

LAWYER JOSEPH C
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
LAWYER JOSEPH C

(Last) (First) (Middle)

111 GRANDVIEW AVENUE, UNIT 701

(Street)

PITTSBURGH, PA 15211

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
RESPIRONICS INC [RESP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/18/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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 Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	02/06/2006		M/K		10,200	A	\$ 15.6
Common Stock	02/06/2006		F/K		4,421	D	\$ 35.99
Common Stock	02/06/2006		A/K		10,200	A	\$ 15.85
Common Stock	02/06/2006		F/K		4,491	D	\$ 35.99

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Stock Option	\$ 39.22	11/18/2005		A		13,000 <u>(1)</u>		11/18/2006	11/18/2015	Common Stock	13,000
Stock Option	\$ 15.6	11/21/2002		M/K		10,200		11/21/2003	11/21/2012	Common Stock	10,200
Stock Option	\$ 15.85	11/15/2001		M/K		10,200		11/15/2002	11/15/2010	Common Stock	10,200

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LAWYER JOSEPH C 111 GRANDVIEW AVENUE UNIT 701 PITTSBURGH, PA 15211	X			

Signatures

Dorita A. Pishko;
Attorney-in-Fact

02/13/2006

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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Non-Employee Directors annual incentive stock option grant. Shares are issued at fair market market on the third day following the (1) Company's Annual Meeting of Shareholders. Each option has a 10-year term, becomes exercisable in installments and is fully exercisable after three years from date of grant.

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