PARTY CITY CORP

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
TENNENBALIM MICHAEL E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

(Middle)

(Zin)

PARTY CITY CORP [PCTY]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Last) C/O PARTY CITY

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/02/2005

_X__ Director X 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title __Other (specify below)

Chairman of Executive Comte

CORPORATION, 400 COMMONS WAY

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

ROCKAWAY, NJ 07866

(City)

(City)	(State)	Tak	ole I - Non-	Derivative Se	curities	Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly 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 approximately 4. Securities approximately 2. Securities 2.	of (D)	ed (A)	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	11/02/2005		X	2,332,952 (1)	A	\$ 1.07	5,595,872 (2)	I	see footnotes (3) (4)

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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed of (D)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
	Security			Code V	(Insta	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun Number Shares
warrants (right to buy)	\$ 1.07	11/02/2005		X		2,496,000	08/16/1999	08/16/2006	common stock	2,496

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
TENNENBAUM MICHAEL E C/O PARTY CITY CORPORATION 400 COMMONS WAY ROCKAWAY NI 07866	X	X	Chairman of Executive Comte				

Signatures

/s/ Joseph J. Zepf, Esq., attorney-in-fact for Michael E.
Tennenbaum

**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).
- Pursuant to the surrender/net exercise of the Warrant representing the right to purchase 2,496,000 shares of common stock of Party City (1) Corporation, there was a net issuance of 2,332,952 shares. The surrendered shares had a market value of \$16.38, which was the closing trading price on Nasdaq on November 1, 2005.
- The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of his pecubiary interest therein, and the inclusion of these shares in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all the reported shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
 - 2,332,952 shares of common stock are owned of record by Special Value Bond Fund, LLC ("SVBF"); 2,813,420 shares of common stock are owned of record by Special Value Absolute Return Fund, LLC ("SVAR"); 318,000 shares of common stock are owned of record by Special Value Bond Fund II, LLC ("SVBF II"); 25,000 shares of common stock are owned of record by a separate account managed by
- (3) Tennenbaum Capital Partners, LLC ("TCP", formerly known as Special Value Investment Management, LLC); and 48,500 shares of common stock are owned of record by Tennenbaum & Co., LLC ("TCO"). The managing member of SVBF is SVIM/MSM, LLC ("SVIM/MSM") and the managing member of SVBF II is SVIM/MSM II, LLC ("SVIM/MSM II"). The managing member of both SVIM/MSM and SVIM/MSM II is TCO. The managing member of SVAR is SVAR/MM, LLC ("SVAR/MM"), and the managing member of SVAR/MM is TCP. The managing member of TCP is TCO. The managing member of TCO is Michael E. Tennenbaum.
- (4) (Continuation of Footnote 3) In addition to managing the separate account, TCP is the investment advisor to SVBF, SVBF II and SVAR and the separate account. TCP, SVIM/MSM, TCO and Mr. Tennenbaum share voting and dispositive power for the 2,332,952 shares. TCP, SVIM/MSM II, TCO and Mr. Tennenbaum share voting and dispositive power for the 318,000 shares. TCP, SVAR/MM, TCO and Mr. Tennenbaum share voting and dispositive power for the 2,813,420 shares. TCP, TCO and Mr. Tennenbaum share voting and dispositive power for the 25,000 shares. TCO and Mr. Tennenbaum have sole voting and dispositive power for the 48,500 shares. On October 6, 2005, Tennenbaum & Co, LLC donated and transferred 65,581 shares of Party City common stock to a charitable organization. Mr. Tennenbaum also owns 58,000 shares of common stock subject to outstanding options which are exercisable within 60

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days of the record date.

(5) Not applicable

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