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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

See Instruction 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Symbol

1(b).

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obligations

may continue.

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

LAMONT WILLIAM M JR

		KIRBY	KIRBY CORP [KEX]				(Check all applicable)			
(Last) 2651 N. HAI	(Month/D	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/29/2006				_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specification)				
		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
DALLAS, T	X 75201						Form filed by Person	More than One R	eporting	
(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)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi onAcquirec Disposec (Instr. 3,	d (A) o))	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)	
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share	08/29/2006		G	1,000	D	\$ 0 (1)	604,670 (2)	I	Wife (3)	
Common Stock, par value \$,10 per share							24,284 (2)	D		
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share							762,342 (2)	I	Trusts (4)	

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
	Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Date		Amount of		Derivative	J
	Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	,
	(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative			Securities		(Instr. 5)]
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		Security				Acquired]
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						Disposed						-
						of (D)						(
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						4, and 5)						
										Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or			
							Exercisable	Date		Number		
				G 1 17	(A) (B)				of			
					Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LAMONT WILLIAM M JR 2651 N. HARWOOD, SUITE 425 X DALLAS, TX 75201

Signatures

G. Stephen Holcomb, Agent and Attorney-in-Fact

08/31/2006 Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Bona fide gift for no consideration of any kind.
- (2) These share numbers reflect the 2-for-1 stock split that was effective May 31, 2006.
- (3) Shares owned beneficially and of record by Mr. Lamont's wife of which Mr. Lamont disclaims any beneficial ownership.
- (4) Shares owned by trusts of which Mr. Lamont's wife, Mary Noel Lamont, is the beneficiary. Mr. Lamont disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.

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