

WILLBROS GROUP INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
TAYLOR JAMES B

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
15 SUNFLOWER DRIVE  
(Street)  
SANTA FE, NM 87506  
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
WILLBROS GROUP INC [WG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/06/2008

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	03/06/2008		M		5,000 A \$ 12.38	8,583	D
Common Stock	03/06/2008		M		5,000 A \$ 8.2	13,583	D
Common Stock	03/06/2008		M		1,000 A \$ 14.8	14,583	D
Common Stock	03/06/2008		M		1,000 A \$ 9.1	15,583	D
Common Stock	03/06/2008		M		1,000 A \$ 6	16,583	D
	03/06/2008		M		5,000 A \$ 5.13	21,583	D

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Common  
Stock

Common  
Stock

1,000

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By Trust

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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.38	03/06/2008		M	5,000	07/12/2004 01/12/2014	Common Stock	5,000	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.2	03/06/2008		M	5,000	08/24/2003 02/24/2013	Common Stock	5,000	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.8	03/06/2008		M	1,000	08/24/2002 02/24/2012	Common Stock	1,000	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.1	03/06/2008		M	1,000	08/24/2001 02/24/2011	Common Stock	1,000	
	\$ 6	03/06/2008		M	1,000	08/24/2000 02/24/2010		1,000	

Employee Stock Option (right to buy)									Common Stock	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.13	03/06/2008		M	5,000	08/24/1999	02/24/2009		Common Stock	5,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
TAYLOR JAMES B 15 SUNFLOWER DRIVE SANTA FE, NM 87506		X		

## Signatures

Dennis G. Berryhill, Attorney-in-fact for James B. Taylor  
03/10/2008

\*\*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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