

Jones George S JR
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FORM 4

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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 *
 Jones George S JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 13000 DEERFIELD PARKWAY, BUILDING 200
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 03/21/2007

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Executive VP-Human Resources

ALPHARETTA, GA 30004
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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 (A) 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (D) Price		
Common Stock	03/21/2007		A		20,257 (1) \$ 0 72,957	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)

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.559	03/21/2007		A	24,492	03/22/2008 ⁽²⁾ 03/22/2017	Common Stock	24,4

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Jones George S JR 13000 DEERFIELD PARKWAY BUILDING 200 ALPHARETTA, GA 30004			Executive VP-Human Resources	

Signatures

Brad S. Kalter as attorney-in-fact for George S. Jones, Jr. 03/23/2007

**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).
- Reflects award of Restricted Stock Units acquired by the Reporting Person pursuant to the 2004 Stock Incentive Plan. The Restricted
- (1) Stock Units vest ratably over five years beginning March 22, 2008, and issuance of shares of Common Stock is deferred until the conclusion of the five-year vesting period.
 - (2) The Employee Stock Options vest in three equal annual installments beginning March 22, 2008.
- The amount shown in Column 9 reflects the number of Common Shares that may be acquired on exercise of Employee Stock Options
- (3) granted to the Reporting Person on March 21, 2007 pursuant to the 2004 Stock Incentive Plan and does not include shares that may be acquired upon exercise of outstanding Employee Stock Options previously reported.

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