#### HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS INC

Form 4

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# FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Stock

Stock

Common

08/06/2007

08/06/2007

(Print or Type Responses)

1 Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

TERRELL BROOKS L				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS INC [HPY]					Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS, INC., 90 NASSAU STREET				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/06/2007					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
PRING	(St	neet)		4. If Amer Filed(Mon			te Original			6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by C Form filed by M	One Reporting Per	rson
			( <b>7</b> : )							Person		
(Ci	ty) (St	ate)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non	ı-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3	(Mont	nsaction Date h/Day/Year)	2A. Deen Execution any (Month/E	n Date, if	Code (Instr. 8		4. Securiti n(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	posed	of (D)	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)
Comm Stock	on 08/06	5/2007			M		26,000	A	\$ 5	94,000 (1)	D	
Comm	on 08/06	5/2007			S		300	D	\$ 30.32	93,700	D	
Comm	on 08/06	5/2007			S		400	D	\$ 30.29	93,300	D	

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300

200

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30.29

30.27

93,000

92,800

Common Stock					\$ 30.25		
Common Stock	08/06/2007	S	200	D	\$ 30.24	92,600	D
Common Stock	08/06/2007	S	200	D	\$ 30.21	92,400	D
Common Stock	08/06/2007	S	300	D	\$ 30.17	92,100	D
Common Stock	08/06/2007	S	800	D	\$ 30.14	91,300	D
Common Stock	08/06/2007	S	400	D	\$ 30.07	90,900	D
Common Stock	08/06/2007	S	600	D	\$ 30.06	90,300	D
Common Stock	08/06/2007	S	800	D	\$ 30.04	89,500	D
Common Stock	08/06/2007	S	400	D	\$ 30.03	89,100	D
Common Stock	08/06/2007	S	1,300	D	\$ 30.02	87,800	D
Common Stock	08/06/2007	S	100	D	\$ 30.01	87,700	D
Common Stock	08/06/2007	S	19,700	D	\$ 30	68,000	D
Common Stock	08/07/2007	M	26,000	D	\$ 5	94,000	D
Common Stock	08/07/2007	S	100	D	\$ 30.81	93,900	D
Common Stock	08/07/2007	S	1,200	D	\$ 30.79	92,700	D
Common Stock	08/07/2007	S	700	D	\$ 30.74	92,000	D
Common Stock	08/07/2007	S	100	D	\$ 30.73	91,900	D
Common Stock	08/07/2007	S	200	D	\$ 30.71	91,700	D
Common Stock	08/07/2007	S	800	D	\$ 30.7	90,900	D
Common Stock	08/07/2007	S	400	D	\$ 30.67	90,500	D
	08/07/2007	S	1,800	D		88,700	D

Common Stock					\$ 30.66		
Common Stock	08/07/2007	S	2,700	D	\$ 30.65	86,000	D
Common Stock	08/07/2007	S	600	D	\$ 30.64	85,400	D
Common Stock	08/07/2007	S	200	D	\$ 30.63	85,200	D
Common Stock	08/07/2007	S	100	D	\$ 30.63	85,100	D
Common Stock	08/07/2007	S	500	D	\$ 30.62	84,600	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy) (2)	\$ 5	08/06/2007		A	26,000	02/15/2003	02/15/2013	Common Stock	26,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (2)	\$ 5	08/07/2007		A	26,000	02/15/2003	02/15/2013	Common Stock	26,000
Stock Option (right to buy) (2)	\$ 6.25	08/08/2007		A	22,000	<u>(3)</u>	01/15/2009	Common Stock	22,000
• • •	\$ 9.8	08/08/2007		A	52,500	<u>(5)</u>	02/15/2010		52,500

Stock
Option
(right to buy) (2)

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

TERRELL BROOKS L C/O HEARTLAND PAYMENT SYSTEMS, INC. 90 NASSAU STREET PRINCETON, NJ 08542

Chief Technology Officer

## **Signatures**

(4)

/s/ Brooks L. 08/08/2007 Terrell

\*\*Signature of Date Reporting Person

# **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).
- (1) In addition, Mr. Terrell indirectly owns 550,000 shares of Common Stock of the Issuer held by the B. Terrell Limited Partnership, a Texas limited partnership, of which Mr. Terrell is the general partner.
- (2) The options were granted under Issuer's Second Amended and Restated 2000 Equity Incentive Plan.
- (3) The options were granted on January 15, 2004 with a four year vesting period. As of the date of this filing, all of the options have vested.
- (4) The exercise price and the number of shares of common stock underlying the options are adjusted to reflect the Issuer's 2-for-1 stock split that became effective as of July 26, 2005.
- (5) The options were granted on February 15, 2005 with a four year vesting period. As of the date of this filing, all of the options have vested except for 17,500 which will become vested on February 15, 2008.

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