

Little Grant F III  
Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

|   |         |                                      |  |  |
|---|---------|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *                 |         | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement | 3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol                     |  |
| Â Little Grant F III                                      |         | (Month/Day/Year)                     | WESTWOOD ONE INC /DE/ [WON]  |  |
| (Last)  | (First) | (Middle)                             | 03/14/2006   |  |
| C/O WESTWOOD ONE, INC., Â 40 WEST 57TH STREET, 15TH FLOOR |         |                                      | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer                       | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |
| (Street)  |         |                                      | (Check all applicable)   |  |
| NEW YORK, Â NY Â 10019                                    |         |                                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director                           | <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner                   |
| (City)  | (State) | (Zip)                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Officer                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Other                       |
|   |         |                                      | (give title below)   | (specify below)                                      |
|   |         |                                      | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)             |  |
|   |         |                                      | <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<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned<br>(Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|

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<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|   | Date Exercisable  | Expiration Date  | Title  | Amount or Number of                                  |  |

|                       |       |       |                 |        |        |                                  |   |
|-----------------------|-------|-------|-----------------|--------|--------|----------------------------------|---|
|                       |       |       |                 | Shares |        | or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 5) |   |
| restricted stock unit | Â (1) | Â (1) | common<br>stock | 13,146 | \$ (1) | D                                | Â |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Little Grant F III<br>C/O WESTWOOD ONE, INC.,<br>40 WEST 57TH STREET, 15TH FLOOR<br>NEW YORK, NY 10019 | Â X           | Â         | Â       | Â     |

## Signatures

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| David Hillman as attorney-in-fact for Grant F.<br>Little, III | 03/21/2006 |
| **Signature of Reporting Person                               | Date       |

## 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).
- Grant of restricted stock units that vest in equal one-third increments on April 14, 2007, March 14, 2008 and March 14, 2009. The restricted stock units convert on a "1 for 1" basis. One share of stock shall be distributed with respect to each vested restricted stock unit
- (1) as soon as practicable following the applicable vesting date unless the Reporting Person elects, within 30 days of grant date, to defer distribution of the shares of stock relating to the vested restricted stock units until either: (i) a date no earlier than March 14, 2009; or (ii) the date of the Reporting Person's "Termination" (as defined in the Westwood One, Inc. 2005 Equity Compensation Plan).

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