FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person CONSUMER PORTFOLIO SERVICES **TERRY CHRIS** Director 10% Owner **INC** [cpss] Officer (give title Other (specify X below) below) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Senior Vice President 12/30/2005 16355 LAGUNA CANYON ROAD 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable (Street) Line) 01/03/2006 **IRVINE** 92618 Form filed by One Reporting Person CA Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of 6. Ownership Form: Direct 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 7. Nature of Indirect Execution Date, Transaction Securities (Month/Dav/Year) Beneficially if anv Code (Instr. (D) or Indirect Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) 8) Owned Following (I) (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) Reported (A) or (D) Transaction(s) Code ν Price Amount (Instr. 3 and 4) Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivating Security (Instr. 3)	/e Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (saction of le (Instr. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr.		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$6	12/30/2005		A		46,000		12/30/2005	12/30/2015	common stock	46,000	(1)	46,000	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Issued in consideration of the named person's services as an officer and employee of the Issuer.

Chris Terry 01/04/2006

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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