

SERVICE CORPORATION INTERNATIONAL  
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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 \*  
**WALTRIP R L**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**SERVICE CORPORATION INTERNATIONAL [SCI]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**1929 ALLEN PARKWAY**  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**02/10/2009**

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**Chairman of the Board**

**HOUSTON, TX 77019**  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

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	02/10/2009		A <sup>(1)</sup>		118,000	A	\$ 0
Common Stock					470,133	I	See Footnote <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock					367,150 <sup>(3)</sup>	I	See Footnote <sup>(4)</sup>
Common Stock					101,234 <sup>(3)</sup>	I	See Footnote <sup>(5)</sup>

Common Stock 32,928 I By 401(k) Plan

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.185	02/10/2009		A	567,400	02/10/2010 <sup>(6)</sup> 02/10/2017	Common Stock 567,400

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WALTRIP R L 1929 ALLEN PARKWAY HOUSTON, TX 77019	X		Chairman of the Board	

## Signatures

R. L. Waltrip 02/12/2009  
 \*\*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) Grant by issuer of restricted sotck.
- (2) The indicated shares are held in trusts under will of Wanda A. McGee.
- (3) Beneficial ownership of the indicated shares is disclaimed.
- (4) The indicated shares are held by three Wanda A. McGee 1972 Trusts.

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- (5) The indicated shares are held by the Robert L. Waltrip Family Trusts.
- (6) The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on February 10, 2010.

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