

WILL PAUL  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
**WILL PAUL**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**ONE CELADON DRIVE, 9503  
EAST 33RD STREET**  
  
(Street)

**INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46235-4207**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**CELADON GROUP INC [CLDN]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**06/21/2006**

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)  
**Exec VP, CFO, Asst Sec & Treas**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (A) or (D)   | Price                             |
| Common Stock                    | 06/21/2006                           |  | M                              |   | 45,000<br><u>(1)</u>  | A  | 2.72<br><u>(1)</u>                |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   | \$  |  | 137,137 <u>(1)</u>                |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   | 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)**

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| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired (A)<br>or Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4,<br>and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shares |
|---|--|---|---|--------------------------------------|--|--|---|-------------------------------------|
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy)    | \$ 2.72 <sup>(1)</sup>   | 06/21/2006                              |   | M                                    | 45,000<br><u>(1)</u>   | <u>(2)</u> 12/07/2009 <sup>(3)</sup>                           | Common<br>Stock   | 45,000<br><u>(1)</u>                |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                                |                        |
|---|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|------------------------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                        | Other                  |
| WILL PAUL<br>ONE CELADON DRIVE<br>9503 EAST 33RD STREET<br>INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46235-4207                    |               |           | Exec VP, CFO, Asst Sec & Treas |                        |
| /s/ Paul Will, by Heidi Hornung-Scherr, attorney-in-fact, pursuant to a POA previously filed with the SEC |               |           |                                | 06/23/2006<br><br>Date |

## Signatures

## 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).
- (1) Adjusted to give effect to the 02/01/2006 and 06/01/2006 three-for-two stock splits.
- (2) Options became exercisable in three equal increments on 12/07/2000, 12/07/2001, and 12/07/2002. Incentive stock options expire on 12/07/2009, and are subject to earlier termination in the event of termination of the reporting person's employment with the issuer. Termination provisions are set forth in the stock option agreement between the reporting person and the issuer.
- (4) Upon exercise, the derivative security converts on a one-to-one basis into common stock. The exercise price of the derivative security is set forth in Column 2 of Table II of this report.

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