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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Yea	r) (Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				(
			Code V	(A)	(D) Date Exercisab	Expiration e Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 44.25	02/22/2005	А	37,700	<u>(1)</u>	02/22/2015	Common Stock	37,700

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
YAKICH WAYNE J 39 OLD RIDGEBURY ROAD DANBURY, CT 06810-5113			Vice President				

Signatures

Mark S. Lyon, Attorney-in-Fact	02/24/2005		
**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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(1) The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on February 22, 2006.

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