KENNEDY KEVIN W

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

				GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC/ [GS]			INC/	(Check all applicable)			
	(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		of Earliest T Day/Year)	ransaction			Director _X Officer (give t	itle Othe	Owner r (specify
C/O GOLDMAN, SACHS & CO., 85 BROAD STREET				06/18/2	06/18/2007				below) below) Exec. VP - Human Capital Mgmt.		
		(Street)			Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
	NEW YOR	IZ NW 10004		Filed(Mo	Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
	NEW YOR	K,, NY 10004						Pe	erson		
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)		n Date, if	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007			Code V	Amount 75,009	(D)	Price \$ 91.61	(Instr. 3 and 4) 554,618	D	
	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007			S	500	D	\$ 225.54	554,118	D	
		06/18/2007			S	1,000	D		553,118	D	

Common Stock, par value					\$ 225.608		
\$0.01 per share							
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	2,000	D	\$ 225.7	551,118	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	100	D	\$ 225.74	551,018	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	2,300	D	\$ 225.75	548,718	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	200	D	\$ 225.76	548,518	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	300	D	\$ 225.79	548,218	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	500	D	\$ 225.8	547,718	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	600	D	\$ 225.81	547,118	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	500	D	\$ 225.82	546,618	D
	06/18/2007	S	200	D	\$ 225.83	546,418	D

Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share							
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	1,100	D	\$ 225.84	545,318	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	100	D	\$ 225.85	545,218	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	200	D	\$ 225.87	545,018	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	605	D	\$ 225.88	544,413	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	1,460	D	\$ 225.89	542,953	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	225	D	\$ 225.9	542,728	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	1,500	D	\$ 225.91	541,228	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	1,531	D	\$ 225.93	539,697	D
	06/18/2007	S	600	D	\$ 225.94	539,097	D

Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share							
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	110	D	\$ 225.95	538,987	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	500	D	\$ 225.97	538,487	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	400	D	\$ 225.98	538,087	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	369	D	\$ 225.99	537,718	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	1,200	D	\$ 226	536,518	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	200	D	\$ 226.03	536,318	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	1,900	D	\$ 226.04	534,418	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	06/18/2007	S	2,451	D	\$ 226.05	531,967	D
	06/18/2007	S	500	D	\$ 226.06	531,467	D

Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share

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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 (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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Nonqualified Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 91.61	06/18/2007		M	75,009	01/03/2005	11/25/2011	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	75,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address				_	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer		Other

KENNEDY KEVIN W C/O GOLDMAN, SACHS & CO. **85 BROAD STREET** NEW YORK,, NY 10004

Exec. VP - Human Capital Mgmt.

Relationships

Signatures

/s/ Roger S. Begelman, 06/20/2007 Attorney-in-fact

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

5 Reporting Owners

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).

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