

ELECTRONIC CLEARING HOUSE INC
 Form 4
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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 *
WILLIAMS PATRICIA

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ELECTRONIC CLEARING HOUSE INC [ECHO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
730 PASEO CAMARILLO
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
05/15/2006

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Sr. Vice President

CAMARILLO, CA 93010
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 | 05/15/2006 | | M | | 1,000 | A | \$ 7 7,675 |
| common | 05/15/2006 | | M | | 3,000 | A | \$ 1.3 10,675 |
| common | 05/15/2006 | | M | | 2,000 | A | \$ 4 12,675 |
| common | 05/15/2006 | | M | | 2,000 | A | \$ 2.15 14,675 |
| common | 05/15/2006 | | M | | 1,159 | A | \$ 2.84 15,834 |
| common | 05/15/2006 | | S | | 4,000 | D | \$ 16.86 11,834 |
| common | 05/15/2006 | | S | | 1,600 | D | \$ 16.91 10,234 |
| common | 05/15/2006 | | S | | 100 | D | \$ 16.93 10,134 |
| common | 05/15/2006 | | S | | 900 | D | \$ 17 9,234 |

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|--------|------------|---|-------|---|-----------|-------|---|
| common | 05/15/2006 | S | 1,400 | D | \$ 17.35 | 7,834 | D |
| common | 05/15/2006 | S | 1,159 | D | \$ 17.556 | 6,675 | 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)

| 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. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| options | \$ 7 | 05/15/2006 | | M | 1,000 | 12/23/2001 12/23/2006 | common | 1,000 |
| options | \$ 1.3 | 05/15/2006 | | M | 3,000 | 12/09/2005 12/09/2010 | common | 3,000 |
| options | \$ 4 | 05/15/2006 | | M | 1,000 | 11/04/2002 11/04/2007 | common | 1,000 |
| options | \$ 4 | 05/15/2006 | | M | 1,000 | 11/04/2003 11/04/2008 | common | 1,000 |
| options | \$ 2.15 | 05/15/2006 | | M | 2,000 | 12/27/2005 12/27/2010 | common | 2,000 |
| options | \$ 2.84 | 05/15/2006 | | M | 1,159 | 12/20/2001 12/20/2006 | common | 1,159 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|--------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| WILLIAMS PATRICIA 730 PASEO CAMARILLO CAMARILLO, CA 93010 | | | Sr. Vice President | |

Signatures

Patricia Williams 05/17/2006

**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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