#### **BEGLEY CHARLENE T**

Form 4

February 24, 2005

## FORM 4

## 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 Address of Reporting Person * BEGLEY CHARLENE T			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			GENERAL ELECTRIC CO [GE]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY, 3135 EASTON TURNPIKE			(Month/Day/Year) 02/23/2005	Director 10% Owner Selfon		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)		

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I) Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/23/2005		Code V M	Amount 15,000		Price \$ 22.08	(Instr. 3 and 4) 25,723	D	
Common Stock	02/23/2005		M	24,000	A	\$ 26.42	49,723	D	
Common Stock	02/23/2005		S	39,000	D	\$ 35.15	10,723	D	
Common Stock							20	I	By Family
Common Stock							5,500	I	By 401(k)

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Day/ (Month/Day/	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	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.08	02/23/2005		M	15,00	0 09/12/2000	09/12/2007	Common Stock	15,000	
Employee Stock Option (right to	\$ 26.42	02/23/2005		M	24,00	0 09/11/2001	09/11/2008	Common Stock	24,000	

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships					
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## **Signatures**

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Eliza W. Fraser on behalf of Charlene. T. Begley 02/24/2005

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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