FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name ar	<u>H</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HUDSON HIGHLAND GROUP INC								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner									
(Last)	(First) (Middle)						HHGP]								Officer (give title below)			(specify	
C/O BECHTEL CORP. 50 BEALE STREET						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/15/2006													
(Street) SAN FRANCISCO CA 94105					4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(City) (State) (Zip)														r cisuii				
		Tab	le I -	Non-Deri	vative	e Sec	uritie	es A	cquii	red, C	Disposed	of, or E	Benefici	ally Owned	t				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea						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 Follov	ving	6. Owners Form: Dire (D) or Indii (I) (Instr. 4)	ect Indir rect Bene) Own	t Indirect ect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 3 and 4				4)	
Common Stock 03/15/2006							6 03/17/200		A		708.99 A \$16.3		\$16.38	2,429.198 I		I	By Deferred Compensation Plan ⁽¹⁾		
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. Transa Code (8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$6.83									(2)	04/11/2013	Commo Stock	ⁿ 50,000		5	50,000	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Balance reflects the reporting person's holdings in the Hudson Highland Group, Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan as of the date of this filing.
- 2. Grant to reporting person of option to buy shares of common stock under the Hudson Highland Group, Inc. Long Term Incentive Plan. The option vests and becomes exercisable as follows: 40% immediately upon the date of grant, 60% after 1st anniversary of the date of grant, 80% after 2nd anniversary, and 100% after 3rd anniversary.

By: John K. Wilson, Attorney-

In-Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

03/17/2006 Date

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

- * 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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