FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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01/09/2006

02/08/2005

02/09/2004

05/12/2003

01/01/2003

01/07/2003

01/28/2003

04/28/2003

07/10/2003

07/30/2003

10/27/2003⁽²⁾

30

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01/09/2011

02/08/2010

02/09/2009

05/10/2008

01/01/2003

01/07/2013

01/28/2013

04/28/2013

07/10/2013

07/30/2013

10/27/2013(3)

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600

575

4,775.6

398.6

37.4

37.4

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buy) Stock Options \$13,625

\$15 125

\$19.4375

\$<mark>28</mark>

\$0

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\$0⁽¹⁾

- 1. Each phantom stock unit exersises into 1 share of Common Stock.
- 2. Phantom stock is exercisable after the directors' retirement as a Board member.

10/27/2003

3. Phantom shares expire after the directors' retirement as a Board member.

1.000

600

575

925

4,775.6

398.6

37.4

37.4

261.5

31.5

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** 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 4 (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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