FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * REGNELL THOMAS L | 2. Issuer Name and WASHINGTON TRUST [WRE] | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give title below) Mnging. Dir Acquisitions | | | | |
|---|--|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|---|---------------|--|--|-------------------|---|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 6110 EXECUTIVE BLVD., SUITE 800 | 3. Date of Earliest T 05/02/2005 | ransaction (I | Montl | n/Day/Yea | ır) | | Minging, Dir Acqui | sitions | | |
| (Street) ROCKVILLE, MD 20852 | 4. If Amendment, D | ate Original | Filed | Month/Day/ | Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing/Check Applicable Line) X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| (City) (State) (Zip) | | Table I - | Non- | Derivativ | e Secur | ities Acqui | ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if r) any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | D) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | Form: | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | |
| | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | (I) (Instr. 4) | (IIIstr. 4) | |
| Common Stock 05/02/2005 | | M | | 6 | A | \$ 14.4688 | 33,864.106 | D | | |
| Common Stock 05/02/2005 | | M | | 1,953 | A | \$ 25.61 | 35,817.106 | D | | |
| Common Stock 05/02/2005 | | M | | 4,706 | A | \$ 25.61 | 40,523.106 | D | | |
| Common Stock 05/03/2005 | | S | | 1,000 | D | \$ 29.9 | 39,523.106 | D | | |
| Common Stock 05/03/2005 | | S | | 300 | D | \$ 29.97 | 39,223.106 | D | | |
| Common Stock 05/03/2005 | | S | | 400 | D | \$ 29.98 | 38,823.106 | D | | |
| Common Stock 05/03/2005 | | S | | 100 | D | \$ 29.99 | 38,723.106 | D | | |
| Common Stock 05/03/2005 | | S | | 1,300 | D | \$ 30 | 37,423.106 | D | | |
| Common Stock 05/03/2005 | | S | | 1,400 | D | \$ 30.01 | 36,023.106 | D | | |
| Common Stock 05/03/2005 | | S | | 800 | D | \$ 30.02 | 35,223.106 | D | | |
| Common Stock 05/03/2005 | | S | | 700 | D | \$ 30.03 | 34,523.106 | D | | |
| Common Stock 05/03/2005 | | S | | 500 | D | \$ 30.06 | 34,023.106 | D | | |
| Common Stock 05/03/2005 | | S | | 158 | D | \$ 30.07 | 33,865.106 | D | | |
| Common Stock 05/04/2005 | | S | | 7 | D | \$ 30.42 | 33,858.106 | D | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 1,150 | I | By Spouse | |
| Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities be | neficially owned dire | | Pers this curre | form are ently val | not re | quired to 3 control r | | | 1474 (9-02) | |

| (e.g., puts, cans, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|------------|--|---|------|------|-------|-------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|--|---|-------------------------------------|--|--|
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | Conversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | Code | cion | on of | | (Month/Day/Year) | | of Underlying Securities | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | Securities Beneficially Owned | Security: Direct (D) or Indirect | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | | | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| ISO - 2002 Officer & Management | \$ 25.61 | 05/02/2005 | | M | | | 1,953 | 12/16/2003(1) | 12/16/2012 | Common Stock | 1,953 | \$ 25.61 | 0 | D | |
| NQO - 1999 Officer | \$ 14.47 | 05/02/2005 | | M | | | 6 | 12/17/2000 | 12/17/2009 | Common Stock | 6 | \$ 14.47 | 0 | D | |
| NQO - 2002 Officer | \$ 25.61 | 05/02/2005 | | M | | | 4,706 | 12/16/2003(2) | 12/16/2012 | Common Stock | 4,706 | \$ 25.61 | 0 | D | |

Reporting Owners

| D 4 0 N 4 | Relationships | | | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|--------------|--------------------------|-------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | | | |
| REGNELL THOMAS L 6110 EXECUTIVE BLVD. SUITE 800 ROCKVILLE, MD 20852 | | | Mnging. Dir Acquisitions | | | | | | |

Signatures

| By: Laura M. Franklin | 05/04/2005 |
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| **Signature of Reporting 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).
- (1) 50% exercisable on this date. 100% exercisable one year from this date.
- (2) 50% exercisable on this date. 100% exercisable one year from this date.

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