COURVILLE ART

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Add COURVILLE	*	ing Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SYMANTEC CORP [SYMC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First) (Middle) 3. Date of H		3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
20330 STEVI BOULEVAR		ζ	(Month/Day/Year) 02/06/2006	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	SVP, Corp. Legal Affairs & Sec 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)		
CUPERTINO	, CA 95014			_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acqui	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi r(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	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	02/06/2006		M	1,015	A	\$ 8.2125	68,999	D	
Common Stock	02/06/2006		M	1,139	A	\$ 14.62	70,138	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction Derivative Code Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.2125	02/06/2006		M	1,015	<u>(1)</u>	12/14/2011	Common Stock	1,015	
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.62	02/06/2006		M	1,139	<u>(2)</u>	09/04/2013	Common Stock	1,139	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationsnips				
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	

COURVILLE ART 20330 STEVENS CREEK BOULEVARD CUPERTINO, CA 95014

SVP, Corp. Legal Affairs & Sec

Signatures

/s/ Arthur

Courville 02/08/2006

**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) $\frac{25\%}{36}$ vests on 1st anniversary measured from $\frac{12}{14}/2001$, and the remainder vests thereafter in equal monthly installments over the next $\frac{25\%}{36}$ months.
- (2) 25% vests on 1st anniversary measured from 09/04/2003, and the remainder vests thereafter in equal monthly installments over the next 36 months.

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