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#### Form 4

# May 10, 2002

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549
FORM 4
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP
() Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.
Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
Kirby, Jr., Allan P.
14 East Main Street
P.O. Box 90
Mendham, NJ 07945
USA
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

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- 3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
- 4. Statement for Month/Year April 30, 2002
- 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
- 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) (X) Director () 10% Owner () Officer (give title below) () Other (specify below)
- 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
  - (X) Form filed by One Reporting Person
  - ( ) Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I Non-Derivativ	ve Securities Acquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1. Title of Security	2.  3.  4.Securities Add   Transaction   or Disposed of	*	5.Amount of   Securities   Beneficially   Owned at   End of Month	     
Common Stock	4/2/02 M    1,960	A  \$62.99	I	١
	4/2/02 F    658	D  \$187.50	 	
	5/2/02 S(1)   4,350	D  \$187.0005	218,814	 
	5/2/02 S(1)   6,113	D  \$187.0005	305,655	

Table II Derivative Securitites Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
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	tive  Secu-  rity		      e V  Amount	D		- Date	Tit:   of:	le and Number Shares	
Option (right to buy)	\$62.99 	4/2/0 M  2			(3) 	4/27/  02		Stock 1,960	(3) 
Option (right to buy)	\$187.08 	4/29/ A  02			(3) 	4/29/  12	Common	Stock 1,000	(3) 
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### Explanation of Responses:

(1) Open market sale of shares received from Alleghany Corporation as a stock dividend in April 2002. Pursuant

to arrangement made by Alleghany, stockholders who wished to sell the shares paid to them as a stock dividend

instructed the dividend disbursing agent to do so. Such shares were sold on May 2, 2002 at a price of \$187.0005 per

share.

- (2) By undersigned as co-trustee and beneficiary.
- (3) One-third of such option is exercisable on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant.

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON

/s/ Allan P. Kirby, Jr.

DATE

May 9, 2002