DIRECT GENERAL CORP

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Washington, D.C. 20549

See Instruction Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 1(b). Form 3 Holdings Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section Reported 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Form 4 Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer ADAIR JACQUELINE C Symbol DIRECT GENERAL CORP [DRCT] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Last) (Month/Day/Year) _X_ Director 10% Owner 12/31/2005 _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) 1281 MURFREESBORO ROAD Executive Vice President & COO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting Filed(Month/Day/Year) (check applicable line)

NASHVILLE, TNÂ 37217

X Form Filed by One Reporting Person Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-De	rivative Sec	urities	Acqui	red, Disposed o	of, or Benefici	ally 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 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned at Direct (Direct (Direct (I) or Indirect (I))		Beneficial Ownership	
				Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	10/25/2005	Â	G <u>(1)</u>	168,677	A	\$0	259,597	D	Â
Common Stock	10/25/2005	Â	G <u>(1)</u>	168,677	D	\$0	231,323	I	By Limited Partnership
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	200	I	By Immediate Family
	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	120	I	By Spouse

Common Stock

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	eisable and	/. Titl	e and	8. Price of	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	Number	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securi	ties	(Instr. 5)	
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		
	Security				Acquired						
	_				(A) or						
					Disposed						
					of (D)						
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
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									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number		
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					(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ADAIR JACQUELINE C 1281 MURFREESBORO ROAD NASHVILLE, TN 37217	ÂΧ	Â	Executive Vice President & COO	Â			

Signatures

/s/ Jacqueline C.
Adair

**Signature of Reporting Person

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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).

Transfer of 168,508 shares to reporting person and 169 shares to Tammy Adair from WA Investments, LP, a limited partnership of which the reporting person is a general partner and of which the reporting person and a grantor retained annuity trust are limited partners and

(1) transfer of 169 shares to reporting person from TA Investments, LP, a limited partnership of which the reporting person is a general partner. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of shares held by WA Investments, LP and TA Investments, LP except to the extent of her pecuniary interest therein and shares owned by her spouse.

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