

KIPPHUT W MICHAEL  
 Form 4  
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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 \*  
**KIPPHUT W MICHAEL**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**SYKES ENTERPRISES INC  
 [SYKE]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 400 N. ASHLEY DRIVE, SUITE 2800  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 07/15/2009

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 SVP & CFO

TAMPA, FL 33602

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

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

(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 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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code V	Amount		
Common Stock	07/15/2009		M <sup>(1)</sup>	55,000 A	\$ 16.24	88,000	D
Common Stock	07/15/2009		S <sup>(2)</sup>	35,000 D	\$ 19.25	53,000	D
Common Stock	07/15/2009		S <sup>(2)</sup>	20,000 D	\$ 19.5	33,000	D
Common Stock	07/15/2009		S	12,500 D	\$ 19.59	20,500	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)

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. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.24	07/15/2009		M	55,000	<u>(1)</u> / <u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	55,000 \$ 1

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KIPPHUT W MICHAEL 400 N. ASHLEY DRIVE SUITE 2800 TAMPA, FL 33602			SVP & CFO	

## Signatures

/s/ W. Michael  
Kipphut

07/17/2009

\*\*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).
- (1) Grant of stock option to the reporting person was pursuant to the 1996 Employee Stock Option Plan and the options were granted in March, 2000 and expire in March, 2010 with vesting in three (3) equal annual installments beginning one year after the grant date.
- (2) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on June 2, 2009.

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