

WORLD ACCEPTANCE CORP  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
 MCLEAN A A III

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 WORLD ACCEPTANCE CORP  
 [WRLD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 PO BOX 6429  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 05/08/2006

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Chief Executive Officer

GREENVILLE, SC 29606

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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**

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)	(A) or (D)	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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	Price		
Common Stock, no par value	05/05/2006		M		6,800	A \$ 6.75	113,680	D
Common Stock, no par value	05/05/2006		M		21,304	A \$ 5.41	134,984	D
Common stock, no par value	05/05/2006		M		6,000	A \$ 5.18	140,984	D
Common stock, no	05/05/2006		S		34,104	D \$	106,880	D
						31.97		

par value

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			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
					Acquired (A)	or Disposed of (D)	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		
Employee stock option, right to buy	\$ 6.75	05/05/2006		M		6,800		07/18/1997	07/18/2006	common	6,800
employee stock option, right to buy	\$ 5.41	05/05/2006		M		21,304		04/01/1998	04/01/2007	common	21,304
Employee stock option, right to buy	\$ 5.18	05/05/2006		M		6,000		04/29/1998	04/29/2007	common	6,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MCLEAN A A III PO BOX 6429 GREENVILLE, SC 29606			Chief Executive Officer	

## Signatures

A. A. McLean  
III

05/08/2006

\_\_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).

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