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| (Print or Type | Responses) | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Name and GILL JEFF | Symbol | er Name an S SOLUT | | or Trading NC [SYPR | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | | | |
| (Last) 101 BULL | | of Earliest T Day/Year) 2005 | ransactio | n | X Director X 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President and CEO | | | | | |
| LOUISVII | | endment, D onth/Day/Yea | - | nal | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting | | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Tab | la I Non l | Dorivotiv | o Socuritios / | Person Acquired, Disposed | of or Bonoficio | lly Ownod | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | Execution any | ed Date, if | 3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) Code V | 4. Secur nAcquire Dispose (Instr. 3 | ities d (A) or d of (D) 4 and 5) (A) or | 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 Indirect | |
| Reminder: Re | port on a separate lin | e for each cla | ass of sec | urities bene | Pers infor requ | ons who re mation con ired to resp | or indirectly. spond to the colle tained in this forr ond unless the fo ntly valid OMB co | n are not orm | SEC 1474 (9-02) | |

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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 | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. Number of | 6. Date Exercisable and | 7. Title and Amount o |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------|--------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transacti | orDerivative | Expiration Date | Underlying Securities |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | Securities | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 3 and 4) |

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| (Instr. 3) | Price of Derivative Security | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. | 8) | Acquired (or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | ed of | | | | |
|--|------------------------------------|------------|------------------|---------|----|---|-------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|------------------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Share |
| Option (Right to Buy) <u>(1)</u> | \$ 11.92 | 07/01/2005 | | А | | 20,000 | | 07/01/2008(2) | 07/01/2011 | Common Stock | 20,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|------------|-------------------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| 1 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | | |
| GILL JEFFREY T 101 BULLITT LN., STE. 450 LOUISVILLE, KY 40222 | Х | Х | President and CEO | | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | | | |
| Carroll A. Dunavent, by POA c Commission | h | 07/06/2005 | | | | | | |
| <u>**</u> Signature of Reporting | | 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) Options granted pursuant to the 2004 Sypris Equity Plan.

(2) Vesting: 30% on July 1, 2008; 30% on July 1, 2009 and 40% on July 1, 2010.

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