EXPRESS SCRIPTS INC

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WALTMAN HOWARD L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

EXPRESS SCRIPTS INC [ESRX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

05/24/2006

X Director Officer (give title

10% Owner

Other (specify

C/O EXPRESS SCRIPTS.

(Street)

INC., 13900 RIVERPORT DRIVE

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

below)

MARYLAND HEIGHTS, MO 63043

Common

Stock

(City) (State) (Zip)

05/24/2006

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

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

3 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

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

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Code V Amount (D) Price

\$0 A 928 A

106,928

(1)

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number out Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration E (Month/Day	Pate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 71.87	05/24/2006		A	4,685	<u>(2)</u>	05/24/2013	Express Scripts Inc. Common Stock	4,685

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
WALTMAN HOWARD L						
C/O EXPRESS SCRIPTS, INC.	X					
13900 RIVERPORT DRIVE	Λ					
MARYLAND HEIGHTS, MO 63043						

Signatures

Howard L. 05/24/2006 Waltman **Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).
- Grant of Restricted Stock pursuant to Express Scripts, Inc. 2000 Long-Term Incentive Plan. Restrictions lapse in three (3) equal installments on the first three (3) anniversaries of the grant date.
- Grant of Stock Appreciation Right pursuant to Express Scripts, Inc. 2000 Long-Term Incentive Plan. Vests in three (3) equal installments **(2)** on the first three anniversaries of the grant date.

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