WOODS JAMES D Form 4 October 02, 2007

FORM 4

Check this box

if no longer

Section 16.

Form 4 or

subject to

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

OMB APPROVAL

OMB Number: 3235-0287

Expires: January 31, 2005

Estimated average burden hours per response... 0.5

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Form 5 bligations may continue. See Instruction

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad WOODS JA	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ESCO TECHNOLOGIES INC [ESE]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (M		3. Date of Earliest Transaction				(Check all applicable)			
C/O ESCO T	TECHNOLOGIES CLAYTON RO	(Month/D 5 10/01/20	(Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2007						% Owner er (specify	
	4. If Amer	4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
ST. LOUIS,	MO 63124	Filed(Mon	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. SecurionAcquirec Disposec (Instr. 3,	d (A) o d of (D))	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	10/01/2007		A	800	A	\$0	9,816	D		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

SEC 1474

(9-02)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Edgar Filing: WOODS JAMES D - Form 4

Derivative	Deriv
Security	Secu
(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Own
	Follo
	Repo
	Trans
	(Instr
	,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WOODS JAMES D C/O ESCO TECHNOLOGIES INC 9900 A CLAYTON ROAD ST. LOUIS, MO 63124



Signatures

T. B. Martin, Attorney

In-Fact 10/02/2007

**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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

Reporting Owners 2