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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Rynd John T 11 GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 2950 HOUSTON, TX 77046

Sr. VP Hercules Offshore

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Signatures

By: /s/ James Noe,

attorney-in-fact 11/02/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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