

NORDLUND H MARTY
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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 *
NORDLUND H MARTY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
WERNER ENTERPRISES INC
[WERN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
P.O. BOX 45308
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
10/21/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Exec VP-Specialized Services

OMAHA, NE 68145
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Code V Amount (D) Price | | |

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 | 2. Conversion or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4. Transaction Code | 5. Number of Derivative Securities | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
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| (Instr. 3) | Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|------------|---|------|---|--------|-----|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | \$ 7.35 | | | | | | | | 12/20/2001 | 12/21/2009 | Common Stock | 6,875 |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | \$ 7.95 | | | | | | | | 04/16/2000 | 10/17/2008 | Common Stock | 3,750 |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | \$ 8.9624 | | | | | | | | 10/13/2000 | 04/14/2009 | Common Stock | 4,375 |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | \$ 9.7739 | | | | | | | | 09/28/2003 | 09/29/2011 | Common Stock | 16,668 |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | \$ 18.33 | | | | | | | | 05/19/2006 | 05/20/2014 | Common Stock | 10,000 |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | \$ 19.84 | | | | | | | | 02/23/2007 | 02/24/2015 | Common Stock | 10,000 |
| Stock Options (Right to buy) | \$ 16.68 | 10/21/2005 | | | A | | 35,000 | | <u>(1)</u> | 10/22/2015 | Common Stock | 35,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|------------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| NORDLUND H MARTY P.O. BOX 45308 OMAHA, NE 68145 | | | Exec VP-Specialized Services | |

Signatures

Harold M.
Nordlund II

10/25/2005

__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) Stock options become exercisable in the following percentages at the specified number of months from grant date: 25% at 24 months; 20% each at 36, 48, and 60 months; and 15% at 72 months.

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