TARGET CORP Form 4 July 07, 2005

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * STALEY WARREN R

(First) (Middle)

1000 NICOLLET MALL

(Street)

(State)

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55403

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

TARGET CORP [TGT] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 07/05/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Person

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

5. Amount of

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

Common Stock,

\$.0833 per share

3,057

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sl
Deferred Compensation Units	(1)	07/05/2005	07/06/2005	A	26.534 (1)	07/05/2005(1)	(2)	Common Stock	26. <u>(</u>

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
STALEY WARREN R 1000 NICOLLET MALL MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55403	X						

Signatures

By: Jeffrey A. Proulx, 07/07/2005 Attorney-In-Fact

**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).

Acquired pursuant to the Target Corporation Director Deferred Compensation Plan (the "Plan"). Under the terms of the Plan, participants are invested in units which reflect the value of the amount of compensation deferred. The value of the units reported is adjusted to reflect

- approximately the rate of return of Target Corporation common stock plus a 2% annual enhancement . The units are not convertible into Target Corporation common stock, nor is any specific number of shares of such stock deemed to underlie each unit. Amounts deemed invested in units whose value is derived from Target Corporation stock may be transferred into other investment alternatives under the
- Units reported are payable only in cash generally following termination of the reporting person's service as a director of Target

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