STAGGS THOMAS O

Form 4

January 11, 2006

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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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * STAGGS THOMAS O

(First)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

WALT DISNEY CO/[DIS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/09/2006

500 SOUTH BUENA VISTA STREET

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Sr. EVP & Chief Finan. Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

BURBANK, CA 91521

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (I) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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

Code V Amount (D) Price

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionDerivative		Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (ADisposed of (Instr. 3, 4, 5)	f (D)				
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares
Phantom Stock Unit Award (Bonus Related)	<u>(1)</u>	01/09/2006		A	20,108		<u>(2)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Disney Common Stock	20,108
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.87	01/09/2006		A	154,000		(3)	01/09/2013	Disney Common Stock	154,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

STAGGS THOMAS O 500 SOUTH BUENA VISTA STREET BURBANK, CA 91521

Sr. EVP & Chief Finan, Officer

Signatures

By: Joseph M. Santaniello (POA on file)

01/11/2006

**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) Converts at 1-for-1.
- This Stock Unit Award was granted under the 2002 Executive Performance Plan of The Walt Disney Company (the 'Company') and the Amended and Restated 1995 Stock Incentive Plan of the Company, in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3. The award constitutes a portion of the annual bonus granted by the Company to the reporting person for the Company's 2005 fiscal year. The award is scheduled to vest as to 10,054 stock units on January 9, 2008 and as to the remaining 10,054 stock units on January 9, 2010.
- Options were granted under the Company's 1995 Stock Option Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16(b)-3. The options vest in four (3) equal installments on each January 9 of 2007 through 2010. In connection with this stock option award, the reporting person also was awarded 81,000 restricted stock units whose vesting is subject to performance vesting criteria.

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