

WABASH NATIONAL CORP /DE

Form 4

February 18, 2005

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Bateman Gary L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1000 SAGAMORE PARKWAY
SOUTH

(Street)

LAFAYETTE, IN 47905

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
WABASH NATIONAL CORP /DE
[WNC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/17/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
VP - Information Technology

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	02/17/2005		M		13,200	A	\$ 9.03	15,600	D	
Common Stock	02/17/2005		S		5,000	D	\$ 26.5	10,600	D	
Common Stock	02/17/2005		S		5,000	D	\$ 26.53	5,600	D	
Common Stock	02/17/2005		S		2,800	D	\$ 26.6	2,800	D	
Common Stock	02/17/2005		S		400	D	\$ 26.63	2,400	D	

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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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.03	02/17/2005		M	13,200	<u>(1)</u> 01/17/2013	Common Stock	13,200

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Bateman Gary L 1000 SAGAMORE PARKWAY SOUTH LAFAYETTE, IN 47905	Director 10% Owner Officer VP - Information Technology

Signatures

Gary L.
Bateman 02/18/2005

Signature of Reporting Person Date

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) 2/3 of options vest on 1/17/2005 and the remaining 1/3 vests on 1/17/2006

(2) Option Grant

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