

PARKE JAMES A
Form 4
August 18, 2005

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PARKE JAMES A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**GENERAL ELECTRIC
COMPANY, 3135 EASTON
TURNPIKE**

(Street)

FAIRFIELD, CT 06828

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

GENERAL ELECTRIC CO [GE]

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

08/18/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Senior Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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)			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	(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	08/18/2005		M		198,000	A \$ 10.65	372,670 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	08/18/2005		S		13,700	D \$ 34.09	358,970 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	08/18/2005		S		86,200	D \$ 34.1	272,770 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	08/18/2005		S		2,000	D \$ 34.11	270,770 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	08/18/2005		S		10,500	D \$ 34.12	260,270 ⁽¹⁾	D	

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Common Stock	08/18/2005	S	7,025	D	\$ 34.13	253,245 ⁽¹⁾	D
Common Stock						68,566	I By 401(k)

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 of Number of Shares
Stock Option Exercise (right to buy)	\$ 10.65	08/18/2005		M		198,000		09/15/1998	09/15/2005	Common Stock	198,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PARKE JAMES A GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY 3135 EASTON TURNPIKE FAIRFIELD, CT 06828			Senior Vice President	

Signatures

Eliza W. Fraser on behalf of James A. Parke 08/18/2005

__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) Total holding reduced by 3,145 shares to correct a prior computational error.

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