**HELMS H PARKS** 

Form 4

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### FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **HELMS H PARKS** Issuer Symbol SYKES ENTERPRISES INC (Check all applicable) [SYKE] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction \_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner \_ Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) 4901 HADRIAN WAY 08/10/2009

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

Applicable Line)

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Person

CHARLOTTE, NC 28211

(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)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) iomr Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or			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, \$.001 par value	08/10/2009		Code V  M	Amount 7,500	(D)	Price \$ 18.75	9,166	D	
Common Stock, \$.001 par value	08/10/2009		S	4,388	D	\$ 21.1522	4,788	D	
Common Stock, \$.001 par value	08/10/2009		S	800	D	\$ 21.15	3,988	D	

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Common Stock, \$.001 par value	600	I	Held in IRA
Common Stock, \$.001 par value	600	I	Held in IRA by Wife

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	of Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 D S (I
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option (right to	\$ 18.76	08/10/2009		M	7,500	04/27/2001	04/27/2010	Common Stock	7,500	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HELMS H PARKS 4901 HADRIAN WAY CHARLOTTE, NC 28211	X						

# **Signatures**

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/s/ Martin A. Traber, Attorney-In-Fact for H. Parks
Helms

08/11/2009

\*\*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).
- (1) Grant of stock options to reporting person pursuant to the Company's 1996 Non-Employee Director Stock Option Plan which were fully vested. The reporting person elected to exercise the options due to the fact that the grant was set to expire on April 27, 2010.

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