

SWIENTON GREGORY T
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SWIENTON GREGORY T

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
RYDER SYSTEM INC [R]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
3600 N.W. 82ND AVENUE

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/10/2005

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Chairman, President & CEO

MIAMI, FL 33166

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock	02/10/2005		A		25,000 (1)	A	\$ 0 90,533 D
Common Stock	02/12/2005		F(2)		1,322	D	\$ 44.475 89,211 D
Common Stock	02/13/2005		F(2)		881	D	\$ 44.475 88,330 D
Common Stock							2,172 I

By Ryder Employee Savings Plan

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 44.885	02/10/2005		A	175,000	(3)		02/10/2012		Common Stock	175,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SWIENTON GREGORY T 3600 N.W. 82ND AVENUE MIAMI, FL 33166	X		Chairman, President & CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Flora R. Perez, by power of attorney
02/14/2005

Signature of Reporting Person Date

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) Represents shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person by the Company. The restricted stock vests in three equal installments on February 10, 2006, February 10, 2007 and February 10, 2008.
- (2) Represents shares of common stock withheld upon the vesting of restricted stock units for the payment of the related tax liability.
- (3) The stock options vest in three equal installments on February 10, 2006, February 10, 2007 and February 10, 2008.

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