**HOLLY CORP** Form 4 January 24, 2008

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CLIFTON MATTHEW P			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol HOLLY CORP [HOC]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			(Check an applicable)				
100 CRESO 1600	CENT COURT,	SUITE	(Month/Day/Year) 01/22/2008			below)	tive title 109 below) Chairman & CEO			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
DALLAS, TX 75201			Filed(Month/Day/Year)		Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
1.Title of	2. Transaction Da	te 2A. Deen	ned	3.	4. Securities Acquired (A	5. Amount o	f 6.	7. Nature of		
Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year	any	n Date, if	Code	omr Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Securities Beneficially	Ownership Form:	Indirect Beneficial		

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Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	omr Disposed of (	(D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)			Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
						Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
				(4)		Reported	(I)	
				(A)		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			C-J- V	or	D	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
~			Code V	Amount (D)	Price			
Common Stock	01/22/2008		M	76,000 A	\$ 3.3438	220,038 (1)	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)

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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. I De Sec (In
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 3.3438	01/22/2008		M	76,000	<u>(2)</u>	(3)	Common Stock	76,000	Ş

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CLIFTON MATTHEW P 100 CRESCENT COURT SUITE 1600 DALLAS, TX 75201	X		Chairman & CEO				

# **Signatures**

W. John Glancy, Attorney o1/24/2008 in Fact

\*\*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) This number does not include the reporting person's 37,130.3572 shares of common stock that are held indirectly in the Thrift Plan Trust.
- Option became exercisable to the extent of 20% at March 6, 1998 and became exercisable for an additional 20% on each September 26 thereafter until the option became fully exercisable on September 26, 2001.
  - Option generally expires ten years from March 6, 1998, the date of grant (the period for exercise may be extended in certain cases following the death of the reporting person). If the reporting person's employment terminates because of death, permanent disability or normal retirement, the option is generally exercisable in full for two years from the date of termination. If the reporting person's
- employment is terminated for cause (as defined), the option immediately ceases to be exercisable. If the reporting person's employment terminates for any other reason, the option is exercisable for one year after such termination to the extent the option was exercisable at termination.
- (4) Option was partial consideration to employee for services.

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