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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

ADVANCED MEDICAL OPTICS

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

may continue.

See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Symbol

INC [EYE]

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

MAZZO JAMES V

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(Last) C/O ADVA OPTICS, IN ANDREW	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/24/2006					_X_ Director 10% Owner Selection Other (specify below) Chairman, President and CEO					
(Street) 4				endment, Da nth/Day/Yea		l		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									ally Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year) Execution any		3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of	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	05/24/2006			A	12,800	A	\$ 0 (1)	17,309.5728 (2)	D		
Common Stock								45,492	I	By Family Trust	
Common Stock								1,488.2532	I	By 401(k) Trust (as of 4/30/2006)	
Common Stock								16	I	By child	

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Common Stock 7.6924 I By Spouse $\underbrace{(3)}_{(3)}$

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	Code	Securities		Expiration Date U		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)						
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 45.26	05/24/2006		A	128,000		<u>(4)</u>	05/24/2016	Common Stock	128,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MAZZO JAMES V C/O ADVANCED MEDICAL OPTICS, INC. 1700 E. ST. ANDREW PLACE SANTA ANA, CA 92705

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Chairman, President and CEO

Signatures

James V. Mazzo, By: Aimee S. Weisner,
Attorney-in-Fact

05/25/2006

**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) Exempt grant of Restricted Stock under the Issuer's 2005 Incentive Compensation Plan, which will vest as to 100% of the shares on May 24, 2009, the third anniversary of the date of issuance, provided that certain conditions are met.

(2)

Reporting Owners 2

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Includes an aggregate of 4,509.5728 shares acquired under the Advanced Medical Optics, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan ("ESPP") through the purchase period which ended on April 28, 2006.

- An aggregate of 100 shares have been acquired by a stock club in which Mrs. Keleen B. Mazzo (spouse of Mr. James V. Mazzo) is one of thirteen members. Mr. Mazzo disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report shall not be deemed an admission that Mr. Mazzo is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or any other purpose.
- (4) Stock option grant exempt pursuant to Rule 16b-3, which vests ratably on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of grant, such that the option will be fully vested on May 24, 2010 (provided applicable provisions of such option are complied with).

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