FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person*     COLEMAN LEONARD S JR   |  |  |  |          |   | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  CENDANT CORP [ CD ] |   |        |  |      |                            |            |   |                       |   | olicable)   |   | Person(s) to Issuer<br>10% Owner                                   |  |
|--|--|--|--|----------|---|---|---|--------|--|------|----------------------------|------------|---|-----------------------|---|---|---|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 9 WEST 57TH STREET   |  |  |  |          |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/26/2005             |   |        |  |      |                            |            |   |                       | Office<br>below   | er (give title<br>w)  |   | Other (specify below)  |  |
| (Street)  NEW YORK NY 10019  (City) (State) (Zip)  |  |  |  |          | 4. If                                   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                |   |        |  |      |                            |            |   |                       | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable le)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |   |   |  |  |
|  | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |  |  |          |   |   |   |        |  |      |                            |            |   |                       |   |   |   |  |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day   |  |  |  |          |   | Execution Date,   |   |        |  |      | 4. Securitie<br>Disposed C |            |   |                       | Secur<br>Benef  | icially<br>d Following  | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)  |  |
|  |  |  |  |          |   | Code  | v   | Amount | (A) (D)  | r Pi | rice                       | Trancactio |   |                       | (1130.4)  |   |   |  |  |
| Common Stock (series designated CD stock)  04/26/20  |  |  |  |          |   | 005   |   |        | A  |      | 1,297                      | A \$20.03  |   | 20.03 <sup>(1)</sup>  | 26,098(2)   |   | I   | Dirs. NQ<br>Def.<br>Comp.<br>Plan                                  |  |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |  |  |  |          |   |   |   |        |  |      |                            |            |   |                       |   |   |   |  |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)  | vative Conversion Date Execution Date, irity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any |  |  | on Date, | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8) |   | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4<br>and 5) |        | 6. Date Exercis<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Yea |      | e Amour                    |            | nt of<br>ties<br>ying<br>tive<br>ty (Inst | Deri<br>Secr<br>(Inst |   | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
|  |  |  |  |          | Code                                    | v   | (A)   | (D)    | Date<br>Exercisa                                     | able | Expiration<br>Date         | Title      | Amou<br>or<br>Numl<br>of<br>Share         | per                   |   |   |   |  |  |

## 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:

Jean M. Sera, by Power of Attorney for Leonard S.

04/28/2005

Coleman, Jr.

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Dat

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

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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