REED AUSTIN F Form 4 January 04, 2005

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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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

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person **
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2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol

BRINKS CO [BCO]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 12/30/2004

1801 BAYBERRY COURT, P.O. BOX 18100

(Street)

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

RICHMOND, VA 23226

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

below)
VP, Gen'l Counsel & Secretary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person

____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

Person

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

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (T) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) Reported
or Transaction(s)
(D) Price (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price (Instr. 3 and

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

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(Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Security

(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Derivative
Securities
Acquired
(A) or
Disposed
of (D)
(Instr. 3,

Code V (A) (D) Date Exercisable Expiration Date Title

or Number

Amount

of Shares

Units \$ 0 (1)

12/30/2004

A 98 (1)

4, and 5)

01/01/2005(1) 01/01/2005(1)

 $05\underline{^{(1)}}$ Common Stock

98 (1)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

REED AUSTIN F 1801 BAYBERRY COURT P.O. BOX 18100 RICHMOND, VA 23226

VP, Gen'l Counsel & Secretary

Signatures

/s/ McAlister C. Marshall, II McAlister C. Marshall, II, Attorney-in-Fact

01/04/2005

**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).

This amount reflects an estimation of Units representing shares of The Brink's Company Common Stock ("BCO") to be credited to the

the Reporting Person has chosen to make bi-weekly salary deferrals to an incentive account. As of the end of each fiscal year, the amount of salary deferred to the account is converted into Units representing shares of BCO and credited to the Reporting Person's account in accordance with the terms of the Program. The amount listed above is an estimate of the value of these Units based upon trading prices of BCO for the two-week period ended December 31, 2004.

Reporting Person's account under the Key Employees' Deferred Compensation Program (the "Program"). Under the terms of the Program,

This balance has been adjusted to reflect actual allocation of Units to the Reporting Person?s account for the year ended December 31,

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