

SHEAR NEAL A
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
MORGAN STANLEY [MWD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
MORGAN STANLEY, 1585
BROADWAY

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/23/2005

____ Director
____ Officer (give title below) 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)
Business Unit Head

(Street)
NEW YORK, NY 10036

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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 or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	12/23/2005		S		2,300 D \$ 58.3	767,588	D
Common Stock	12/23/2005		S		3,200 D \$ 58.31	764,388	D
Common Stock	12/23/2005		S		3,400 D \$ 58.32	760,988	D
Common Stock	12/23/2005		S		3,700 D \$ 58.33	757,288	D
Common Stock	12/23/2005		S		1,500 D \$ 58.34	755,788	D

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Common Stock	12/23/2005	S	7,100	D	\$ 58.35	748,688	D	
Common Stock	12/23/2005	S	200	D	\$ 58.36	748,488	D	
Common Stock	12/23/2005	S	6,200	D	\$ 58.37	742,288	D	
Common Stock	12/23/2005	S	1,400	D	\$ 58.39	740,888	D	
Common Stock	12/23/2005	S	3,600	D	\$ 58.4	737,288	D	
Common Stock	12/23/2005	S	700	D	\$ 58.41	736,588	D	
Common Stock	12/23/2005	S	300	D	\$ 58.44	736,288	D	
Common Stock	12/23/2005	S	10,000	D	\$ 58.45	726,288	D	
Common Stock	12/23/2005	S	3,078	D	\$ 58.49	723,210	D	
Common Stock						10,889.115	I	By 401(k) Plan/ESOP Trust

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 Derivative 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SHEAR NEAL A MORGAN STANLEY 1585 BROADWAY NEW YORK, NY 10036				Business Unit Head

Signatures

/s/ Charlene R. Herzer,
Attorney-in-Fact

12/23/2005

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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