

FIRST DATA CORP
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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 *
JONES COURTNEY F

(Last) (First) (Middle)
6200 SOUTH QUEBEC STREET
(Street)

GREENWOOD
VILLAGE, CO 80111

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FIRST DATA CORP [FDC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/09/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 or Price		
Common Stock	01/09/2006		M		28,000 A \$ 19.875	86,328	D
Common Stock	01/09/2006		M		13,266 A \$ 13.8191	99,594	D
Common Stock	01/09/2006		M		10,417 A \$ 17.6444	110,011	D
Common Stock	01/09/2006		M		7,498 A \$ 24.4613	117,509	D

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 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	
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.8191	01/09/2006		M	13,266	01/21/2001 01/21/2006		Common Stock	13,266
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.4613	01/09/2006		M	7,498	02/02/2001 02/02/2006		Common Stock	7,498
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.6444	01/09/2006		M	10,417	02/03/2001 02/03/2006		Common Stock	10,417
Director Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 19.875	01/09/2006		M	28,000	05/15/2000 05/15/2006		Common Stock	28,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
JONES COURTNEY F 6200 SOUTH QUEBEC STREET GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111		X		

Signatures

By: Stanley J. Andersen,
Attorney-in-Fact

01/11/2006

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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