

MARTIN BURT M
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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 *
MARTIN BURT M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
WEATHERFORD
INTERNATIONAL LTD [WFT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
515 POST OAK BLVD., SUITE 600
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/24/2005

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Sr VP and Gen Counsel

HOUSTON, TX 77027

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

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(City) (State) (Zip)

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: Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Shares, \$1.00 par value	02/24/2005		M	25,000 A	\$ 36.75 59,317	D	
Common Shares, \$1.00 par value	02/24/2005		M	25,000 A	\$ 36.75 84,317	D	
Common Shares, \$1.00 par value	02/24/2005		M	14,013 A	\$ 11.615 98,330	D	

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Common Shares, \$1.00 par value	02/24/2005	S	25,000	D	\$ 59.5	73,330	D	
Common Shares, \$1.00 par value	02/24/2005	S	39,013	D	\$ 60	34,317	D	
Common Shares, \$1.00 par value	02/28/2005	M	25,000	A	\$ 40.25	59,317	D	
Common Shares, \$1.00 par value	02/28/2005	S	25,000	D	\$ 60.5	34,317	D	
Common Shares, \$1.00 par value						908	I	By 401(k)

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 36.75	02/24/2005		M	50,000	07/05/2003	07/04/2013	Common Shares	50,000
Employee Stock Option	\$ 11.615	02/24/2005		M	14,013	09/08/2001	09/07/2011	Common Shares	14,013

(Right to Buy)

Employee Stock

Option	\$ 40.25	02/28/2005	M	25,000	06/09/2003	06/08/2013	Common Shares	25,000
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(Right to Buy)

Employee Stock

Option	\$ 23.77				09/26/2005	09/25/2015	Common Shares	100,000
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(Right to Buy)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MARTIN BURT M 515 POST OAK BLVD. SUITE 600 HOUSTON, TX 77027			Sr VP and Gen Counsel	

Signatures

Burt M. Martin	02/28/2005
<small>**Signature of Reporting Person</small>	<small>Date</small>

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) Transaction is an option exercise and therefore has no purchase price.

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