PORTA SYSTEMS CORP

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Form 5

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

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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 Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Nun of S
Stock Option (1)	\$ 3.85	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	05/01/1998	04/30/2008	Common Stock	2,0
Stock Option (1)	\$ 1.4188	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	05/01/1997	04/30/2007	Common Stock	15,
Stock Option (1)	\$ 3.25	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	02/02/1998	02/01/2004	Common Stock	15,
Stock Option (1)	\$ 1.5	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	05/08/1997	05/07/2007	Common Stock	2,0
Stock Option (1)	\$ 1.725	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	11/01/1999	05/01/2009	Common Stock	5,0
Stock Option (1)	\$ 2.2875	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	11/01/2000	05/01/2010	Common Stock	5,0
Stock Option	\$ 0.32	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	11/01/2001	05/01/2011	Common Stock	5,0
Stock Option (1)	\$ 0.07	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	11/01/2002	05/01/2012	Common Stock	5,0
Stock Option (1)	\$ 0.31	05/01/2003	Â	L	5,000	Â	11/01/2003	05/01/2013	Common Stock	5,0
Series C Warrants	\$ 2.14	12/31/2003	Â	J <u>(3)</u>	Â	2,500	01/27/1999	12/31/2003	Common Stock	2,5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ESANU WARREN H C/O PORTA SYSTEMS CORP 6851 JERICHO TURNPIKE SYOSSET, NY 11791	ÂX	Â	Â	Â			

Signatures

/s/ Warren H. 03/29/2005 Esanu

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**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) The options are granted pursuant to one of the Company's 16b-3 stock incentive plans, and are exercisable in installments.
- The warrant, which was acquired and expired unexercised in accordance with their terms on the transaction dates indicated, was owned by Elmira Realty Management Corp Pension and Profit Sharing Plan (the "ERMC Plan"). Under the terms of the ERMC Plan, Mr. Esanu
- has sole voting and dispositive power with respect to the shares issuable upon the exercise of the warrant. The warrants were issued in connection with subordinated notes which were purchased by the ERMC Plan.
- (3) Transaction Code J (other acquisition or disposition): warrant expired unexercised by the terms of the warrant agreement.

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