

CORE LABORATORIES N V
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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 *
DENSON JOHN D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CORE LABORATORIES N V
[CLB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
6316 WINDFERN
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
06/01/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
VP, Gen.Counsel, & Secretary

HOUSTON, TX 77040

(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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 (D) Price | | | |
| Common Shares | 06/01/2005 | | M | 11,304 A \$ 0 | 69,587 | D | |
| Common Shares | 06/01/2005 | | F | 11,304 D \$ 25.54 | 58,283 | D | |
| Common Shares | 06/01/2005 | | F | 7,184 D \$ 25.54 | 51,099 | D | |
| Common Shares | | | | | 16,469 ⁽¹⁾ | I | 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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Tax Offset Right ⁽²⁾ | \$ 0 ⁽²⁾ | 06/01/2002 | | M | 11,304 | 06/01/2005 06/01/2005 | Common Shares | 11,304 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| DENSON JOHN D 6316 WINDFERN HOUSTON, TX 77040 | | | VP, Gen.Counsel, & Secretary | |

Signatures

/s/ John D.
Denson

06/01/2005

 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).

The number of shares reported in this column has been reduced by the number of phantom shares issued pursuant to the Core Laboratories, Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan. Those phantom shares entitle the reporting person to receive a cash settlement only and no common shares will be issued.

The tax-offset right was granted in connection with the award of restricted shares issued pursuant to an Executive Share Matching Restricted Share Agreement. The tax-offset right entitles the reporting person to receive, upon vesting of the restricted shares, common shares the value of which is equal to the tax obligation incurred in connection with the event, including the tax-offset payment.

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