

KATZ JAMES L  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
KATZ JAMES L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

333 NORTH MICHIGAN, SUITE 1901

(Street)

CHICAGO, IL 60601

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
EZ EM INC [EZM]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
01/17/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock					10,874	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. 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Common Stock Option <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 12.66	01/17/2005		A		24,000		01/17/2005	01/16/2015	Common Stock	24,000
Common Stock Option <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 3.5521							07/26/1996	07/25/2005	Common Stock	9,973
Common Stock Option <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 8.0794							06/01/1997	05/31/2006	Common Stock	967
Common Stock Option <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 4.789							05/31/1998	05/30/2007	Common Stock	940
Common Stock Option <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 3.8006							05/30/1999	05/29/2008	Common Stock	912
Common Stock Option <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 3.2346							05/29/2000	05/28/2009	Common Stock	912
Common Stock Option <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 4.2049							06/03/2001	06/02/2010	Common Stock	912
Common Stock Option <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 3.3639							06/02/2002	06/01/2011	Common Stock	912
Common Stock Option <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 5.8222							06/01/2003	05/31/2012	Common Stock	912
Common Stock Option <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 5.434							05/31/2004	05/30/2013	Common Stock	912
Common Stock Option <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 12.0971							05/29/2005	05/28/2014	Common Stock	912

