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## FORM 3

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement **EQUIFAX INC [EFX]** À Ploder Rodolfo O (Month/Day/Year) 05/17/2006 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 1550 PEACHTREE STREET. (Check all applicable) N.W. (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director \_X\_\_ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Group Executive Person ATLANTA, GAÂ 30309 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â Common Stock D 30,000 Common Stock 363 I By 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

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option/Right to Buy	(1)	02/09/2014	Common Stock	8,000	\$ 26.16	D	Â
Stock Option/Right to Buy	(2)	02/03/2015	Common Stock	15,000	\$ 30.3	D	Â
Stock Option/Right to Buy	(3)	02/09/2016	Common Stock	20,000	\$ 36.7	D	Â

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Ploder Rodolfo O 1550 PEACHTREE STREET, N.W. ATLANTA, GA 30309	Â	Â	Group Executive	Â	

## **Signatures**

/s/ Ploder,
Rodolfo O.

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

O5/17/2006

Date

## **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) The option vests in four equal annual increments beginning 2/9/04.
- (2) The option vests in four equal annual increments beginning on 2/3/05.
- (3) The option vests in four equal annual increments beginning on 2/9/06.

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