FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  FRAZE PATRICIA  (Last) (First) (Middle)  200 CRESCENT COURT  SUITE 1200  (Street)                  |                                                                                                                       |         |                                 |                                                                                     |  | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WESTWOOD HOLDINGS GROUP INC [WHG]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/26/2005  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) |                                                                                            |  |                                                                                       |                                                                                                                 |        |              |               |                | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)  Executive Vice President - WMC  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person |                                                     |                                                        |                                                                   |             |
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| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned                                                             |                                                                                                                       |         |                                 |                                                                                     |  |                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                            |  |                                                                                       |                                                                                                                 |        |              |               |                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                     |                                                        |                                                                   |             |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day                                                                                |                                                                                                                       |         |                                 |                                                                                     |  | Execution Date,                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                            |  | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. and 5) |                                                                                                                 |        |              |               | Se<br>Be<br>Ov | Amount of<br>curities<br>neficially<br>med<br>llowing                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                     | ect (I)                                                | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |             |
|                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                       |         |                                 |                                                                                     |  |                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                            |  | Code                                                                                  | v                                                                                                               | Amount |              | (A) or<br>(D) | Price          | Re<br>Tr                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | ported<br>ansaction(s)<br>str. 3 and 4)             | (III sti                                               | . 4)                                                              | (111301. 4) |
| common stock 07/26/20                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                       |         |                                 |                                                                                     |  | 2005                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                            |  | A                                                                                     |                                                                                                                 | 8,000  | )            | A             | \$             | )                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 52,595                                              |                                                        | D                                                                 |             |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |                                                                                                                       |         |                                 |                                                                                     |  |                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                            |  |                                                                                       |                                                                                                                 |        |              |               |                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                     |                                                        |                                                                   |             |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                                                                                          | ative Conversion or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) 3) Price of Derivative Security Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) |         | 4.<br>Transac<br>Code (II<br>8) | e (Instr. Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |  |                                                                                                                                                                                                      | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Exercisable Date |  |                                                                                       | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst. 3 and 4)  Amount or Numb of Title Share |        | ount<br>nber | Securit       |                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | wnership<br>orm:<br>rect (D)<br>Indirect<br>(Instr. | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |                                                                   |             |

Explanation of Responses:

William R. Hardcastle, Jr. as attorney in fact 07/28/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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