

MULHOLLAND MICHAEL D
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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 *
 MULHOLLAND MICHAEL D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 BARRETT BUSINESS SERVICES INC [BBSI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 4724 SW MACADAM AVENUE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/06/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 VP Finance & Secretary

PORTLAND, OR 97239

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	12/06/2005		M		10,100	A	\$ 2 10,850
Common Stock	12/06/2005		M		6,750	A	\$ 2.01 17,600
Common Stock	12/06/2005		M		150	A	\$ 2.42 17,750
Common Stock	12/06/2005		S		17,000	D	\$ 26 750 ⁽¹⁾

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)

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 2	12/06/2005		M	10,100	08/20/2003 ⁽²⁾ 08/20/2012	Common Stock	10,100
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.01	12/06/2005		M	6,750	06/04/2004 ⁽²⁾ 06/04/2013	Common Stock	6,750
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.42	12/06/2005		M	150	03/01/2002 ⁽²⁾ 03/01/2011	Common Stock	150

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MULHOLLAND MICHAEL D 4724 SW MACADAM AVENUE PORTLAND, OR 97239			VP Finance & Secretary	

Signatures

Michael D.
Mulholland

12/08/2005

**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) Amounts shown reflect 3-for-2 stock split effective May 19, 2005.

(2) Becomes exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on date shown.

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