

EATON VANCE CORP  
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# FORM 5

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**ANNUAL 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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**SORENSEN RALPH Z**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**THE EATON VANCE BUILDING, 255 STATE STREET**

(Street)

**BOSTON, MA 021092617**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**EATON VANCE CORP [EV]**

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)  
**10/31/2005**

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 Reporting

(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 at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock				(A) or (D) Price	144,784	D	

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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.03	Â	Â	Â	Â Â Â <sup>(1)</sup>	12/18/2006	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock	11,924
Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.89	Â	Â	Â	Â Â Â <sup>(1)</sup>	12/17/2009	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock	6,748
Option (right to buy)	\$ 13.56	Â	Â	Â	Â Â Â <sup>(1)</sup>	12/15/2010	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock	7,372
Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.83	Â	Â	Â	Â Â Â <sup>(1)</sup>	12/21/2011	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock	12,000
Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.05	Â	Â	Â	Â Â Â <sup>(1)</sup>	12/20/2012	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock	12,000
Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.14	Â	Â	Â	Â Â Â <sup>(1)</sup>	12/19/2013	Eaton Vance	12,000

buy)										Corp. Non-voting Common Stock		
Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.39	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	<u>(1)</u>	12/17/2014	Eaton Vance Corp. Non-voting Common Stock	12,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SORENSEN RALPH Z THE EATON VANCE BUILDING 255 STATE STREET BOSTON, MA 021092617	Â X	Â	Â	Â

## Signatures

By: Katie McManus, Attorney  
in Fact

12/14/2005

        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) These options vest over a 4 year period at 25% per year.

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