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LORE KERRY B Symbol			Symbol	er Name and Ticker or Trading SO ELECTRIC CO /TX/ [EE]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Month/I			3. Date of (Month/D 03/02/20	-				Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) VP Administration			
			endment, Date Original nth/Day/Year)				 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting 				
EL PASO, I	IX 79912							Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	ar) Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) Code V	4. Securi m(A) or Di (Instr. 3, Amount	ispose	d of (D)	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 Stock	02/28/2005			F	49	D	\$ 19.97	3,823	D		
Common Stock	02/28/2005			F	79	D	\$ 19.97	3,744	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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Date	Amou Unde Secur	le and unt of rlying rities (. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	7 (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
LORE KERRY B 6444 LOMA DE CRISTO DRIVE EL PASO, TX 79912			VP Administration					
Signatures								
Norma J. Ayoub as attorney in fact Lore	03/02/2005							
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person			Date					
Explanation of Resp	onse	s:						

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* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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