#### WALTER WILLIAM G

Form 4 June 15, 2006

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Middle)

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* WALTER WILLIAM G

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

Symbol

INTERNATIONAL PAPER CO

(Check all applicable)

/NEW/[IP]

06/15/2006

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X\_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O INTERNATIONAL

PAPER, 400 ATLANTIC STREET (Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

STAMFORD, CT 06921

(State) (Zip) (City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

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

(Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction of Conversion

5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** 

7. Title and Amount of 8. Price Underlying Securities Derivati

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Ye	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Security (Instr. 5]
				Code V	(A) (D)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Nur of	Number	
Common Stock Units	\$ 0 (3)	06/15/2006		A	320		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock Units	320	\$ 0

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
WALTER WILLIAM G							
C/O INTERNATIONAL PAPER 400 ATLANTIC STREET	X						

# **Signatures**

STAMFORD, CT 06921

Beth Murphree, Attorney-in-Fact for William G. Walter 06/15/2006

\*\*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) Share numbers are rounded.
- (2) The Non-Funded Deferred Compensation Plan for Directors (DC Plan) is an unfunded deferred compensation plan. Deferrals under the DC Plan are held as common stock equivalents of International Paper (units).
- (3) The units are converted to cash based on the price of International Paper's common stock at the time of distribution.
- (4) Amounts deferred under the DC Plan are paid in connection with a participant's ceasing service as a Director of International Paper.

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