FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES IN	I BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MONHEIT BARRY M				<u>S</u> 1	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SMITH & WESSON HOLDING CORP [ SWHC ]							(Ch	eck all appli	ationship of Reportir k all applicable) Director Officer (give title below)		son(s) to Issi 10% Ow	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2100 ROOSEVELT AVENUE				3.	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/18/2006											Other (s below)	pecify
(Street) SPRINGFIELD MA 01104				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(5	<u> </u>	(Zip)														
		Tab	ole I - Non-D	erivativ	e Se	curities	ACC	quired, D	ispo	sed o	f, or Be	neficiall	y Owned	<u> </u>			
Date			Transactior ate lonth/Day/Y	Execution Date,		Code (Instr.   5)			5. Amou Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported	ırities eficially ed Following		: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
							Code V	A	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
			Table II - De (e.ç					ired, Dis options					Owned			,	
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	se (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	ate, Transaction Code (Instr.		n of l		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		le and	7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable	Expi Date	oiration e	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Director Stock Option (Right to	\$12.88	09/18/2006		A		10,000		(1)	09/1	18/2016	Common Stock	10,000	\$0.00	10,000	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. 1/12th of the total number of options granted shall vest and become exercisable each month after the date of grant.

## Remarks:

Barry M. Monheit \*\* Signature of Reporting Person 09/18/2006

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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