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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Ad Terry, Ronald	2. Issue: Westco		me and Tic WES)	ker or	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
(Last) 4 Bel Flora	of Reporting Person,					Statement for onth/Day/Year / 24/03	_ Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)					
						If Amendment, ate of Original	Financial (sub	Joint/Group Filing				
Las Flores, CA 92688								Ionth/Day/Year)	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City	(City) (State) (Zip)				e I Non-I)erivat	posed of, or Beneficially Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans- action	2A. Deemed Execution Date,	3. Trans action C (Instr. 8 Code	ode	4. Securities Acqui (A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 & 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Follow- ing Reported Transactions(s) (Instr. 3 & 4)	6. Owner- ship Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially FORM 4 (continued) Owned (e.g., nuts, calls, warrants, ontions, convertible securities)

(c.g., puts, cans, warrants, options, convertible securities)													
1. Title of	2. Conver-	3. Trans-	3A.	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature		
Derivative	sion or	action	Deemed	Trans-	Number	and Expiration	Amount of	Derivative	Derivative	Owner-	of Indirect		
Security	Exercise	Date	Execution	action	of	Date	Underlying	Security	Securities	ship	Beneficial		
	Price of		Date,	Code	Derivative	(Month/Day/	Securities	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Form	Ownership		
(Instr. 3)	Derivative	(Month/	if any		Securities	Year)	(Instr. 3 & 4)		Owned	of Deriv-	(Instr. 4)		
	Security	Day/	(Month/	(Instr.	Acquired				Following	ative			
		Year)	Day/	8)	(A) or				Reported	Security:			
			Year)		Disposed				Transaction(s)	Direct			
					of (D)				(Instr. 4)	(D)			
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						(Instr. 4 & 5							or Indirect (I)	
				Code	v	(A)	Date Exer-cisable	Expira- tion Date		Amount or Number of Shares			(Instr. 4)	
Stock Options Right to Buy	\$18.78	02/20/03		Α		8,000	02/20/04 ⁽¹⁾		Common Stock	1		8,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

(1) (1) The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on Febraury 20, 2004

By: /s/ Susan Knox

<u>02/24/03</u> Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

**Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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