Hsieh Ming Form 4 June 23, 2005

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Hsieh Ming

(First) (Middle)

209 FAIR OAKS AVENUE

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Cogent, Inc. [COGT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 06/21/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ 10% Owner _X__ Director X_ Officer (give title) __ Other (specify below)

Chief Executive Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SOUTH PASADENA, CA 91030

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative Sec	curitie	s Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) ctiomr Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	06/21/2005		M	600,000	A	\$ 0.3	601,215 (2)	I	See Footnote (1)
Common Stock	06/21/2005		S	601,215	D	\$ 25.5	0	I	See Footnote
Common Stock	06/21/2005		M	33,750	A	\$ 0.75	33,750	I	See Footnote
Common Stock	06/21/2005		S	33,750	D	\$ 25.5	0	I	See Footnote

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Common Stock	06/21/2005	S	5,525,035	D	\$ 25.5	47,979,930	D	
Common Stock	06/21/2005	S	220,000	D	\$ 25.5	2,780,000	I	See Footnote (3)
Common Stock	06/21/2005	S	220,000	D	\$ 25.5	2,780,000	I	See Footnote (4)
Common Stock	06/23/2005	S	1,650,000	D	\$ 25.5	46,329,930	D	

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.3	06/21/2005		M	600,000	<u>(5)</u>	08/18/2010	Common Stock	600,00
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$ 0.75	06/21/2005		M	33,750	<u>(5)</u>	01/01/2013	Common Stock	33,750

Reporting Owners

buy)

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
	X	X	Chief Executive Officer				

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Signatures

Ming Hsieh 06/23/2005

**Signature of Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- By: Fang Liu Hsieh. The reporting person is the spouse of Fang Liu Hsieh. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these (1) securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes
- (1) securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (2) Includes 1,215 shares acquired under the Cogent, Inc. 2004 Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (3) By: Ming Hsieh, as TTEE for the Ming Hsieh Annuity Trust No. 1 dated May 11, 2004.
- (4) By: Fang Liu Hsieh, as TTEE of the Fang Liu Hsieh Annuity Trust No. 1 dated May 12, 2004.
- (5) Options vest over a four year period based upon continued affiliation with Cogent, Inc.

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