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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A COYNE JEI	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NEWPORT CORP [NEWP]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last)	(First) (M		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)				Director	••	Owner		
1791 DEER	•	07/10/2006				Officer (give title Other (specify below) Sr. VP, General Counsel & Sec.					
	(Street)	4. If Ame	4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
IRVINE, CA		7:-)	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
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(Instr. 3) any (Month)		Execution Date, if	on Date, if Transaction Code				Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	07/10/2006		A	25,020 (1)	A	\$0	29,761 (2)	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)

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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. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	t of ying es	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

COYNE JEFFREY B 1791 DEERE AVENUE IRVINE, CA 92606

Sr. VP, General Counsel & Sec.

Signatures

Jeffrey B. 07/12/2006 Coyne

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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).
- Consists of restricted stock units representing the right to receive upon vesting a total of 25,020 shares of the issuer's common stock. Such (1) restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments subject to the achievement by the issuer of specified financial goals for the fiscal years 2006, 2007 and 2008.
- (2) Includes an aggregate of 4,741 shares acquired through the issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan during the period of June 30, 2002 through June 30, 2006.

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