

BELL JAMES A
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**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BELL JAMES A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BOEING CO [BA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
100 N. RIVERSIDE PLAZA, M/C
5003-1001

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/23/2005

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)

Chief Financial Officer

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

CHICAGO, IL 60606

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code V | Amount (D) Price | | | |
| Common | 08/23/2005 | | M | 1,573.5 A \$ 0 | 14,848.5 | D | |
| Common | 08/23/2005 | | F | 621.5 D \$ 67.43 | 14,227 | D | |
| Common | | | | | 2,421.99 | I | Boeing 401(k) Plan |
| Common | | | | | 10,419.01 | I | Career Shares |

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative 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) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| 2003 Performance Shares | (1) | 08/23/2005 | | M | 1,573.5 (2) | (3) 02/23/2008 | Common 1,573 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| BELL JAMES A 100 N. RIVERSIDE PLAZA M/C 5003-1001 CHICAGO, IL 60606 | | | Chief Financial Officer | |

Signatures

By: /s/ Mark R. Pacioni as Attorney-in-Fact 08/25/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Performance shares convert on 1 for 1 basis on vesting

(2) Represents an additional 10% of 2003 Performance Shares awarded to reporting person pursuant to Company reaching the 120% vesting installment.

(3) 2003 Performance Shares vest in the following installments when the average daily closing price of Boeing stock reaches, for a specified period, the following dollar levels: 15% at \$42.38, 30% at \$45.41, 45% at \$48.43, 60% at \$51.46, 75% at \$54.49, 90% at \$57.51, 100% at \$60.54, 110% at \$63.57, 120% at \$66.59, and 125% at \$68.11.

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