

FIRST DATA CORP  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 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)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
DUQUES HENRY C

(Last) (First) (Middle)

6200 SOUTH QUEBEC STREET

(Street)

GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
FIRST DATA CORP [FDC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/16/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

Chief Executive Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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 or Price		
Common Stock	03/16/2006		M		91,248 A \$ 22.4375		D
Common Stock	03/16/2006		M		108,752 A \$ 23		D
Common Stock	03/16/2006		M		40,000 A \$ 24.9844		D
Common Stock	03/16/2006		S <sup>(1)</sup>		3,500 D \$ 47.56		D
Common Stock	03/16/2006		S <sup>(1)</sup>		2,900 D \$ 47.57		D

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Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	5,000	D	\$ 47.58	1,174,755	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	500	D	\$ 47.59	1,174,255	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	3,900	D	\$ 47.62	1,170,355	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	11,000	D	\$ 47.63	1,159,355	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	4,900	D	\$ 47.65	1,154,455	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	4,000	D	\$ 47.69	1,150,455	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	11,200	D	\$ 47.7	1,139,255	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 47.71	1,139,055	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	4,100	D	\$ 47.74	1,134,955	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	3,000	D	\$ 47.75	1,131,955	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	2,900	D	\$ 47.76	1,129,055	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	5,000	D	\$ 47.77	1,124,055	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	6,500	D	\$ 47.78	1,117,555	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	9,100	D	\$ 47.79	1,108,455	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	7,600	D	\$ 47.81	1,100,855	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	6,200	D	\$ 47.82	1,094,655	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	1,700	D	\$ 47.84	1,092,955	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	4,200	D	\$ 47.85	1,088,755	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	3,000	D	\$ 47.87	1,085,755	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	3,000	D	\$ 47.88	1,082,755	D
	03/16/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	2,700	D	\$ 47.89	1,080,055	D

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Common Stock								
Common Stock	03/16/2006		S <sup>(1)</sup>	5,200	D	\$ 47.9	1,074,855	D
Common Stock	03/16/2006		S <sup>(1)</sup>	1,900	D	\$ 47.91	1,072,955	D
Common Stock							8,536	I
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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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.4375	03/16/2006		M	91,248	12/08/2002 04/01/2006	Common Stock	91,248	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.9844	03/16/2006		M	40,000	02/02/2003 04/01/2006	Common Stock	40,000	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23	03/16/2006		M	108,752	06/08/1999 04/01/2006	Common Stock	108,752	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

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	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
DUQUES HENRY C 6200 SOUTH QUEBEC STREET GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111	X		Chief Executive Officer	

## Signatures

By: Stanley J. Andersen,  
Attorney-in-Fact

03/17/2006

\_\_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) Sale pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Sales Plan.

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