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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement PAYCHEX INC [PAYX] A Gibson Clifford (Month/Day/Year) 01/18/2005 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 911 PANORAMA TRAIL S. (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person ROCHESTER. NYÂ 14625 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One VP, Western U.S. Sales Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) **Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned** 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock 5,100 Common Stock 19,714 (1) I 401(k)Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	Ownership
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
			Derivative	Security:	

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option	10/05/1997	10/05/2005	Common Stock	17,173	\$ 5.9753	D	Â
Stock Option	10/03/1998	10/03/2006	Common Stock	20,250	\$ 12.0494	D	Â
Stock Option	10/02/1999	10/02/2007	Common Stock	13,500	\$ 11.6297	D	Â
Stock Option	07/09/2000	07/09/2008	Common Stock	13,500	\$ 19	D	Â
Stock Option	07/08/2001	07/08/2009	Common Stock	9,000	\$ 21.4583	D	Â
Stock Option	07/12/2003	07/12/2011	Common Stock	6,000	\$ 40.86	D	Â
Stock Option	07/11/2004	07/11/2012	Common Stock	12,000	\$ 28.14	D	Â
Stock Option	07/10/2005	07/10/2013	Common Stock	5,000	\$ 29.55	D	Â
Stock Option	07/08/2006	07/08/2014	Common Stock	10,000	\$ 31.79	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Gibson Clifford 911 PANORAMA TRAIL S. ROCHESTER, NY 14625	Â	Â	VP, Western U.S. Sales	Â

Signatures

Clifford Gibson 01/20/2005

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) 401(k) balance as of 1/14/2005

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