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September (02, 2005										
FORM	STATES	SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549					OMMISSION	OMB APPROVAL OMB 3235-028 Number:			
(Print or Type	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> VAN DYKE WILLIAM G							6	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Lost) (First) (Middle)								(Check all applicable)			
PO BOX 1400 (Street)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/31/2005					_X_Director10% Owner Officer (give titleOther (specify below)below)			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deer (Month/Day/Year) Executio any (Month/I		d Date, if	3.	4. Securities Acquired (A) for Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. 7. N Ownership Indi Form: Ben Direct (D) Own	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	09/01/2005			Code V I	Amount 0.917	(D)	Price \$ 41.7949	(Instr. 3 and 4) 320.743	D		
Common Stock	09/01/2005			Ι	55.828	А	\$ 41.7949	376.571	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)

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. D Se (I
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock Unit	<u>(1)</u>	08/31/2005		А	168.0672	(2)	(3)	Common Stock	0	0
Phantom Stock Unit	<u>(1)</u>	09/01/2005		А	1.2868	(2)	(3)	Common Stock	0	4

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
VAN DYKE WILLIAM G PO BOX 1400 RAPID CITY, SD 577011400	Х			
Signatures				
By: Roxann R. Basham, by pov attorney	wer of	09)/02/200:	5

**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) 1 for 1 Conversion Ratio

(2) Derivative Security is exercisable upon retirement under terms of the agreement

(3) Derivative Security expires upon retirement under terms of the agreement

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