ACCENTURE LTD

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(State)

(Zip)

1(b).

FOREHAND JOE W Symbol ACCENTURE LTD [ACN] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify C/O ACCENTURE, 5221 NORTH 03/07/2005 below) O'CONNOR BLVD., STE. 1400

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

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

IRVING, TX 75039

(City)

shares

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of 3. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price Code V Amount Class X common 03/07/2005 $J^{(1)}$ 161.537 755,352 D

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | orDeri Secu Acqı Disp | umber of vative urities uired (A) or oosed of (D) r. 3, 4, and | 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 |
| Class I common shares of Accenture SCA | (3) | 03/07/2005 | | S | | 161,537 | (3) | (3) | Class A common shares | 161,537 |
| Class I common shares of Accenture SCA | (3) | | | | | | (3) | (3) | Class A common shares | <u>(3)</u> |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| FOREHAND JOE W C/O ACCENTURE 5221 NORTH O'CONNOR BLVD., STE. 1400 IRVING, TX 75039 | X | | | | | |

Signatures

Michael E. Hughes, Attorney-in-Fact for Joe
Forehand

**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) Reflects the redemption of Class X common shares by and at the election of Accenture Ltd.
- (2) Redemption price per share equal to par value of \$.0000225

Accenture SCA is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Accenture Ltd. Subject to certain contractual restrictions, Accenture SCA is obligated, at the option of the Reporting Person, to redeem any outstanding Accenture SCA Class I common shares at a redemption price per share generally equal to the market price of an Accenture Ltd Class A common share at the time of the redemption, subject to adjustment.

Accenture SCA may, at its option, pay the redemption price with cash or by delivering Accenture Ltd Class A common shares.

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