

ACCREDITED HOME LENDERS HOLDING CO  
 Form 4/A  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 LYDON JOSEPH JOHN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 ACCREDITED HOME LENDERS HOLDING CO [LEND]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 ACCREDITED HOME LENDERS, 15090 AVENUE OF SCIENCE  
 (Street)  
 SAN DIEGO, CA 92128  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 01/31/2006

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

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)  
 02/01/2006

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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)		
				(A) or (D)	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)**

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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)	8. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Phantom Stock	(1)	01/31/2006		A	10,965 (2)	(3) (3)	Common Stock	10,965

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LYDON JOSEPH JOHN ACCREDITED HOME LENDERS 15090 AVENUE OF SCIENCE SAN DIEGO, CA 92128	X		President & COO	

## Signatures

By: Mark T. Lee, Attorney-in-fact for Joseph John Lydon  
 Date: 04/07/2006

\*\*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).
- Each share of phantom stock is the economic equivalent of one share of LEND common stock. The shares of phantom stock will be
- (1) settled in shares of LEND common stock on the reporting person's elected settlement date, provided such shares of phantom stock have vested.
  - (2) This amended Form 4 corrects the previous number of shares awarded on January 31, 2006.
  - (3) The shares of phantom stock in this report were granted under the Company's Deferred Compensation Plan and are subject to four year vesting as follows: fifty percent vested after two years, an additional twenty-five percent after three years, and the final twenty-five percent after four years, provided that the reporting person remains employed by the Company.

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