OBrien Edward J Form 4 January 25, 2006

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * OBrien Edward J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Middle) (Last) (First)

STATE STREET CORP [STT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

EVP and Treasurer

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STATE STREET

(Month/Day/Year) 01/25/2006

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

CORPORATION, ONE LINCOLN **STREET**

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

BOSTON, MA 02111

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount		Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	01/25/2006		M	3,266	A	\$ 34.1562	13,001	D	
Common Stock	01/25/2006		S	1,100	D	\$ 59.95	11,901	D	
Common Stock	01/25/2006		S	1,300	D	\$ 59.96	10,601	D	
Common Stock	01/25/2006		S	300	D	\$ 59.97	10,301	D	
Common Stock	01/25/2006		S	566	D	\$ 59.98	9,735	D	

Common Stock 3,941 I $\frac{401(k)}{Plan \frac{(1)}{2}}$

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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
E				Code V	and 5	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Empoyee Stock Option (right to	\$ 34.1562	01/25/2006		M		3,266	06/18/2001	06/19/2008	Common Stock	3,266

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

OBrien Edward J

buy)

STATE STREET CORPORATION ONE LINCOLN STREET BOSTON, MA 02111

EVP and Treasurer

Signatures

Richard P. Jacobson, Attorney-in-Fact 01/25/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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 reporting person indirectly beneficially owns 3,941 shares of State Street common stock through State Street Corporation's 401(k)
- (1) plan, as of January 23, 2006. The plan accounts for interest in units of shares and a small amount of cash. As a result, the number of underlying shares may fluctuate from time to time.

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