FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  SABO ELIAS   |                            |                                      | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Compass Diversified Holdings [ CODI ] |   |         |   |            |   |                                | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title V Other (specify |   |   |  |   |  |                |  |   |
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| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  |                            | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) |  | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) |         | 3.  |            | 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 |                                | ) or  | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following |   | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4)            | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership               |  |                |  |   |
|  |                            |                                      |  |   |         |   | Code V Amo |   | Amount                         | (A) or<br>(D)   |   | rice  | Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)                               |   |  | (Instr. 4)     |  |   |
| Shares <sup>(1)</sup>  |                            |                                      |  |   |         |   |            |   |                                |   |   |   |  |   | 6  | 5,000          | D  |   |
| Shares <sup>(1)</sup>  |                            |                                      |  | 08/05/  | 2008    |   |            |   | P                              |   | 48  | A <sup>(</sup>  | 2)   | \$11.68   | 64,  | ,672.24        | I  | Through<br>Pharos I<br>LLC <sup>(3)</sup> |
| Shares <sup>(1)</sup>  |                            |                                      |  | 08/05/  | 2008    |   |            |   | P                              |   | 72  | A <sup>(</sup>  | 2)   | \$11.7  | 64,  | 744.24         | I  | Through<br>Pharos I<br>LLC <sup>(3)</sup> |
| Shares <sup>(1)</sup>  |                            |                                      |  | 08/05/  | 2008    |   |            |   | P                              |   | 24  | A   | 2)   | \$11.73   | 64,  | ,768.24        | I  | Through<br>Pharos I<br>LLC <sup>(3)</sup> |
| Shares <sup>(1)</sup>  |                            |                                      |  | 08/05/  | 2008    |   |            |   | P                              |   | 48  | A   | 2)   | \$11.76   | 64,  | 816.24         | I  | Through<br>Pharos I<br>LLC <sup>(3)</sup> |
| Shares <sup>(1)</sup>  |                            |                                      |  | 08/05/  | 2008    |   |            |   | P                              |   | 0.48  | A   | 2)   | \$11.78   | 64,  | ,816.72        | I  | Through<br>Pharos I<br>LLC <sup>(3)</sup> |
| Shares <sup>(1)</sup>  |                            |                                      |  | 08/05/  | 2008    |   |            |   | P                              |   | 12.24   | A   | 2)   | \$11.79   | 64,  | ,828.96        | I  | Through<br>Pharos I<br>LLC <sup>(3)</sup> |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |                            |                                      |  |   |         |   |            |   |                                |   |   |   |  |   |  |                |  |   |
|  |                            |                                      | 4.<br>Transact<br>Code (In   | 5. Number of  |         | 6. Date Exercisable at<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |            | sable and   | ole and 7. Title and Amount of |   | 8. Pri<br>Deriv<br>Secui<br>(Instr                            | vative urity Securities r. 5) Beneficially Owned Following Reported | Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction( | Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |                |  |   |
| Explanation  |                            |                                      |  |   | Code \  | , (   | (A)        |   | Date<br>Exercisa               |   | Expiration<br>Date  | Title   | Amou<br>or<br>Numb<br>of<br>Share  | er  |  |                |  |   |

- 1. Each Share represents one undivided beneficial interest in Compass Diversified Holdings (the "Trust") property and corresponds to one trust interest of Compass Group Diversified Holdings LLC held by the
- 2. The purchases reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by Pharos I LLC on May 29, 2008.
- 3. Amounts with respect to Mr. Sabo reflect his beneficial ownership of Shares through his pecuniary interest in Pharos I LLC.

## Remarks:

 $\hbox{(a) Mr. Sabo is an Assistant Secretary of Compass Group Diversified Holdings LLC, Sponsor of the Trust. } \\$ 

/s/ Elias Sabo, by James J. Bottiglieri as attorney-in-fact

08/05/2008

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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