OWEN CLARENCE B

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * OWEN CLARENCE B | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol USG CORP [usg] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | |
|---|----------|----------|--|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| | | | (Month/Day/Year) | Director 10% Owner | | | |
| USG CORP, 125 S FRANKLIN | | | 08/04/2005 | _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify | | | |
| STREET DEPT 188 | | | | below) below) | | | |
| OTREET DE | 21 1 100 | | | Vice President | | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | | |
| | | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) | | | |
| | | | · | _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | |
| CHICAGO, IL 60606 | | | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac | quired. Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner | | | |

| (City) | (State) (Z | Zip) Table | I - Non-D | erivative : | Secur | ities Acquir | ed, Disposed of, o | 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) | Code (Instr. 8) | (A) or | | 5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| Common stock | 08/04/2005 | | Code V M | Amount 2,938 | (D) | Price \$ 50.0419 | 7,100 | D | |
| Common stock | 08/04/2005 | | F | 814 | D | \$ 50.0419 | 7,100 | D | |
| Commomn stock | 08/04/2005 | | M | 3,457 | D | \$ 50.0419 | 7,100 | D | |
| Common stock | 08/04/2005 | | F | 607 | D | \$ 50.0419 | 7,100 | D | |
| Common stock | 08/04/2005 | | M | 6,292 | D | \$ 50.0419 | 7,100 | D | |

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Common stock 08/04/2005 F 3,041 A \$ 7,100 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) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of or 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) | |
|---|---|---|---|--|--|--------|--|--------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amour or Number of Sha |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 29.4 | 08/04/2005 | | M | | 5,000 | 01/02/1998 | 01/02/2006 | Common stock | 5,00 |
| Employee Stock Option | \$ 34.6 | 08/04/2005 | | M | | 5,000 | 01/02/1999 | 01/02/2007 | Common stock | 5,00 |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 22.49 | 08/04/2005 | | M | | 14,000 | 01/02/2003 | 01/02/2011 | Commmon stock | 14,00 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

OWEN CLARENCE B

USG CORP

125 S FRANKLIN STREET DEPT 188 CHICAGO, IL 60606 Vice President

Relationships

Reporting Owners 2

Signatures

Robert J. Burrell, Attorney-In-Fact 08/04/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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