BOWNE & CO INC Form 4 July 02, 2007

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Murphy Stephen V

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

BOWNE & CO INC [BNE]

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

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

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

BOWNE & CO., INC., 55 WATER

(Street)

(State)

07/02/2007

STREET

Α

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

07/02/2007

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

below)

NEW YORK, NY 10041

(City)

Common

Stock

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities Acquired (A) 3. Transactionr Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

7. Nature of 6. Ownership Indirect Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4)

(I) (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) 1,221

Price 17.3983

(A)

or

Α

8,031

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)			Amou Under Secur	tle and unt of orlying rities : 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Transfer and an area area.	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Murphy Stephen V BOWNE & CO., INC. 55 WATER STREET NEW YORK, NY 10041	X						

Signatures

Stephen V. Murphy by Scott L. Spitzer under Power of Attorney 07/02/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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