FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name a | <u>WE</u> | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WESTWOOD HOLDINGS GROUP INC [WHG] | | | | | | | | | | heck all ap | plicable) ctor | ng Pe | 10% C | on(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify | | | | |
|--|---|---|--|--|---------------------------------|---|-------------|-------|-------------|-------------------------------------|---------|--|---|-------|--|---|--|--|--|---|
| | 200 CRESCENT COURT | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/23/2007 | | | | | | | | | | belo | er (give title w) xecutive V | | below) | |
| SUITE 1 | 200 | 4. If A | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) | | | | | | | |
| (Street) DALLAS | (Street) DALLAS TX 75201 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day | | | | | | Execution Date, | | | | Transaction D Code (Instr. a | | | . Securities Acquired (Anisposed Of (D) (Instr. 3 and 5) | | | Secur Benet Owne | icially d | For (D) Indi | irect (I) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
| | | | | | | | | | c | Code | v | Amoun | nt (A) or (D) | | Price | Repo Trans | following Reported Transaction(s) Instr. 3 and 4) | | str. 4) | (Instr. 4) |
| common stock 05/23/2 | | | | | | 07 | | | M | | 7,50 | 7,500 A | | \$12 | .9 6 | 66,095 | | D | | |
| 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) | if any | | 4. Transac Code (Ir 8) | tion | 5. Number 6 | | 6. D | Date Exer piration l onth/Day | ble and | nnd 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. | | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | , | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exe | te ercisable | | piration te | Title | or | ount mber ares | | | | | |
| stock option | \$12.9 | 05/23/2007 | | | M | | | 3,750 | 07/ | //02/2003 | 07/ | /02/2012 | commo stock | 3,7 | 750 | \$0 | 11,250 | | D | |
| stock option | \$12.9 | 05/23/2007 | | | M | | | 3,750 | 07/ | //02/2004 | 07/ | /02/2012 | commo stock | 3,7 | 750 | \$0 | 7,500 | | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

William R. Hardcastle, Jr. as attorney in fact

05/25/2007

** Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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