

DEX MEDIA INC
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Houston Robert

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O DEX MEDIA INC., 198
INVERNESS DRIVE WEST

(Street)

ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
DEX MEDIA INC [DEX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/31/2006

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)
VP, Financial Planning & Anal.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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)
Common Stock	01/31/2006		D	500 D	(1) 0 (1)	I	By Wife

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)

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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)
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 4.64	01/31/2006		D	51,310 (2)	(2) 11/08/2012	Common Stock 51,310
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 4.64	01/31/2006		D	51,310 (3)	(3) 09/09/2013	Common Stock 51,310

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Houston Robert C/O DEX MEDIA INC. 198 INVERNESS DRIVE WEST ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112			VP, Financial Planning & Anal.	

Signatures

/s/ Suzanne Yazzie, Attorney in Fact for Reporting Person
 Date: 02/02/2006

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Disposed of pursuant to merger agreement between issuer and R.H. Donnelley Corporation (RHD) in exchange for 120 shares of RHD common stock having a market value of \$64.01 per share on the effective date of the merger and \$6,150 in cash. In the merger agreement, each share of Dex Media, Inc. common stock outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger was converted into the right to receive .24154 of a share of RHD common stock and \$12.30 in cash.

(2) This option, which provided for vesting in 25% of these shares in four equal installments of 6.25% beginning December 31, 2004 and in the remaining 75% of these shares on the eighth anniversary of the grant date, subject to earlier vesting based on the issuer's satisfaction of certain performance criteria for each of the calendar years ending December 31st of 2004 through 2007, was assumed by RHD pursuant to the merger agreement and replaced with an option to purchase 22,102 shares RHD common stock at an exercise price of \$10.78 per share.

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- (3) of certain performance criteria for each of the calendar years ending December 31st of 2004 through 2007, was assumed by RHD pursuant to the merger agreement and replaced with an option to purchase 22,102 shares RHD common stock at an exercise price of \$10.78 per share.

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