BLOCKBUSTER INC

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ac STEAD EDV	Symbol	er Name and KRUSTER			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last) 1201 ELM S		iddle) 3. Date of (Month/	BLOCKBUSTER INC [BBI, BBI.B] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/23/2005			(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify			
		12/23/1	2003				below) EVP ar	below) nd General Cour	isel
	(Street)		nendment, Date on th/Day/Year) 2005			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
DALLAS, T	X 75270						Person	More than One Re	porting
(City)	(State) (Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acq	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Dec (Month/Day/Year) Execution any (Month/		Code	4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Class A Common Stock	12/23/2005	12/29/2005(1)	S	7,265 (1)	D	\$ 3.63	386,939	D	

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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	of ng s	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Nu of	umber		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

STEAD EDWARD B 1201 ELM ST. DALLAS, TX 75270

EVP and General Counsel

Signatures

Bryan Pechersky, as attorney-in-fact for Edward B.
Stead
01/03/2006

**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).

The shares of class A common stock were sold pursuant to pre-arranged stock sales arrangements to allow the reporting person to sell a portion of his vested shares of restricted stock to satisfy tax withholding obligations. The arrangements were put in place in accordance

(1) with Rule 10b5-1under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. The Deemed Execution Date is the date of notification by the plan administrator of the final number of shares sold by the Reporting Person to satisfy such obligations. The shares reported on this amended Form 4 were omitted from the Reporting Person's original Form 4 filed on December 27, 2005.

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