FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BUCKMAN JAMES E						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CENDANT CORP [CD]								S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 9 WEST 57TH STREET						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/08/2004								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Vice Chmn. & General Counsel					
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10019 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Ta	able I -	Non-De	rivati	ive S	ecui	rities A	cquii	red, [Disposed (of, or E	Benefic	ially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)				2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year		2A. Deemed Execution Date,		ed n Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		(A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Followin		6. Owner Form: Di (D) or Ind (I) (Instr.	rect lirect 4)	Indirect	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Tra	ansaction(s) str. 3 and 4))	
Common Stock (series designated CD stock)				07/08/2004				M ⁽¹⁾		240,310	A	\$9.812	25	278,507	D	D			
Common Stock (series designated CD stock)				07/08/2004				M ⁽¹⁾		9,690	A	\$9.812	25	288,197					
Common Stock (series designated CD stock) 07				07/08/	07/08/2004				S		250,000	D	\$24.77	77	38,197 D				
Common Stock (series designated CD stock)														16,100	I		James Buckn	E. nan IRA	
Common Stock (series designated CD stock)															16,496	I		Held b Deferr Compe Plan	
			Table								sposed of s, converti				wned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any		4. Transa Code (8)					rcisable and Date	7. Title and Amour Securities Underly Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		int of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Form Direct or In (I) (Ir		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh	unt (Ir		Transaction(s (Instr. 4)			
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$9.8125	07/08/2004			M ⁽¹⁾			240,310	10/1	4/1998	05/31/2006	Commo Stock (series designat CD stoc	240	,310	\$0	0		D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$9.8125	07/08/2004			M ⁽¹⁾			9,690	10/1	4/1998	04/30/2007	Commo Stock (series designat CD stoc	9,6	590	\$0	470,930		D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Stock option exercise pursuant to a pre-established 10b5-1 plan.

Remarks:

Jean M. Sera, by Power of Attorney for James E. Buckman

07/09/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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