FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Fountas Nikos			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 09/09/2009 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EURONET WORLDWIDE INC [EEFT]										
(Last) (First) (Middle) 4601 COLLEGE BOULEVARD SUITE 300		` ′ ′			Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director		r cify	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) LEAWOOD KS 66211					Managing Director-EMEA EFT Div			X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)											
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned												
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					eneficially 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 \$0.02 per share					5,000 ⁽¹⁾	D							
Common Stock, par value \$0.02 per share					2,500 ⁽²⁾	D							
Common Stock, par value \$0.02 per share					3,500 ⁽³⁾	D							
Common Stock, par value \$0.02 per share					20,000(4)	D							
Common Stock, par value \$0.02 per share					15,000 ⁽⁵⁾	D							
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)													
´` ´ ı			2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securiti Underlying Derivative Security	ity (Instr. 4) Conve		cise Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)				
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivativ Security	e Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)					

Explanation of Responses:

- $1.\ These shares of restricted common stock were granted on 9/21/05, with 715 shares to vest on 9/21/06 and each anniversary thereafter.$
- $2. \ These \ shares \ of \ restricted \ common \ stock \ were \ granted \ on \ 6/11/07, \ with \ 500 \ shares \ to \ vest \ on \ 6/11/08 \ and \ each \ anniversary \ thereafter.$
- 3. These shares of restricted common stock were granted on 12/19/07, with 1,400 shares to vest on 12/19/09 and 700 shares to vest on 12/19/2010, and each anniversary thereafter.
- $4. \ These shares of restricted common stock were granted on 7/08/08, with 6,667 shares to vest on 7/08/09 and each anniversary thereafter.$
- 5. These shares of restricted common stock were granted on 7/08/08 with performance-based vesting. The goals were attained in 2008, with 3,000 shares vesting on 3/23/09 and 3,000 shares to vest on 3/23/2010 and each anniversary thereafter.

Nikos Fountas 09/15/2009

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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).

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POWER OF ATTORNEY DATED SEPTEMBER 15, 2009

WHEREAS, Nikos Fountas, an individual serving as Managing Director, EMEA EFT Division of Euronet Worldwide, Inc. (the "Company"), files with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), reports required in connection with the purchase or sale of stock and derivative securities of the Company, including but not limited to reports on initial ownership or changes of beneficial ownership of the common stock of the Company on Forms 3, Forms 4 or Forms 5, and any amendments thereto as may be required by the Commission pursuant to the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations of the Commission promulgated thereunder, along with any and all other documents relating thereto or in connection therewith, including the Uniform Applications For Access Codes To File On Edgar, which filings will be in connection with the changes, from time to time, in the beneficial ownership by the undersigned in shares of the Company's stock and derivative securities;

NOW THEREWITH, the undersigned, in his or her individual capacity, hereby constitutes and appoints Jeffrey B. Newman my true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent (hereinafter referred to as my "Attorney"), with full power of substitution and resubstitution, for me and in my name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to sign any or all Uniform Applications For Access Codes To File On Edgar, Forms 3, Forms 4 and Forms 5, any and all amendments thereto, and any and all other documents related thereto or in connection therewith, reporting on my beneficial ownership of the stock and derivative securities of the Company and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto, with the Commission granting unto said Attorney full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as might or could be done in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said Attorney or his substitute or substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorney-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney this 15 day of September, 2009.

/s/ Nikos Fountas

Nikos Fountas

ANY PERSON RELYING ON THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY MAY RELY ON A PHOTOCOPY AS IF IT WERE AN ORIGINAL.