OPPENHEIMER PETER

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * OPPENHEIMER PETER			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol APPLE COMPUTER INC [AAPL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an approacte)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
1 INFINITE LOOP			01/03/2006	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior Vice President		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
CUPERTINO,	CA 95014		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	ities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit onor Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (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)
Common Stock	01/03/2006	01/03/2006	Code V M(1)	Amount 50,000	(D)	Price \$ 13.8125	14,143	D	
Common Stock	01/03/2006	01/03/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	50,000	D	\$ 72.35	14,143	D	
Common Stock	01/03/2006	01/03/2006	M <u>(1)</u>	50,000	A	\$ 13.8125	14,143	D	
Common Stock	01/03/2006	01/03/2006	S <u>(1)</u>	50,000	D	\$ 72.6	14,143	D	
Common Stock	01/03/2006	01/03/2006	M <u>(1)</u>	25,000	A	\$ 13.8125	14,143	D	

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Common Stock	01/03/2006	01/03/2006	S(1)	25,000	D	\$ 72.75	14,143	D
Common Stock	01/03/2006	01/03/2006	M <u>(1)</u>	35,000	A	\$ 13.8125	14,143	D
Common Stock	01/03/2006	01/03/2006	S(1)	35,000	D	\$ 72.76	14,143	D
Common Stock	01/03/2006	01/03/2006	M <u>(1)</u>	40,000	A	\$ 13.8125	14,143	D
Common Stock	01/03/2006	01/03/2006	S(1)	40,000	D	\$ 73	14,143	D

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)	2 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	onDeriv Secu Acqu Disp	umber of evative urities uired (A) or cosed of (D) tr. 3, 4, and	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour Numbe Shares
Employee Stock Option	\$ 13.8125	01/03/2006	01/03/2006	M <u>(1)</u>		15,000	08/03/2000	08/03/2009	Common Stock	15,00
Employee Stock Option	\$ 13.8125	01/03/2006	01/03/2006	M <u>(1)</u>		110,000	08/03/2001	08/03/2009	Common Stock	110,0
Employee Stock Option	\$ 13.8125	01/03/2006	01/03/2006	M <u>(1)</u>		75,000	08/03/2002	08/03/2009	Common Stock	75,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
OPPENHEIMER PETER			Senior Vice President					
1 INFINITE LOOP								

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Signatures

/s/ Peter

Oppenheimer 01/05/2006

**Signature of Date

Reporting Person

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 transactions reported on this Form 4 were made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on August 17, 2005.

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