INVACARE CORP Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * THOMPSON GREGORY C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

INVACARE CORP [IVC]

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

09/08/2005

Director 10% Owner Other (specify

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

X_ Officer (give title below) below)

Chief Financial Officer

ONE INVACARE WAY

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

ELYRIA, OH 44035

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

(A) or

Reported Transaction(s)

15,913

(Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price

Common Shares

Security

(Instr. 3)

Code V Amount

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

D

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number proof 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 or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 41.87	09/08/2005		A(1)	5,600	09/30/2006	09/08/2015	Common Shares	5,600
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 41.87	09/08/2005		A(1)	5,600	09/30/2007	09/08/2015	Common Shares	5,600
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 41.87	09/08/2005		A(1)	5,600	09/30/2008	09/08/2015	Common Shares	5,600
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 41.87	09/08/2005		A(1)	5,600	09/30/2009	09/08/2015	Common Shares	5,600

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

THOMPSON GREGORY C ONE INVACARE WAY ELYRIA, OH 44035

Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Gregory C. Thompson, by Douglas A. Neary, his attorney-in-fact, pursuant to Power of Attorney, dated August 24, 2004 on file with the Commission.

09/12/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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) The reporting person was granted options to purchase Common Shares (with tandem tax withholding rights) under the Invacare Corporation 2003 Performance Plan in reliance upon an exemption provided under Rule 16b-3.
 - The reporting person holds previously reported options to buy 136,700 Common Shares (with tandem tax withholding rights) under the Invacare Corporation 1994 Performance Plan and the Invacare Corporation 2003 Performance Plan, granted in reliance upon the
- (2) exemption provided by Rule 16b-3. All options were granted between November 4, 2002 and August 24, 2004, at exercise prices between \$32.70 to \$44.30 per share, will expire between November 4, 2012 and August 24, 2014 and became or will become exercisable between November 4, 2003 and September 30, 2008.

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