### TETRA TECHNOLOGIES INC

Form 4 July 10, 2006

## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* MCINNES ALLEN T

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

TETRA TECHNOLOGIES INC

[TTI]

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 07/07/2006

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

\_ Other (specify

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

**OMB** 

Number:

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**25025 INTERSTATE 45** NORTH, SUITE 600

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_\_ Director

Officer (give title

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

#### THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380

| (City)                               | (State)                                 | (Zip) Tab   | le I - Non-l                           | Derivative                               | Secur            | ities Acqui  | red, Disposed of,  | or Beneficiall                                | y Owned   |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|--|------------------|--------------|--|---|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transactio<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securit<br>for Dispos<br>(Instr. 3, 4 | ed of (4 and 5   | ` ′          | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|                                      |   |   | Code V                                 | Amount                                   | (A)<br>or<br>(D) | Price        | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)  | (Instr. 4)                                    |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 07/07/2006                              |   | M                                      | 27,000                                   | A                | \$<br>4.6556 | 54,566 (1)   | D   |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 07/07/2006                              |   | S                                      | 200                                      | D                | \$ 30.4      | 54,366   | D   |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 07/07/2006                              |   | S                                      | 600                                      | D                | \$ 30.38     | 53,766   | D   |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 07/07/2006                              |   | S                                      | 200                                      | D                | \$ 30.37     | 53,566   | D   |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 07/07/2006                              |   | S                                      | 100                                      | D                | \$ 30.36     | 53,466   | D   |   |

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| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 200   | D | \$ 30.35 53,266 | D |
|-----------------|------------|---|-------|---|-----------------|---|
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 400   | D | \$ 30.34 52,866 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 200   | D | \$ 30.33 52,666 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 300   | D | \$ 30.31 52,366 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 200   | D | \$ 30.3 52,166  | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 1,800 | D | \$ 30.28 50,366 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 900   | D | \$ 30.27 49,466 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 400   | D | \$ 30.26 49,066 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 100   | D | \$ 30.25 48,966 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 800   | D | \$ 30.24 48,166 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 400   | D | \$ 30.23 47,766 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 500   | D | \$ 30.22 47,266 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 700   | D | \$ 30.21 46,566 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 400   | D | \$ 30.2 46,166  | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 300   | D | \$ 30.19 45,866 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 900   | D | \$ 30.15 44,966 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 100   | D | \$ 30.14 44,866 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 2,000 | D | \$ 30.13 42,866 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 400   | D | \$ 30.12 42,466 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 900   | D | \$ 30.11 41,566 | D |
|                 | 07/07/2006 | S | 500   | D | \$ 30.1 41,066  | D |

| Common<br>Stock |            |   |       |   |                 |   |
|-----------------|------------|---|-------|---|-----------------|---|
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 200   | D | \$ 30.09 40,866 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 1,900 | D | \$ 30.08 38,966 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 1,900 | D | \$ 30.07 37,066 | D |
| Common<br>Stock | 07/07/2006 | S | 1,000 | D | \$ 30.06 36,066 | 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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactio<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of ctionDerivative Securities  8) 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<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                                     |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|--|--|--------|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
|   |   |                                      | Code V                                 | (A)  | (D)    | Date<br>Exercisable                                      | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shares |
| Director<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)    | \$ 4.6556   | 07/07/2006                           | M                                      |  | 27,000 | 06/01/2002   | 01/01/2007         | Common<br>Stock   | 27,000                              |

# **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |  |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |
| MCINNES ALLEN T<br>25025 INTERSTATE 45 NORTH<br>SUITE 600<br>THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380 | X             |           |         |       |  |  |  |

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# **Signatures**

Eileen M. Price, AIF for Allen T.
McInnes

07/10/2006

\*\*Signature of 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).

Date

(1) On May 15, 2006, the Common Stock of TETRA Technologies, Inc. split 2-for-1, resulting in the reporting person's acquisition of 13,783 additional shares of Common Stock.

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