INVACARE CORP

Form 4

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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 ** RICHEY JOSEPH B II			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol INVACARE CORP [IVC]				ng	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			(Check all applicable)				
ONE INVA	ACARE WAY		(Month/D 11/03/20	-				X Director X Officer (g below)		0% Owner other (specify
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
ELYRIA, OH 44035			Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	Perivative	Secur	ities A	equired, Disposed	l of, or Benefic	ially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	ar) Execution	emed on Date, if Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) of (D) 4 and (A) or)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Shares								639,473	D	
Class B Common Shares								360,262	D	
Common Shares								8,954	I	By Invacare Retirement Savings Plan
Common Shares								10,134	I	By Charitable

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Remainder Unitrust Class B Common 16,000 Ι **IRA** Shares Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of SEC 1474 information contained in this form are not (9-02)required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

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 orDerivative 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 or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	<u>(2)</u>					(3)	(3)	Common Shares	232,500
Phantom Stock	(2) (4)					(5)	(5)	Common Shares	7,280.4086
Phantom Stock	<u>(4)</u>	11/03/2006		A	24.547	<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Shares	24.547

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
r	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
RICHEY JOSEPH B II ONE INVACARE WAY ELYRIA, OH 44035	X		Senior Vice President				

Signatures

/s/ Joseph B. Richey II, by Douglas A. Neary, his attorney-in-fact, pursuant to Power of Attorney, dated August 24, 2004 on file with the Commission.

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Date

**Signature of 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).
- Owned by Trustee for the Invacare Retirement Savings Plan. The information given is based on a Plan Statement of December 31, 2005, the most recent information reasonably available.
- (2) No transaction is being reported on this line. Reported on a previously filed Form 3, Form 4, or Form 5.
 - The reporting person holds previously reported options to buy 232,500 Common Shares (with tandem tax withholding rights) under the Invacare Corporation 1994 Performance Plan and the Invacare Corporation 2003 Performance Plan, granted in reliance upon the
- (3) exemption provided by Rule 16b-3. All options were granted between February 20, 1997 and August 23, 2006, at exercise prices between \$18.6875 to \$44.30 per share, will expire between February 20, 2007 and August 23, 2016 and became or will become exercisable between March 31, 1998 and September 30, 2010.
- (4) 1-for-1
- (5) Upon cessation of employment in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Invacare Corporation 401(k) Plus Benefit Equalization
- (6) Owned by Trustee for the Invacare Corporation 401(k) Plus Benefit Equalization Plan.
- (7) Upon cessation of employment in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Invacare Corporation Deferred Compensation Plus Plan.
- (8) Owned by Trustee for the Invacare Corporation Deferred Compensation Plus Plan.

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