

WACHOVIA CORP NEW
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â RADY ERNEST S TRUST			(Month/Day/Year)		WACHOVIA CORP NEW [WB]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	04/18/2006		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	
11455 EL CAMINO					5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
REAL,Â SUITE 200					(Check all applicable)	
(Street)					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below)	
SAN DIEGO,Â CAÂ 92130					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	49,443	I	Explorer Ins.
Common Stock	23,980,269	I	American Assets
Common Stock	96,892	I	Rady Family Foundation ⁽¹⁾
Common Stock	5,925,126	I	Ernest Rady Trust
Common Stock	372,021	I	Evelyn Rady Trust
Common Stock	614,708	I	DHM Trust
Common Stock	4,850,422	I	Insurance Co. of the West
Preferred Stock	4,400	D	Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
ESOP (Right to Buy)	03/03/2006 ⁽²⁾	03/03/2010	Common Stock	50,996	\$ 36.6	D	Â
ESOP (Right to Buy)	02/18/2007	02/18/2009	Common Stock	16,998	\$ 33.1	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
RADY ERNEST S TRUST 11455 EL CAMINO REAL SUITE 200 SAN DIEGO, CA 92130	Â X	Â	Â	Â

Signatures

Ernest S. Rady 04/28/2006
 __Signature of Date
 Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Tax-Exempt Charitable Foundation established under Section 501(c)(3). After initial Form 3 filing, this holding will not be disclosed on any subsequent Form 4 submissions.
- (2) These shares vest in three equal annual installments beginning 3/3/2006.

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