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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and AcREED HAR	•	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			ANDERSONS INC [ANDE]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
480 W DUS	SEL DR		(Month/Day/Year) 03/04/2005	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) President, Grain Division		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
MAUMEE, OH 43537			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	anired Disposed of or Reneficially Owner		

(City)	(State) (Z	Cip) Table	I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	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)	(Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D) 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
COMMON STOCK	03/04/2005		Code V $J_{(1)}^{(1)}$	Amount 7.299	(D)	Price \$ 32.29		D	
COMMON STOCK	03/04/2005		J <u>(1)</u>	0.291	A	\$ 32.3	14,055.997	D	
COMMON STOCK	03/11/2005		<u>J(1)</u>	98.67	A	\$ 31.74	14,154.667	D	
COMMON STOCK	03/18/2005		<u>J(1)</u>	0.281	A	\$ 32.53	14,154.948	D	
COMMON STOCK	03/18/2005		J <u>(1)</u>	2.505	A	\$ 32.51	14,157.453	D	

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COMMON STOCK	400	I	IRA FBO HAROLD M. REED
COMMON STOCK	394	I	IRA FBO KELLEEN E. REED

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 onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title Underl (Instr. 3
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
PERFORMANCE SHARE UNIT	\$ 0 (2)	04/01/2005		A	1,710	12/31/2007(2)	01/01/2008(2)	COM ST(
STOCK OPTION	\$ 31	04/01/2005		A	10,500	04/01/2005(3)	03/31/2010	COM ST(
STOCK OPTION	\$ 8.625					01/01/2001	01/01/2006	COM STO
STOCK OPTION	\$ 10					01/01/2002	01/01/2007	COM ST(
STOCK OPTION	\$ 12.7					01/01/2003	01/01/2008	COM ST(
STOCK OPTION	\$ 15.967					01/01/2004	01/01/2009	COM STO

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships	
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
REED HAROLD M			President Grain Division	

Reporting Owners 2 480 W DUSSEL DR MAUMEE, OH 43537

Signatures

HAROLD REED, by: Gary Smith, Limited Power of Attorney

04/05/2005

**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) Acquisition pursuant to Rule 16b-3(c)
 - Stock Performance Unit granted pursuant to The Andersons, Inc. Plan. Units vest 100% in 3 years contingent on cumulative EPS from
- (2) 1/1/2005 to 12/31/2007. Number of underlying shares are determined by the three-year cumulative fully diluted EPS for the performance period.
- (3) OPTION EXERCISABLE 40% IMMEDIATELY; 70% AFTER ONE YEAR; 100% AFTER TWO YEARS

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