

CHOICEPOINT INC
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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 *
SURBAUGH STEVEN W

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1000 ALDERMAN DRIVE
(Street)

ALPHARETTA, GA 30005

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CHOICEPOINT INC [CPS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
05/16/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Chief Administrative Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common stock ⁽¹⁾	05/16/2006	05/16/2006	A	V	\$ 12,500	A	45.75
Common stock					63,333	D	
Common stock					13,333	I	By wife
Common stock					27	I	By daughter

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)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock option, right to buy ⁽²⁾	\$ 45.75	05/16/2006	05/16/2006	A	12,500		<u>(2)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	common	12,500
Stock option, right to buy ⁽³⁾	\$ 45.75	05/16/2006	05/16/2006	A	2,185		<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	common	2,185
Stock option, right to buy ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 45.75	05/16/2006	05/16/2006	A	10,315		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	common	10,315
Stock option, right to buy	\$ 41.1						04/29/2005	04/29/2012	common	100,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SURBAUGH STEVEN W 1000 ALDERMAN DRIVE ALPHARETTA, GA 30005			Chief Administrative Officer	

Signatures

Steven W.
Surbaugh

05/18/2006

**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) Grant of restricted shares pursuant to the ChoicePoint Inc. 2003 Omnibus Incentive Plan vesting 100% on 5/16/09 or prorata on termination of employment, provided the termination is not a termination with cause or a voluntary termination.
- (2) Non-qualified stock option granted under the ChoicePoint Inc. 2003 Omnibus Incentive Plan. Vesting based on predetermined increases in operating income or Company stock price for a three-year period.
- (3) Incentive stock option granted under the ChoicePoint Inc. 2003 Omnibus Incentive Plan with 100% vesting 5/16/09.
- (4) Non-qualified stock option granted under the ChoicePoint Inc. 2003 Omnibus Incentive Plan with 100% vesting 5/16/09.

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