#### DILLON RALPH D

Form 4

December 28, 2005

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* DILLON RALPH D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

PARTY CITY CORP [PCTY]

12/23/2005

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) (Last)

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

X\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

C/O PARTY CITY CORPORATION, 400 COMMONS WAY

(State)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

ROCKAWAY, NJ 07866

(City)

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

195,000

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

D

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common 12/23/2005 Stock

Code V Amount

D

Price (D)

(1)

0

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)

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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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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)	
				Code V (	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 17	12/23/2005		D	50,000	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	50,000
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Stock Options	\$ 14.4844	12/23/2005		D	10,000	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Options	\$ 13.6563	12/23/2005		D	10,000	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Options	\$ 13.62	12/23/2005		D	10,000	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Options	\$ 12.36	12/23/2005		D	2,000	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	2,000
Stock Options	\$ 9.375	12/23/2005		D	50,000	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	50,000
Stock Options	\$ 7.46	12/23/2005		D	20,000	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Options	\$ 6.55	12/23/2005		D	3,000	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	3,000
Stock Options	\$ 6.25	12/23/2005		D	90,000	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	90,000
Stock Options	\$ 3.52	12/23/2005		D	20,000	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	20,000
Stock Options	\$ 3.4	12/23/2005		D	10,000	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Options	\$ 2	12/23/2005		D	127,940	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	127,940
Stock Options	\$ 2	12/23/2005		D	10,000	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	10,000

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DILLON RALPH D C/O PARTY CITY CORPORATION 400 COMMONS WAY ROCKAWAY, NJ 07866



### **Signatures**

/s/ Joseph J. Zepf, Esq., attorney-in-fact for Ralph D. Dillon

12/28/2005

\*\*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) Converted into the right to receive \$17.50 per share pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of September 26, 2005, as amended, by and among Amscan Holdings, Inc., BWP Acquisition, Inc. and Party City Corporation.
- Fully vested and cashed out at the spread between the merger price of \$17.50 per share and the exercise price, pursuant to the Agreement (2) and Plan of Merger, dated as of September 26, 2005, as amended, by and among Amscan Holdings, Inc., BWP Acquisition, Inc. and Party City Corporation.

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