

O REILLY AUTOMOTIVE INC  
 Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â McCready David</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>233 S PATTERSON AVE</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>SPRINGFIELD, Â MO Â 65801</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>03/03/2005</p>	<p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>O REILLY AUTOMOTIVE INC [ORLY]</p>	<p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other</p> <p>(give title below) (specify below)</p> <p>SVP of Distribution</p>	<p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p>	<p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	212	D	Â
Common Stock	3	I	Held under the Company's 401K Plan.
Common Stock	372	I	Held under the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
Common Stock	166	I	Held in Escrow under the Performance Incentive Plan.

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Employee stock options with tandem withholding right	06/14/2002	06/14/2011	Common Stock	1,250	\$ 26.51	I	Held in Employee Stock Option Plan.
Employee stock options with tandem withholding right	11/19/2003	11/19/2012	Common Stock	40,000	\$ 24.96	I	Held in Employee Stock Option Plan.
Employee stock options with tandem withholding right	04/09/2002	04/09/2011	Common Stock	2,000	\$ 20.35	I	Held in Employee Stock Option Plan.

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
McCready David 233 S PATTERSON AVE SPRINGFIELD, MO 65801	^	^	^ SVP of Distribution	^

## Signatures

David  
McCready  
03/03/2005

Date

\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).

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