

SMITH INTERNATIONAL 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 \*  
 COBB DAVID R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 SMITH INTERNATIONAL INC [SII]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 PO BOX 60068  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/22/2005

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Vice President & Controller

HOUSTON, TX 77205

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

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

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or Price (D)		
Common Stock	11/22/2005		M		5,100 A \$ 19.41	11,100 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005		M		6,000 A \$ 17.36	17,100 <sup>(2)</sup>	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005		M		1,400 A \$ 11.75	18,500 <sup>(3)</sup>	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005		S		7,100 D \$ 38.03	11,400	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005		S		1,700 D \$ 38.04	9,700	D

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Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	600	D	\$ 38.05	9,100	D
Common Stock	11/22/2005	S	3,100	D	\$ 38.06	6,000	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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
						Code	V	(A)	(D)
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.41	11/22/2005		M	5,100 (4)	12/02/2004	12/02/2013	Common Stock	5,100 (4)
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.36	11/22/2005		M	6,000 (5)	12/03/2004	12/03/2012	Common Stock	6,000 (5)
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.75	11/22/2005		M	1,400 (6)	12/04/2004	12/04/2011	Common Stock	1,400 (6)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

COBB DAVID R  
PO BOX 60068  
HOUSTON, TX 77205

Vice President & Controller

## Signatures

David R. Cobb

11/23/2005

    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) This option was previously reported as covering 10,200 shares at an exercise price of \$38.82 per share, but was adjusted to reflect the stock split on Aug. 24, 2005.
- (2) This option was previously reported as covering 12,000 shares at an exercise price of \$34.73 per share, but was adjusted to reflect the stock split on Aug. 24, 2005.
- (3) This option was previously reported as covering 2,800 shares at an exercise price of \$23.50 per share, but was adjusted to reflect the stock split on Aug. 24, 2005.
- (4) On Aug. 24, 2005, the common stock of Smith International split 2-for-1, resulting in the reporting person's acquisition of 10,200 additional shares of common stock.
- (5) On Aug. 24, 2005, the common stock of Smith International split 2-for-1, resulting in the reporting person's acquisition of 9,000 additional shares of common stock.
- (6) On Aug. 24, 2005, the common stock of Smith International split 2-for-1, resulting in the reporting person's acquisition of 1,400 additional shares of common stock.

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