

PER SE TECHNOLOGIES INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
 Washington, D.C. 20549**

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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 \*  
**PERKINS CHRIS E**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**PER SE TECHNOLOGIES INC [PSTI]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 1145 SANCTUARY PARKWAY, SUITE 200  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 04/12/2005

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 EVP and CFO

ALPHARETTA, GA 30004

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	Price	
					(A) or (D)		
Common Stock	04/12/2005		A		3,842.21 (1)	\$ 15.616 (2)	D
Common Stock	04/12/2005		A		960.55 (1)	\$ 0	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 of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PERKINS CHRIS E 1145 SANCTUARY PARKWAY SUITE 200 ALPHARETTA, GA 30004			EVP and CFO	

## Signatures

/s/ CHRIS E. PERKINS 04/12/2005

\_\_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).
- (1) Represented by deferred "stock units" (phantom stock) credited under the Per-Se Technologies, Inc. Deferred Stock Unit Plan (the "Plan"). The stock units are to be settled in Common Stock on a 1-for-1 basis, in one installment as soon as administratively feasible following the date on which the Reporting Person ceases to be an employee of the Issuer, with any fractional shares payable in cash.
- (2) Average closing price of the Common Stock for the five business days prior to April 12, 2005, the date on which the stock units were credited to the Reporting Person's account under the Plan.
- (3) Reflects deferral under the Plan and conversion into stock units of \$60,000 (50% of the Reporting Person's 2004 annual bonus compensation otherwise payable in 2005).
- (4) Reflects an enhancement bonus under the Plan equal to \$0.25 for each dollar of 2004 annual bonus compensation deferred by the Reporting Person under the Plan, resulting in a 25% match of the Reporting Person's 2004 deferral amount. Enhancement bonus stock units vest at a rate of 20% each year over a period of 5 years; however, such units are subject to accelerated vesting in certain circumstances, as described in the Plan. If the Reporting Person's employment is terminated for "cause" or if he resigns without "good reason" (in each case as defined in the Plan) before these stock units are vested, he will forfeit any such unvested stock units.

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