

CONTINENTAL AIRLINES INC /DE/

Form 4

October 23, 2006

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
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2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
CONTINENTAL AIRLINES INC
/DE/ [CAL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1600 SMITH STREET, HQSEO
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/20/2006

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)
President

HOUSTON, TX 77002

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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)
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006		S	44.7007	D	\$ 34.16	271,297.1661 (1) D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006		S	5,274.687	D	\$ 34.15	266,022.4788 D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006		S	5,140.585	D	\$ 34.14	260,881.8937 D
Class B Common	10/20/2006		S	2,592.643	D	\$ 34.13	258,289.2508 D

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Stock

Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	5,542.892	D	\$ 34.12	252,746.359	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	89.4015	D	\$ 34.11	252,656.9576	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	1,430.424	D	\$ 34.08	251,226.5339	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	894.0148	D	\$ 34.07	250,332.5191	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	536.4089	D	\$ 34.05	249,796.1102	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	89.4015	D	\$ 34.04	249,706.7087	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	268.2044	D	\$ 34.03	249,438.5043	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	89.4015	D	\$ 34.02	249,349.1028	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	2,190.336	D	\$ 34.01	247,158.7666	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	16,941.58	D	\$ 34	230,217.1861	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	1,475.124	D	\$ 33.96	228,742.0617	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	9,118.951	D	\$ 33.95	219,623.1108	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	312.9052	D	\$ 33.94	219,310.2056	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	223.5037	D	\$ 33.93	219,086.7019	D

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Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	575.2985	D	\$ 33.92	218,511.4034	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	4,470.074	D	\$ 33.9	214,041.3294	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	6,705.111	D	\$ 33.81	207,336.2184	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	4,470.074	D	\$ 33.8	202,866.1444	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	1,788.03	D	\$ 33.78	201,078.1148	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	447.0074	D	\$ 33.75	200,631.1074	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	6,705.111	D	\$ 33.7	193,925.9965	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	1,028.117	D	\$ 33.67	192,897.8795	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	1,206.92	D	\$ 33.66	191,690.9595	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	1,832.73	D	\$ 33.61	189,858.2291	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	11,577.49	D	\$ 33.6	178,280.7375	D
Class B Common Stock	10/20/2006	S	22,350.37	D	\$ 33.55	155,930.3676	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)

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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. 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SMISEK JEFFERY A 1600 SMITH STREET HQSEO HOUSTON, TX 77002	X		President	

Signatures

/s/ Jeffery A. Smisek by: Sarah E.
Hagy 10/23/2006

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) On October 20, 2006 the reporting person sold a total of 266,500 shares at an average price of \$33.5073. This Form 4 is the 2nd of 3 reports being filed to report these individual transactions. Following such transactions, the reporting person held a total of 12,888 shares.

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