#### SMITH INTERNATIONAL INC

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ROCK DOUGLAS L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SMITH INTERNATIONAL INC [SII]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)
(Last) PO BOX 6006	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2006	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  COB, CEO, President & COO
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person
HOUSTON, TX 77205				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative S	ecurit	ies Acqui	red, Disposed of	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie oror Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	d of (Ľ	))	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	12/14/2006		Code V M	Amount 315,000	(D)	Price \$ 19.41	844,172	D	
Common Stock	12/14/2006		M	100,000	A	\$ 17.36	944,172	D	
Common Stock	12/14/2006		S	400	D	\$ 44.16	943,772	D	
Common Stock	12/14/2006		S	800	D	\$ 44.15	942,972	D	
Common Stock	12/14/2006		S	1,400	D	\$ 44.14	941,572	D	

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Common Stock	12/14/2006	S	5,900	D	\$ 44.13	935,672	D
Common Stock	12/14/2006	S	3,200	D	\$ 44.12	932,472	D
Common Stock	12/14/2006	S	7,100	D	\$ 44.11	925,372	D
Common Stock	12/14/2006	S	12,500	D	\$ 44.1	912,872	D
Common Stock	12/14/2006	S	21,100	D	\$ 44.09	891,772	D
Common Stock	12/14/2006	S	8,200	D	\$ 44.08	883,572	D
Common Stock	12/14/2006	S	12,300	D	\$ 44.07	871,272	D
Common Stock	12/14/2006	S	9,200	D	\$ 44.06	862,072	D
Common Stock	12/14/2006	S	6,700	D	\$ 44.05	855,372	D
Common Stock	12/14/2006	S	15,000	D	\$ 44.04	840,372	D
Common Stock	12/14/2006	S	26,600	D	\$ 44.03	813,772	D
Common Stock	12/14/2006	S	20,700	D	\$ 44.02	793,072	D
Common Stock	12/14/2006	S	13,800	D	\$ 44.01	779,272	D
Common Stock	12/14/2006	S	150,100	D	\$ 44	629,172	D
Common Stock	12/15/2006	M	145,400	A	\$ 17.36	774,572	D
Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	1,500	D	\$ 44.09	773,072	D
Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	400	D	\$ 44.08	772,672	D
Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	3,100	D	\$ 44.07	769,572	D
Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	1,000	D	\$ 44.06	768,572	D
Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	4,000	D	\$ 44.05	764,572	D
	12/15/2006	S	9,200	D		755,372	D

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Common Stock					\$ 44.04		
Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	19,200	D	\$ 44.03	736,172	D
Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	6,200	D	\$ 44.02	729,972	D
Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	5,600	D	\$ 44.01	724,372	D
Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	95,200	D	\$ 44	629,172	D

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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)	2 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	iorDeriv Secu Acqu Disp	fumber of ivative urities uritied (A) or possed of (D) tr. 3, 4, and	ative Expiration Date ities (Month/Day/Year) ired (A) or sed of (D)		7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.36	12/14/2006		M		100,000	<u>(2)</u>	12/03/2012	Common Stock	100,00
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.41 (3)	12/14/2006		M		315,000	<u>(1)</u>	12/02/2013	Common Stock	315,00 ( <u>3)</u>
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.36	12/15/2006		M		145,400	<u>(2)</u>	12/03/2012	Common Stock	145,40

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Relationships					
<b>FB</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
ROCK DOUGLAS L								
PO BOX 60068	X		COB, CEO, President & COO					
HOUSTON, TX 77205								

# **Signatures**

Douglas L. Rock

12/18/2006

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

## **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) The option vests in four equal annual installments on Dec. 2, 2004, Dec. 2, 2005, Dec. 2, 2006 and Dec. 2, 2007.
- (2) The option vests in four equal annual installments on Dec. 3, 2003, Dec. 3, 2004, Dec. 3, 2005 and Dec. 3, 2006.
- (3) This option was previously reported as covering 210,000 shares at an exercise price of \$38.82 per share, but was adjusted to reflect the stock split on Aug. 24, 2005.

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