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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 $(e.g.,\,\mathrm{puts},\,\mathrm{calls},\,\mathrm{warrants},\,\mathrm{options},\,\mathrm{convertible}\,\,\mathrm{securities})$

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	iorDeri Secu Acqı Disp	umber of vative urities uired (A) or cosed of (D) cr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	/ (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Series B Senior Convertible Preferred Stock	\$ 0	11/15/2006		C		267,565.7	(1)	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	1,605,
Convertible Preferred Stock	\$ 0	11/15/2006		С		163.45	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	980,7

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Berylson John G C/O MARK D. BALK, GOULSTON & STORRS, PC 400 ATLANTIC AVENUE BOSTON, MA 02110	X			See Remarks Below			

Signatures

/s/ Stacy Tyson, by Power of 11/13/2006 Attorney **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).
- The Series B Senior Convertible Preferred Stock converted into the issuer's common stock on a 6-for-1 basis upon the closing of the (1) initial public offering of the issuer's common stock and had no expiration date.

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The Convertible Preferred Stock converted into the issuer's common stock on a 6,000-for-1 basis upon the closing of the initial public offering of the issuer's common stock and had no expiration date.

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