VIAD CORP Form 4 January 06, 2010

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Pers INGERSOLL ELLEN M	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VIAD CORP [VVI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Midd	e) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
1850 N. CENTRAL AVE., SUIT 800	(Month/Day/Year) E 01/04/2010	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Financial Officer			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
PHOENIX, AZ 85004	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-E	Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Disposed of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Owned	(D) or	Ownership
					Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
				(4)	Reported	(Instr. 4)	
				(A)	m .: ()		

(Instr. 3)	,	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr.	8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Beneficially Owned Following	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	01/04/2010		F(1)		1,735	D	\$ 21.055	51,631	D	
Common Stock	01/04/2010		G	V	2,865	D	\$ 0 (2)	48,766	D	
Common Stock	01/04/2010		G	V	2,865	A	\$ 0	36,670	I	by Family Trust
Common Stock								1,950.8189	I	by 401K Plan

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 Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities	3		(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
	·				(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
					., /					
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration		or	
						Exercisable	Date	Title I	Number	
									of	
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

INGERSOLL ELLEN M 1850 N. CENTRAL AVE., SUITE 800 PHOENIX, AZ 85004

Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

By: Scott E. Sayre For: Ellen

Ingersoll

01/06/2010

**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) Shares were surrendered for taxes in connection with vesting of performance-based restricted stock granted February 21, 2007 and February 25, 2008.
- (2) Not applicable.

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