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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BIENVENUE PATRICK D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

HOMEFED CORP [HOFD]

(First) (Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director

(Check all applicable)

1903 WRIGHT PLACE STE 220

(Street)

(Month/Day/Year)

Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

07/18/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original

below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

(A)

or

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CARLSBAD, CA 92008

(City)

Security

(Instr. 3)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(State)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

(Zip)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise (Instr. 3) Price of

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

5. Number 4. Transaction of Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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Derivative (A) or Security Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

Code V (A) (D) Date Exercisable Expiration Title

Date

itte

Number of Shares

or

Amount

Stock

Buy)

Options (Right to \$65.5 07/18/2006

 $A_{\underline{(1)}}$ 1,000 07/18/2007 $_{\underline{(2)}}$ 07/18/2011

Common Stock

1,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BIENVENUE PATRICK D 1903 WRIGHT PLACE STE 220 X CARLSBAD, CA 92008

Signatures

/s/ Patrick D.
Bienvenue 07/18/2006

**Signature of Reporting 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) The options awards being reported on this Form 4 were granted pursuant to HomeFed Corporation's 1999 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (2) The options vest at the rate of 25% per year, commencing on July 18, 2007.

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