

EXPRESS SCRIPTS INC
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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 *
TOAN BARRETT A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O EXPRESS SCRIPTS,
INC., 13900 RIVERPORT DRIVE

(Street)

MARYLAND
HEIGHTS, MO 63043

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

EXPRESS SCRIPTS INC [ESRX]

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

09/01/2005

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)

Chairman of the Board

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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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 or Price | | |
| Common Stock | 09/01/2005 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | | 156,000 A \$ 9.655 | 424,824 ⁽²⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 09/01/2005 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 156,000 D \$ 56.996 | 268,824 ⁽²⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 09/01/2005 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | | 120,000 A \$ 12.905 | 388,824 ⁽²⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 09/01/2005 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 120,000 D \$ 56.996 | 268,824 ⁽²⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 09/01/2005 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | | 29,000 A \$ 13.78 | 297,824 ⁽²⁾ | D |

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|--------------|------------|------------------|--------|---|-----------|------------------------|---|
| Common Stock | 09/01/2005 | S ⁽¹⁾ | 29,000 | D | \$ 56.996 | 268,824 ⁽²⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 09/01/2005 | S ⁽¹⁾ | 60,000 | D | \$ 56.996 | 208,824 ⁽²⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 09/02/2005 | M ⁽¹⁾ | 95,000 | A | \$ 13.78 | 303,824 ⁽²⁾ | D |
| Common Stock | 09/02/2005 | S ⁽¹⁾ | 95,000 | D | \$ 56.802 | 208,824 ⁽²⁾ | 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)

| 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right-to-Buy) | \$ 9.655 | 09/01/2005 | | M | 156,000 | ⁽³⁾ | 04/05/2007 | Express Scripts, Inc. Common Stock | 15 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right-to-Buy) | \$ 12.905 | 09/01/2005 | | M | 120,000 | ⁽⁴⁾ | 11/23/2009 | Express Scripts, Inc. Common Stock | 12 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right-to-Buy) | \$ 13.78 | 09/01/2005 | | M | 29,000 | ⁽⁴⁾ | 12/16/2008 | Express Scripts, Inc. Common Stock | 2 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right-to-Buy) | \$ 13.78 | 09/02/2005 | | M | 95,000 | ⁽⁴⁾ | 12/16/2008 | Express Scripts, Inc. Common Stock | 9 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-----------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| TOAN BARRETT A C/O EXPRESS SCRIPTS, INC. 13900 RIVERPORT DRIVE MARYLAND HEIGHTS, MO 63043 | X | | Chairman of the Board | |

Signatures

Barrett Toan 09/02/2005

__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) The transactions reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by Reporting Person on March 7, 2005.
- (2) Reporting person's shares beneficially owned have been adjusted to reflect the stock split on June 24, 2005.
- (3) Options vest in three equal installments on the first three anniversaries of the grant date.
- (4) Options vest in five equal installments on the first five anniversaries of the grant date.
- (5) Employee stock option granted pursuant to Express Scripts, Inc. Amended and Restated 1992 Stock Option Plan.
- (6) Employee stock option granted pursuant to Express Scripts, Inc. Amended and Restated 1994 Stock Option Plan.

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