WATSON WYATT & CO HOLDINGS

Form 4

September 30, 2005

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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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

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

HALEY JOHN J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

WATSON WYATT & CO **HOLDINGS [WW]**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

901 N GLEBE ROAD

(Street)

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

09/28/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

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_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

President and C.E.O.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

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

ARLINGTON, VA 22203

Security

(Instr. 3)

(City) (State) 1. Title of

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip) 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

> Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Form: Direct (T)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration	7. Title and Amount
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	onof Derivative	Date	Underlying Securitie
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)	d of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Shares
Deferred Stock Unit	\$ 0 (1)	09/28/2005		A		5,557		08/08/1988(1)	08/08/1988(1)	Class A Common Stock	5,55

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
reporting o mior runne, runness	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
HALEY JOHN J 901 N GLEBE ROAD ARLINGTON, VA 22203	X		President and C.E.O.					

Signatures

Cindy Boyle, attorney-in-fact 09/30/2005

**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) Award of deferred stock units, the settlement of which will be deferred until retirement or termination of employment at the market share price on such date.

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