

EXPRESS SCRIPTS INC

Form 4

August 09, 2006

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
IGNACZAK EDWARD B

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O EXPRESS SCRIPTS,
INC., 13900 RIVERPORT DRIVE

(Street)

MARYLAND
HEIGHTS, MO 63043

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
EXPRESS SCRIPTS INC [ESRX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/08/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title _____ Other (specify
below) below)

SVP of Sales and AM

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/08/2006		M ⁽¹⁾	26,666 A	\$ 23.975 68,790	D	
Common Stock	08/08/2006		S ⁽¹⁾	26,666 D	\$ 80.0517 42,124	D	
Common Stock	08/08/2006		M ⁽¹⁾	4,420 A	\$ 37.58 46,544	D	
Common Stock	08/08/2006		S ⁽¹⁾	4,420 D	\$ 80.0517 42,124	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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	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)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)	\$ 23.975	08/08/2006		M ⁽¹⁾	26,666	⁽²⁾ 12/18/2009	Express Scripts Inc. Common Stock	26,666
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right-to-Buy)	\$ 37.58	08/08/2006		M ⁽¹⁾	4,420	⁽²⁾ 03/05/2011	Express Scripts Inc. Common Stock	4,420

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
IGNACZAK EDWARD B C/O EXPRESS SCRIPTS, INC. 13900 RIVERPORT DRIVE MARYLAND HEIGHTS, MO 63043	SVP of Sales and AM

Signatures

Edward Ignaczak 08/06/2006

**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).
- (1) The transactions reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by Reporting Person on March 3, 2006.
- (2) Options vest in three equal installments on the first three anniversaries of the grant date.
- (3) Employee Stock Option granted pursuant to Express Scripts, Inc. 2000 Long-Term Incentive Plan.

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