EQUIFAX INC Form 4 October 02, 2006

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

Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

WARD JACKIE M

(First) (Last)

(Middle)

1550 PEACHTREE STREET, N.W.

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

EQUIFAX INC [EFX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 09/29/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Officer (give title

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(Instr. 4)

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership

(9-02)

(Instr. 4)

Indirect

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Person

5. Amount of

Securities

Owned

Beneficially

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

Issuer

below)

X_ Director

(City) (State)

ATLANTA, GA 30309

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

(Zip)

Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

or

Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 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)

1. Title of 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Security or Exercise (Instr. 3) Price of

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

4. Transactionof Code Derivative (Instr. 8) Securities

5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8. Price **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

Derivati Security (Instr. 5)

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Derivative Acquired Security (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

> Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration Title Amount Exercisable Date or

> > Number of Shares

Phantom

Common (1) Stock (1) 09/29/2006 A 272 272 \$ 36.7 Stock Units

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WARD JACKIE M 1550 PEACHTREE STREET, N.W. X ATLANTA, GA 30309

Signatures

By: Kathryn J. Harris as 10/02/2006 Attorney-in-Fact for

> **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 common stock. The shares of phantom stock become payable, in cash, at the election of the reporting person, upon the reporting person's termination of service as a director.

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