HEARNE GRAHAM

Form 5

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FORM 5

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Form 4

Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer **HEARNE GRAHAM** Symbol ROWAN COMPANIES INC [RDC] (Check all applicable) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (First) (Middle) (Month/Day/Year) _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify 09/01/2005 below) below) 2900 POST OAK BLVD, SUITE 5450

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

HOUSTON, TXÂ 77056

(State)

(Zip)

(City)

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 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Acquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned at end Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 8) of Issuer's (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) (A)

Amount (D) Price Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)

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

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8. Pri
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	Number	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Secu
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative			(Insti

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Derivative Security

Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

(A) (D) Date

Expiration Title Exercisable Date

Amount or Number

of Shares

Restricted Stock Unit

09/01/2005(2)

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 $\hat{A}^{(3)}$

Common Stock

4,700

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HEARNE GRAHAM 2900 POST OAK BLVD **SUITE 5450** HOUSTON, TXÂ 77056

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Signatures

/s/ Melanie M. Trent by power of attorney

02/13/2007

**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) Each restricted stock unit (RSU) represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- The grant reported represents RSUs accrued in connection with cash dividends declared by the Issuer on its common stock as a result of certain dividend equivalent rights associated with the reporting person's existing RSUs. Dividends were paid on the RSUs as follows: **(2)** September 1, 2005 - 19 RSUs; February 24, 2006 - 17 RSUs; May 26, 2006 - 13 RSUs; August 18, 2006 - 16 RSUs; and November 29, 2006 - 15 RSUs.
- Vested shares are delivered to the reporting person after the final termination date of the reporting person's service as a director. At the election of the Compensation Committee, such payment may be made in cash or common stock of the Issuer.

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