FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* CAMPBELL PHYLLIS J | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALASKA AIR GROUP INC [ALK] | | | | | | | | | | plicable) | g Person(s) to | Issuer Owner |
|---|--|---------|------|--|--|--|--|------------------|----------------------------|---|--------|------------------|--|---|--|--|--|---|
| (Last) | (First) (Middle) | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/17/2005 | | | | | | | | | Offic belo | er (give title w) | Other below | (specify) |
| 19300 INTERNATIONAL BOULEVARD SOUTH | | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | r) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) | | | | |
| (Street) SEATTL | E W | A 9 | 8188 | | | | | | | | | | X | X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| (City) | (Sta | ate) (Z | Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y | | | | | Year) if | Execution Date, | | | 3. 4. Securiti Disposed 5) | | | | | 4 and Secu | | ficially ed | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) o | (A) or (D) | | Repo | | (111501.4) | (111501. 4) |
| Common Stock 05/17/200 | | | | | 05 | | | J ⁽¹⁾ | | 527 | A | A \$28. | | | 2,256 | D | | |
| | 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) | ative Conversion Date Execution Date, rity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any | | | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date | | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares | | of Dei Sec (Ins. | Price vivative curity str. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Grant of shares in payment of director annual retainer under a plan exempt under 16b-3(d).
- 2. The acquisition price is the average closing price on the NYSE for the 30 trading days immediately preceding the stock purchase date.

Remarks:

Shannon K. Alberts - by power of attorney 05/19/2005

** 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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