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| | nd Address of EY PAUL | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MATRIX SERVICE CO [MTRX] | | | | | | | | | ationship k all appl Direct | icable) | g Per | son(s) to Iss 10% Ov | | | | |
|--|--|---|--|-------------------|--|-----------------|---------|--|-------------------|---------------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|---|---|--|---|--|--|---|
| (Last) 4502 EA | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/10/2004 | | | | | | | | | | r (give title) | | Other (s below) | specify | | | | |
| (Street) TULSA OK 74135 (City) (State) (Zip) | | | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable) K Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| | | Tab | le I - Non | -Deriv | ative | Sec | curitie | es A | cquired, | Dis | posed (| of, or Be | enefic | ially | Owne | d | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da | | | | | | Execution Date, | | | Code | Transaction Dispos Code (Instr. 5) | | (A) | str. 3, 4 | and | 5. Amou Securiti Benefic Owned Reporte Transac (Instr. 3 | es Formially (D) (Following ed etion(s) | | n: Direct r Indirect nstr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | 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) | Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Treecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any Co | | | Transa Code (I | ransaction of ode (Instr. Derivative | | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | | 7. Title an Amount of Securities Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 a | f s g Securit | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | (| Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisab | | xpiration ate | Title | Amour or Number of Shares | er | | | | | |
| Phantom Shares ⁽¹⁾ | (2) | 08/10/2004 | | | A | | 949 | | (3) | 0: | 1/01/2008 | Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | 949 | T | (2) | 13,467 | | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Matrix Service Company Common Stock
- 2. Not Applicable
- 3. The SAR became 100% exercisable upon grant.

Paul K. Lackey

08/12/2004

** 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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