			
3 Name of contact for ad	ditional information	4 Telephor	ne No. of contact	5 Email address of contact	
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5847 San Felipe, Suite 330	10			Houston, Texas 77057	
8 Date of action		9 Class	sification and description		
5/31/2011		Commo	n stock exchanged for Am	erican depositary shares	
10 CUSIP number	11 Serial number(s		12 Ticker symbol	13 Account number(s)	
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14 Describe the organiza the action ►	tional action and, if ap	oplicable, the	e date of the action or the da	ate against which shareholders' ownership is measured for	
See Attachment					
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15 Describe the quantita	tive effect of the organ	nizational act	tion on the basis of the secu	rity in the hands of a U.S. taxpayer as an adjustment per	
share or as a percent					
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	on of the change in ba	asis and the	data that supports the calcu	ulation, such as the market values of securities and the	
valuation dates ►					
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Part	Щ	Organizational Action (continue	d)		
		applicable Internal Revenue Code secti	on(s) and subsection(s) upon w	hich the tax treatment is based I	•
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#### Part II Organizational Action

#### Statement for Form 8937 Part II, Line 14: Description of the Transaction

At 9:19 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, on May 31, 2011, ENSCO Ventures LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Mergeco"), merged with and into Pride International Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Pride"). Mergeco was an indirect, whollyowned subsidiary of Ensco plc, a public limited company organized under the laws of England and Wales ("Ensco"). Pride survived the merger as an indirect, wholly-owned subsidiary of Ensco. Each share of Pride common stock was automatically cancelled and converted into the right to receive (i) 0.4778 of an American depositary shares ("ADS") representing one Class A Ordinary Share of Ensco, and (ii) \$15.60 in cash. The limited liability company interests in Mergeco were, in the aggregate, converted into and became one thousand validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable shares of common stock of Pride, as the surviving corporation in the merger. Upon completion of the merger, Ensco indirectly owns all of the issued and outstanding shares of Pride. Accordingly, Ensco acquired control of Pride for purposes of IRS Form 8806, Information Return for Acquisition of Control of Substantial Change in Capital Structure

### Statement for Form 8937, Part II, Line 15: Quantitative Effect of Organizational Action

Each share of Pride common stock issued and outstanding was converted to the right to receive (i) 0.4778 of an ADS representing one Class A Ordinary Share of Ensco, and (ii) \$15.60 in cash. The fair market value of each ADS received by a Pride shareholder pursuant to the merger is \$53.32, determined by the closing price of ENSCO ADS on May 31, 2011.

#### Statement for Form 8937, Part II, Line 16: Description of Stock Received

Each shareholder of Pride received 0.4778 of an ADSs representing one Class A Ordinary Share of Ensco in exchange for each share of Pride common stock.