

HOWELL J MARK
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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 *
HOWELL J MARK

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O BRIGHTPOINT, INC., 501
AIRTECH PARKWAY

(Street)

PLAINFIELD, IN 46168

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BRIGHTPOINT INC [CELL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/15/2005

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)
President

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)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or Price (D)		
Common Stock	08/15/2005		M		23,569 A \$ 12.053	D	
Common Stock	08/15/2004		M		7,500 A \$ 3.86	D	
Common Stock	08/15/2005		M		2,905 A \$ 2.833	D	
Common Stock	08/15/2005		S		33,974 (1) D \$ 24.278	D	
Common Stock						I	Represents Shares Acquired

under the
Brightpoint,
Inc. 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. 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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.053	08/15/2005		M	23,569	⁽²⁾ 02/22/2006	Common Stock 23,569
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 3.86	08/15/2005		M	7,500	⁽³⁾ 12/11/2007	Common Stock 7,500
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.833	08/15/2005		M	2,905	⁽⁴⁾ 04/18/2007	Common Stock 2,905

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HOWELL J MARK C/O BRIGHTPOINT, INC.			President	

501 AIRTECH PARKWAY
PLAINFIELD, IN 46168

Signatures

/s/ David P. O'Connell,
Attorney-in-Fact

08/15/2005

__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).

(1) This transaction was executed pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Sale Plan entered into by the Reporting Person on August 11, 2005, which became effective on August 12, 2005.

(2) 9,018 of the options exercised vested on 2/24/2004, 11,785 of the options exercised vested on 2/24/2003, and 2,766 of the options exercised vested on 2/24/02.

(3) 37,500 of the options vested on 12/11/2003, 37,500 of the options vested on 12/11/2004, and 37,500 of the options will vest on 12/11/2005, subject to, and in accordance with the terms of Brightpoint, Inc.'s 1994 Employee Stock Option Plan and the Reporting Person's stock option agreement.

(4) 21,875 of the options vested on 04/18/2003, 21,875 of the options vested on 04/18/2004, and 21,875 of the options vested on 04/18/2005.

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