KENNEDY KEVIN W

Form 4

April 11, 2005

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

04/07/2005

KENNEDY KEVIN W Symbol **GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC/** (Check all applicable) [GS] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) below) C/O GOLDMAN, SACHS & 04/07/2005 Exec. VP - Human Capital Mgmt. CO., 85 BROAD STREET (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NEW YORK,, NY 10004 (State) (Zip) (City) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common Stock, par value 04/07/2005 S 1.300 824,428 D \$0.01 per share Common Stock, par value 04/07/2005 S 1,100 D 823,328 D 113.88 \$0.01 per share

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2,500

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share					\$ 113.87			
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	04/07/2005	S	4,700	D	\$ 113.86	816,128	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	04/07/2005	S	2,100	D	\$ 113.85	814,028	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	04/07/2005	S	600	D	\$ 113.82	813,428	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	04/07/2005	S	800	D	\$ 113.81	812,628	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	04/07/2005	S	400	D	\$ 113.79	812,228	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	04/07/2005	S	3,677	D	\$ 113.78	808,551	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	04/07/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 113.77	14,000	I	See footnote (1)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	04/07/2005	S	801	D	\$ 113.84	6,000	I	See footnote (2)

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
Derivativ	e Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)]
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		(
	Security				Acquired						J
					(A) or						J
					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
									or		
							Expiration Date	Title			
				Code V	(A) (D)						
				Code V	(A) (D)	Exercisable	*	Title	Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KENNEDY KEVIN W C/O GOLDMAN, SACHS & CO. 85 BROAD STREET NEW YORK,, NY 10004

Exec. VP - Human Capital Mgmt.

Signatures

/s/ Roger S. Begelman, Attorney-in-fact 04/11/2005

**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) Held by spouse.
- (2) Through a trust, the sole trustee of which is the Reporting Person's spouse and the sole beneficiaries of which are immediate family members of the Reporting Person. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.

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