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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â Cohen Steven L		(Month/Day/Year)	CLAYTON HOLDINGS INC [CLAY]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
CLAYTON HOLDINGS, INC.,Â 2 CORPORATE DRIVE			(Check all applicable)	
(Street)			<input type="checkbox"/> Director	<input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner
SHELTON,Â CTÂ 06484			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	(give title below) (specify below)	
			Senior V.P., General Counsel	
			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)	
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person	
			<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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 Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

(Instr. 5)

Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/09/2006	03/09/2015	Common Stock	5,573	\$ 0.9756	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (1)	03/09/2015	Common Stock	16,722	\$ 0.9756	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	07/27/2006(2)	07/27/2015	Common Stock	8,955	\$ 6.36	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Cohen Steven L CLAYTON HOLDINGS, INC. 2 CORPORATE DRIVE SHELTON,Â CTÂ 06484	Â	Â	Â Senior V.P., General Counsel	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Steven L.  
Cohen

03/23/2006

\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

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 reporting person was granted these options on March 9, 2005, vesting in 36 equal monthly installments beginning on March 31, 2006. If the issuer's initial public offering closes on or prior to March 31, 2006, the vesting described above will accelerate by 12 months.
- The reporting person was granted these options on July 27, 2005. 25% of these options will vest on July 27, 2006 and the remainder will
- (2) vest in 36 equal monthly installments beginning on July 31, 2006. If the issuer's initial public offering closes on or prior to March 31, 2006, the vesting described above will accelerate by 12 months.

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### Remarks:

ExhibitÂ 24Â -Â PowerÂ ofÂ Attorney

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