KIRBY CORP

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Add LAWRENCE		_	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	KIRBY CORP [KEX]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
55 WAUGH DRIVE, SUITE 1000			(Month/Day/Year) 10/31/2005	_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
	(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			
HOUSTON, TX 77007				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	-Derivative	Securi	ities Acquire	ed, Disposed of, o	or Beneficially	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) or TransactiorDisposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or			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)	
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share	11/01/2005		Code V  M	Amount 55,000	(D)	Price \$ 21.5313		D	
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share	11/01/2005		M	55,000	A	\$ 27.13	1,912,698	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share	11/01/2005		M	36,666	A	\$ 25.55	1,949,364	D	

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Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share	11/01/2005	M	18,334	A	\$ 33.925	1,967,698	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share	10/31/2005	S	165,000	D	\$ 51.76	1,802,698	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share						506,302	I	Trusts (1)
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share						3,349	I	401(k) Plan

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 Underlying Securitic (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 21.5313	11/01/2005		M		55,000	01/15/2004(2)	01/15/2006	Common Stock	55,0
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.13	11/01/2005		M		55,000	01/28/2005(2)	01/28/2007	Common Stock	55,0
	\$ 25.55	11/01/2005		M		36,666	01/27/2005(3)	01/27/2008		36,6

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Employee Common Stock Stock

Option (Right to Buy)

Employee

Stock

Option \$ 33.925 11/01/2005 M 18,334 01/26/2005(4) 01/26/2009

(Right to Buy)

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Common

Stock

18,3

LAWRENCE CHARLES BERDON 55 WAUGH DRIVE

SUITE 1000 X X Chairman of the Board

HOUSTON, TX 77007

# **Signatures**

G. Stephen Holcomb, Agent and Attorney-in-Fact

et 11/02/2005

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations, See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- These shares are owned by four trusts. Mr. Lawrence is not a beneficiary under any of the trusts, but under the terms of the instruments (1) pursuant to which all four trusts were created, Mr. Lawrence does have the right to reacquire the property constituting the principal of the
- trusts, including, but not limited to, the shares owned by the trusts by substituting property of equal value therefor.

  (2) Original option exercisable 33% after one year, 67% after two years, and 100% after three years from date of grant.
- (3) Original option of 55,000 shares exercisable 33% after one year and 67% after two years from date of grant.
- (4) Original option of 55,000 shares exercisable 33% after one year from date of grant.

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