## FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington,	D.C.	20549
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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  SMITH ROBERT F						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CENDANT CORP [ CD ]										nip of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer opticable) ector 10% Owner		
(Last) 9 WEST	(Fi	,	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/27/2006								Offic belov	er (give title w)		Other (specify below)	
(Street) NEW YO			.0019 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Indir Line) X	ridual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				4. Securitie Disposed (				Secur Benef	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	Pr Pr	ice	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(11341.4)
Common Stock (series designated CD stock)				04/27/	04/27/2006				A		1,668	A	. \$1	17.38 <sup>(1)</sup>	32,256		I	Dirs. NQ Def. Comp. Plan
	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)  (Month/Day/Year)  34. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			on Date,		5. Number of of Derivative		ative rities ired osed	6. Date Expirati (Month/	on Da		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		Deri Sec (Ins	ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	able	Expiration Date	Title	or Numb of Share					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Award represents second quarter 2006 non-employee director retainer fee and reinvestment of previously credited dividend equivalents. All shares are deferred into the 1999 Non-Employee Directors Deferred Compensation Plan and converted into deferred stock units thereunder. Payable upon termination of service as a director in accordance with the plan.

## Remarks:

Jean M. Sera, by Power of Attorney for Robert F. Smith

05/01/2006

\*\* 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).
- \*\* 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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