ELECTRONIC CLEARING HOUSE INC Form SC 13G February 15, 2005

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No.)*

Electronic Clearing House, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$0.01 par value

(Title of Class of Securities)

285562500

(CUSIP Number)

February 2, 2005

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- o Rule 13d-1(b)
- ý Rule 13d-1(c)
- o Rule 13d-1(d)

^{*}The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person s initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be filed for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Act) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

CUSIP No. **285562500**

1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) Discovery Group I, LLC			
2.	Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions) Not Applicable.			
	(a)	0		
	(b)	0		
3.	SEC Use Only			
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organization Delaware			
	5.		Sole Voting Power None.	
Number of				
Shares	6.		Shared Voting Power	
Beneficially			453,811 Shares	
Owned by			,	
Each	7.		Sole Dispositive Power	
Reporting			None.	
Person With			1,010	
	8.		Shared Dispositive Power 453,811 Shares	
9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 453,811 Shares			
10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o Not Applicable			
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11.	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 7.0 $\%$			
12.	Type of Reporting Pe	erson (See Instructions)		

1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) Daniel J. Donoghue				
2.	Not Applicable.		a Group (See Instructions)		
	(a)	0			
	(b)	О			
3.	SEC Use Only				
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organization U.S.A.				
	5.		Sole Voting Power None.		
Number of Shares Beneficially Dwned by	6.		Shared Voting Power 453,811 Shares		
Each Reporting Person With	7.		Sole Dispositive Power None.		
	8.		Shared Dispositive Power 453,811 Shares		
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10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o Not Applicable				
11.	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) 7.0 $\%$				
12.	Type of Reporting Policy IN	Person (See Instructions)			
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1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) Michael R. Murphy			
2.	Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions) Not Applicable.			
	(a)	0		
	(b)	O		
3.	SEC Use Only			
4.	Citizenship or Place of Organization U.S.A.			
	5.		Sole Voting Power	
			None.	
Number of				
Shares	6.		Shared Voting Power	
Beneficially			453,811 Shares	
Owned by	7		C I D' ''' D	
Each	7.		Sole Dispositive Power	
Reporting Person With			None.	
Person with	8.		Shared Dispositive Power	
	0.		453,811 Shares	
9.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 453,811 Shares			
10.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o Not Applicable			
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12.	Type of Reporting P IN	Person (See Instructions)		
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Item 1.			
	(a)	Name of Issuer	
	4.)	Electronic Clearing House, I	
	(b)	Address of Issuer s Principa	
		730 Paseo Camarillo, Camar	ano, Camornia 93010
Item 2.			
	(a)	Name of Person Filing	
		Discovery Group I, LLC (Discovery Group)
		Daniel J. Donoghue, a Mana	ging Member of Discovery Group
		Michael R. Murphy, a Mana	ging Member of Discovery Group
	(b)		ss Office or, if none, Residence
		Discovery Group, Mr. Dono	ghue, and Mr. Murphy are all located at:
		Hyatt Center, 24th Floor, 71	South Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60606
	(c)	Citizenship	
		Discovery Group is a Delaw	are limited liability company
		Mr. Donoghue and Mr. Mur	phy are U.S. citizens
	(d)	Title of Class of Securities	•
		Common Stock, \$0.01 par va	alue
	(e)	CUSIP Number	
	(-)		
	(-)	285562500	
Item 3.		285562500	(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:
Item 3.	If this statement is	285562500	Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C.
Item 3.	If this statement is Not Applicable.	285562500 filed pursuant to §§240.13d-1	
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Item 4. Ownership

Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.

(a) Amount beneficially owned:

453.811

(b) Percent of class:

7.0 % (based on 6,500,581 shares of Common Stock outstanding as of February 1, 2005, as reported in the Issuer s Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended December 31, 2004)

(c) Number of shares as to which the person has:

(i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote

None

(ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote

453.811

(iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of

None

(iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of

453,811

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following O.

Not Applicable.

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person

The shares reported herein have been acquired on behalf of discretionary clients of Discovery Group. Such discretionary clients are entitled to receive all dividends from, and proceeds from the sale of, those shares. None of those discretionary clients, to the knowledge of Discovery Group, Mr. Donoghue, or Mr. Murphy, has an economic interest in more than 5% of the class.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent

Holding Company or Control Person

Not Applicable.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group

Not Applicable.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group

Not Applicable.

Item 10. Certification

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

Signature

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

February 15, 2005 Date

DISCOVERY GROUP I, LLC,

/s/ Michael R. Murphy Signature

Michael R. Murphy, Managing Member Name/Title

/s/ Daniel J. Donoghue Signature

Daniel J. Donoghue Name/Title

/s/ Michael R. Murphy Signature

Michael R. Murphy Name/Title

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Exhibit Index

Exhibit 1 Joint Filing Agreement dated as of February 15, 2005, by and between Discovery Group I, LLC; Daniel J. Donoghue; and Michael R. Murphy.

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