FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  RICHARDS PAULINE						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CENDANT CORP [ CD ]									all app Direc	olicable) ctor	ng Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		
(Last) 9 WEST	(Last) (First) (Middle) 9 WEST 57TH STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/26/2005									Offic belov	er (give title w)	Other (specify below)		
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10019 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indiv Line) X	-,				
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	, Dis	sposed o	f, or E	Benef	icially	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)					Execution Date,		Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a				Secur Benef	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	Pri	се	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(		
Common Stock (series designated CD stock)  04/26/20					2005	005			A		1,211	A \$20.		20.03(1)	13,932(2)		I	Dirs. NQ Def. Comp. Plan	
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)	titive Conversion Date Execution Date, ity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		Deri Sec (Inst	rice of vative urity tr. 5)		Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Award represents second quarter 2005 non-employee director retainer fee. All shares are deferred into the 1999 Non-Employee Directors Deferred Compensation Plan and converted into deferred stock units thereunder. Payable upon termination of service as a director.
- 2. Total reflects adjustment made in connection with the distribution by Cendant of its ownership interest in PHH Corporation to its stockholders.

## Remarks:

<u>Jean M. Sera, by Power of</u> <u>Attorney for Pauline Richards</u>

04/28/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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