INPUT OUTPUT INC

Form 4

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

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LAPEYRE JAMES M JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

INPUT OUTPUT INC [IO]

(Check all applicable)

Officer (give title

(First) (Middle) (Last)

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

12300 PARC CREST DRIVE

(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Director below)

10% Owner Other (specify

12/01/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

STAFFORD, TX 77477

1.Title of

Security

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or 5. Amount of Securities

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial

(Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Beneficially Owned Following (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

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Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Conversion Security or Exercise

Price of

(Instr. 3)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

5. Number of 4 TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A)

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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Derivative or Disposed of Security (D)

(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration Title Amount or

Exercisable Date

> Number of Shares

Option to

purchase \$ 10.85 12/01/2006 common

A 12,500

12/01/2006 12/01/2016

Common 12,500 Stock

stock (1)

Reporting Owners

Relationships

Reporting Owner Name / Address

10% Director Officer Other Owner

LAPEYRE JAMES M JR 12300 PARC CREST DRIVE STAFFORD, TX 77477

X

Signatures

/s/ Debra A. Addington, attorney-in-fact

12/05/2006

**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) Issued pursuant to the Second Amended and Restated Input/Output, Inc. 2004 Long-term Incentive Plan.

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