

CENTEX CORP  
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**FORM 4**

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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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
ELEK JUAN L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ELEK, MORENO VALLE Y  
ASOCIADOS, MONTES  
ESCANDINA NO. 115

(Street)

MEXICO DF, O5 11000

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CENTEX CORP [CTX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
07/29/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	V	Amount				(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	07/29/2005		M			52,662	A	\$ 7.904	52,662	D	
Common Stock	07/29/2005		M			53,328	A	\$ 17.4112	105,990	D	
Common Stock	07/29/2005		M			53,328	A	\$ 16.2287	159,318	D	
Common Stock	07/29/2005		M			7,278	A	\$ 10.7156	166,596	D	
Common Stock	07/29/2005		M			5,298	A	\$ 17.7139	171,894	D	

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Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	25,000	D	\$ 74.05	146,894	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	900	D	\$ 74.06	145,994	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	300	D	\$ 74.07	145,694	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	2,600	D	\$ 74.08	143,094	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	800	D	\$ 74.09	142,294	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	5,300	D	\$ 74.1	136,994	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	900	D	\$ 74.11	136,094	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	700	D	\$ 74.12	135,394	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	1,300	D	\$ 74.13	134,094	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	2,000	D	\$ 74.14	132,094	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	2,700	D	\$ 74.15	129,394	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	200	D	\$ 74.16	129,194	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	4,200	D	\$ 74.17	124,994	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	7,600	D	\$ 74.18	117,394	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	100	D	\$ 74.19	117,294	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	2,900	D	\$ 74.2	114,394	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	5,200	D	\$ 74.21	109,194	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	5,000	D	\$ 74.22	104,194	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	2,600	D	\$ 74.23	101,594	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005	S	2,000	D	\$ 74.24	99,594	D
	07/29/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 74.25	98,594	D

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Common Stock								
Common Stock	07/29/2005		S	1,700	D	\$ 74.26	96,894	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005		S	2,300	D	\$ 74.28	94,594	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005		S	6,800	D	\$ 74.35	87,794	D
Common Stock	07/29/2005		S	5,100	D	\$ 74.36	82,694	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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Num of S
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.904	07/29/2005		M	52,662	04/01/1997 04/01/2007	Common Stock	52	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.4112	07/29/2005		M	53,328	04/01/1998 04/01/2008	Common Stock	53	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.2287	07/29/2005		M	53,328	04/01/1999 04/01/2009	Common Stock	53	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.7156	07/29/2005		M	7,278	04/01/2000 04/01/2010	Common Stock	7,	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.7139	07/29/2005		M	5,298	04/03/2001 04/03/2008	Common Stock	5,	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ELEK JUAN L ELEK, MORENO VALLE Y ASOCIADOS MONTES ESCANDINA NO. 115 MEXICO DF, O5 11000	X			

## Signatures

James R. Peacock III as attorney-in-fact for Juan L. Elek	08/02/2005
**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).

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