

KIRBY CORP  
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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 \*  
LAWRENCE CHARLES BERDON

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
55 WAUGH DRIVE, SUITE 1000  
(Street)

HOUSTON, TX 77007

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
KIRBY CORP [KEX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
10/31/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Chairman of the Board

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share	11/01/2005		M		55,000	A	\$ 21.5313
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share	11/01/2005		M		55,000	A	\$ 27.13
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share	11/01/2005		M		36,666	A	\$ 25.55

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Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share	11/01/2005	M	18,334	A	\$ 33.925	1,967,698	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share	10/31/2005	S	165,000	D	\$ 51.76	1,802,698	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share						506,302	I	Trusts <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share						3,349	I	401(k) Plan

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 Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 21.5313	11/01/2005		M	55,000	01/15/2004 <sup>(2)</sup> 01/15/2006	Common Stock	55,000	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.13	11/01/2005		M	55,000	01/28/2005 <sup>(2)</sup> 01/28/2007	Common Stock	55,000	
	\$ 25.55	11/01/2005		M	36,666	01/27/2005 <sup>(3)</sup> 01/27/2008		36,666	

Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)								Common Stock	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 33.925	11/01/2005	M	18,334	01/26/2005 <sup>(4)</sup>	01/26/2009		Common Stock	18,3

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LAWRENCE CHARLES BERDON 55 WAUGH DRIVE SUITE 1000 HOUSTON, TX 77007	X	X	Chairman of the Board	

## Signatures

G. Stephen Holcomb, Agent and  
Attorney-in-Fact

11/02/2005

\_\_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).
- These shares are owned by four trusts. Mr. Lawrence is not a beneficiary under any of the trusts, but under the terms of the instruments
- (1) pursuant to which all four trusts were created, Mr. Lawrence does have the right to reacquire the property constituting the principal of the trusts, including, but not limited to, the shares owned by the trusts by substituting property of equal value therefor.
  - (2) Original option exercisable 33% after one year, 67% after two years, and 100% after three years from date of grant.
  - (3) Original option of 55,000 shares exercisable 33% after one year and 67% after two years from date of grant.
  - (4) Original option of 55,000 shares exercisable 33% after one year from date of grant.

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