

PAYCHEX INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**CLARK G THOMAS**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

911 PANORAMA TRAIL S.

(Street)

ROCHESTER, NY 14625

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**PAYCHEX INC [PAYX]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**07/15/2005**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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 (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	07/15/2005	07/15/2005	G	3,100 D \$ 34.87	149,856	I	Spouse
Common Stock					85,326	D	
Common Stock					1,348	I	Spouse as trustee for daughter
Common Stock					85,830	I	Granger Group, LLC

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 or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Stock Option	\$ 49.563					10/10/2002 10/10/2010	Common Stock 10,000	
Stock Option	\$ 28.14					07/11/2004 07/11/2012	Common Stock 5,000	
Stock Option	\$ 29.55					07/10/2005 07/10/2013	Common Stock 10,000	
Stock Option	\$ 31.79					07/08/2006 07/08/2014	Common Stock 10,000	
Stock Option	\$ 33.68					07/07/2007 07/07/2015	Common Stock 10,000	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CLARK G THOMAS 911 PANORAMA TRAIL S. ROCHESTER, NY 14625		X		

## Signatures

Stephanie L. Schaeffer,  
Attorney-in-fact  
Date: 07/18/2005

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

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

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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