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1. Name and Addre BROTHERS E	ess of Reporting	Person [*]	2. Issue Symbol	er Name an	d Ticker or	Trading	5. Relationship o Issuer	of Reporting Per	rson(s) to	
			MATTEL INC /DE/ [MAT]				(Check all applicable)			
(Mont				. Date of Earliest Transaction Month/Day/Year) 8/01/2006			Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Executive V.P., Mattel, Inc.			
BLVD.							Executi	ve v.P., Mattel	, mc.	
(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Origin Filed(Month/Day/Year)				al	 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting 					
EL SEGUNDO	,, CA 90245						Person	More than One R	eporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-l	Derivative	Securities A	cquired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
	ransaction Date onth/Day/Year)	Execution any	Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	Disposed	(A) or of (D)	Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transa	ctiorDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4		4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common stock - right to buy	\$ 17.94	08/01/2006		A	37,500		<u>(1)</u>	08/01/2016	Common stock	37,500
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	08/01/2006		А	12,500		(3)	(3)	Common stock	12,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BROTHERS ELLEN L MATTEL, INC MAIL STOP M1-1516 333 CONTINENTAL BLVD. EL SEGUNDO,, CA 90245			Executive V.P., Mattel, Inc.				

Signatures

/s/ Ellen L. 08/01/2006 Brothers **Signature of Date

Reporting Person

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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) The option was granted pursuant to the Mattel, Inc. 2005 Equity Compensation Plan (the "2005 Plan"). The option vests and becomes exercisable with regard to (a) 33% of the shares on the first anniversary of the date of grant, (b) an additional 33% of the shares on the second anniversary of the date of grant, and (c) the remaining 34% of the shares on the third anniversary of the date of grant.

The Restricted Stock Units (the "RSUs" or the "Units") were granted pursuant to the 2005 Plan. Each Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Common Stock (or, at the election of Mattel, Inc., a cash amount equal to the fair market value of such share). The RSUs are accompanied by dividend equivalent rights.

(3) The RSUs vest as to 50% of the Units on the second anniverary of the date of grant and as to the remaining 50% of the Units on the third anniversary of the date of grant. On each vesting date, for each Unit vesting on such date, the reporting person will receive one share of Common Stock (or, at the election of Mattel, Inc., a cash amount equal to the fair market value of one share of Common Stock on the date of vesting), subject to tax withholding.

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