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obligations may continue.
See Instruction 1(b).

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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 Re CHEAP RICHARD A	2. Issuer Name an HUNTINGTON			0 2	MD [HI		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) HUNTINGTON CENTER, 41 S. HIGH STREET			3. Date of Earliest T 07/18/2006	ransaction (1	Month	n/Day/Year)	X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) General Counsel & Sec'y				
(Street) COLUMBUS, OH 43287			4. If Amendment, D	ate Original	Filed	Month/Day/Y	ear)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1. Title of Security 2. Transaction (Instr. 3) Date (Month/Day/Yet)		Date	Execution Date, if	(Instr. 8)		(A) or Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			(Month/Day/Year)	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(insu. 5 and 4)	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock		07/18/2006		А		4,000 (<u>1)</u>	А	\$ 0	9,769	D		
Common Stock									18,410	I	By Issuer's Investment and Tax Savings Plan (401(k) Plan)	
Common Stock									2,962	Ι	By Issuer's Supplemental Stock Purchase and Tax Savings 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 Derivative	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.		5. Numbe	er	6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and Amount		8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Security	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transact	ion	of Deriva	erivative Expiration Date		of Underlying		Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect	
		(Month/Day/Year)		Code		Securitie	Securities (Month/Day/Year)							Beneficial	
	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)					(Instr. 3 and 4)		· /	-		Ownership	
	Derivative					or Dispos	sed							2	(Instr. 4)
	Security					of (D)							0	Direct (D)	
						(Instr. 3, and 5)	4,						Reported Transaction(s)	or Indirect	
						and 5)	1						· · ·	(I) (Instr. 4)	
											Amount		(msu: i)	(1150.1)	
								Date	Expiration		or				
								Exercisable	Date		Number				
				Code	v	(A)	(D)				of Shares				
				Coue	•	(11)	(D)				Shares				
Employee/Director										Common					
Stock Option	\$ 23.34	07/18/2006		Α		20,000		07/18/2007(2)	07/17/2013	Stock	20,000	\$ 0	20,000	D	
(Right to Buy)										SIOCK					
-	\$ 23.34	07/18/2006				20,000		07/18/2007 ⁽²⁾	07/17/2013	C		\$ 0	20,000	D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships								
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
CHEAP RICHARD A HUNTINGTON CENTER 41 S. HIGH STREET COLUMBUS, OH 43287			General Counsel & Sec'y						

Signatures

Elizabeth B. Moore	07/20/2006
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) An award of restricted stock units to be settled in shares if the Reporting Person is continuously employed by the Issuer on the third anniversary of the date of grant.

(2) Options become exercisable in 3 equal annual increments beginning on the first anniversary of the date of grant.

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