

ARCHIPELAGO HOLDINGS INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC/

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ARCHIPELAGO HOLDINGS INC
[AX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
06/17/2005

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

85 BROAD ST

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
___ Form filed by One Reporting Person
X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10004

(City) (State) (Zip)

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)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or Price (D)		
Common Stock	06/17/2005		P		480 \$ 39.52	7,306,202	I See Footnotes (1) (2)
Common Stock	06/17/2005		S		380 \$ 39.4	7,305,822	I See Footnotes (1) (2)
Common Stock	06/17/2005		S		100 \$ 39.44	7,305,722	I See Footnotes (1) (2)

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

/s/ Ted Chang,
Attorney-in-fact 06/21/2005

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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 securities reported herein as indirectly purchased and sold were beneficially owned directly by Goldman Sachs Execution & Clearing, L.P. ("GSEC"). Without admitting any legal obligation, The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. ("GSG") or an affiliate will remit appropriate profits, if any, to Archipelago Holdings, Inc. The Reporting Persons, other than GSG and GSEC, disclaim beneficial ownership of the securities owned by GSEC. GSG may be deemed to beneficially own indirectly 7,305,722 shares of Archipelago Holdings, Inc. common stock, ("Common Stock") by reason of the direct ownership of such shares by GSEC (formerly, Spear, Leeds & Kellogg, L.P.), GS Archipelago Investment, L.L.C. ("GSAI") and SLK-Hull Derivatives LLC ("SLK-Hull").

(2) GSEC beneficially owns directly and SLK LLC, its sole general partner, may be deemed to beneficially own indirectly 5,877,797 shares of Common Stock. GSAI beneficially owns directly 1,264,877 shares of Common Stock. SLK-Hull beneficially owns directly and SLK LLC, its sole general partner, may be deemed to beneficially own indirectly 163,048 shares of Common Stock. SLK LLC disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein. GSEC, GSAI and SLK-Hull are direct or indirect wholly-owned subsidiaries of GSG. GSG disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.

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