

## SYKES ENTERPRISES INC

# Reported by **HOLDER JAMES T**

#### FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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Sector Technology

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *               |        |   |                   | 2. Issi                                       | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol           |   |                                 |  |   |   |            | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)                |   |   |                   |   |
|---|--------|---|-------------------|---|---|---|---------------------------------|--|---|---|------------|--|---|---|-------------------|---|
| HOLDER  | JAM    | ES T  |                   |   | SYK   | ES ENT  | ERPR                            | RIS  | SES IN  | IC [ S  | SYK        | _  |   |   |                   |   |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 400 N. ASHLEY DRIVE, SUITE 2800 |        |   |                   |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY) 8/6/2009 |   |                                 |  |   |   |            | Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  SVP & Secretary |   |   |                   |   |
| TAMPA,  |        | (Street)  | , ~               |   |   | Amendmen  | t, Date (                       | )<br>Ori   | ginal F   | iled (M   | M/DD/      | YYYY) 6. Individual or<br>Line)  |   |   | g (Check Ap       | plicable  |
|   | (City) | (State)   | (Zip)             | )   |   |   |                                 |  |   |   |            | X Form filed by Form filed by M  |   |   | Person            |   |
|   |        |   | Ta                | ible I - No                                   | n-Deriva  | tive Secur  | ities Acc                       | qui  | ired, Di  | ispose  | d of, o    | or Beneficially Owne   | ed  |   |                   |   |
| 1.Title of Securit<br>(Instr. 3)                        | ty     |   |                   |   | 2. Trans.<br>Date                                     | 2A.<br>Deemed<br>Execution<br>Date, if any                | 3. Trans.<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) |  | 4. Secur<br>(A) or D<br>(Instr. 3,                  | isposed   | of (D)     |  | ing Reported Transaction(s)  Ownership of Inc.  and 4)  Ownership Form: |   |                   | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership |
|   |        |   |                   |   |   | Date, if any  | Code                            | v  | Amount  | (A)<br>or<br>(D)  | Price      |  |   |   |                   | (Instr. 4)  |
| Common Stock  |        |   |                   |   | 8/6/2009  |   | S                               |  | 324   | D   | 821.50     | 234  | ı   |   | D                 |   |
|   |        | Table II  | - Deriva          | tive Secur                                    | ities Ben   | eficially O   | wned (                          | e.g.   | . , puts  | , calls,  | warr       | ants, options, conve   | rtible sec  | curities)                                 |                   |   |
| 1. Title of Deriva<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)            |        | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Trans.<br>Date | 3A.<br>Deemed<br>Execution<br>Date, if<br>any | 4. Trans.<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8)                       | de Derivative Securities and Expiration Date Securities U |                                 | itle and Amount of<br>urities Underlying<br>vative Security<br>r. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number<br>of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following | Derivative | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)                     |   |   |                   |   |
|   |        |   |                   |   | Code V  | (A)   |                                 | Dat<br>Exe   | e<br>ercisable                                      | Expiration<br>Date  | on Title   | Amount or Number of<br>Shares  |   | Reported<br>Transaction<br>(s) (Instr. 4) | (I) (Instr.<br>4) |   |

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owners               |               |           |                         |       |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| Paparting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |           |                         |       |  |  |  |  |
| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Director      | 10% Owner | officer SVP & Secretary | Other |  |  |  |  |
| HOLDER JAMES T                 |               |           |                         |       |  |  |  |  |
| 400 N. ASHLEY DRIVE            |               |           | CVD & Comptons          |       |  |  |  |  |
| SUITE 2800                     |               |           | SVP & Secretary         |       |  |  |  |  |
| TAMPA, FL 33602                |               |           |                         |       |  |  |  |  |

#### Signatures

/s/ Martin A. Traber, Attorney-In-Fact for James T. Holder

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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