

SMITH DEREK V  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SMITH DEREK V

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CHOICEPOINT INC [CPS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
1000 ALDERMAN DRIVE  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/01/2005

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Chairman & CEO

ALPHARETTA, GA 30005

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(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)
Common stock				(A) Amount Price	18,959	I	By Daughter's Trust
Common stock				(A) Amount Price	18,958	I	By Son's Trust
Common stock				(A) Amount Price	400	I	By Wife
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	12/31/2004 <sup>(1)</sup>	12/31/2004 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	947 A <u>1</u>	29,701	I	By 401(k) Plan
Common Stock	02/01/2005	02/01/2005	F	3,396 D \$ 46.12	409,744	D	

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Common Stock	02/01/2005	02/01/2005	M	21,140	A	\$ 6.5908	430,884	D
Common Stock	02/01/2005	02/01/2005	S	21,140	D	\$ 45.7302	409,744	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)	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 Type of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Stock option, right to buy <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 46.12	02/01/2005	02/01/2005	A	2,168			02/01/2008 <sup>(2)</sup>	02/01/2015 <sup>(2)</sup>	common
Stock option, right to buy <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ 46.12	02/01/2005	02/01/2005	A	47,832			02/01/2008 <sup>(3)</sup>	02/01/2015 <sup>(3)</sup>	common
Stock option, right to buy <sup>(4)</sup>	\$ 46.12	02/01/2005	02/01/2005	A	50,000			<sup>(4)</sup>	<sup>(4)</sup>	common
Phantom stock units <sup>(5)</sup>	\$ 46.12	02/01/2005	02/01/2005	A	50,000			<sup>(5)</sup>	<sup>(5)</sup>	common
Stock option, right to buy	\$ 6.5908	02/01/2005	02/01/2005	A		21,140		01/31/1997	01/31/2006	common

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

