

COUCH MARGARET Z
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FORM 4

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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 *
COUCH MARGARET Z

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ALAMOSA HOLDINGS INC
[APCS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
5225 S LOOP 289

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/01/2006

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Chief Integration Officer

LUBBOCK, TX 79424

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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	02/01/2006		D ⁽¹⁾	V	63,796 <u>(2)</u>	D	D
					\$ 18.75		
					0		

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. 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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.25	02/01/2006		D	250	<u>(3)</u> 02/23/2011	Commonn Stock 250
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.35	02/01/2006		D	10,050	<u>(4)</u> 01/03/2015	Commonn Stock 10,050
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.35	02/01/2006		D	4,950	<u>(5)</u> 01/03/2015	Commonn Stock 4,950
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.95	02/01/2006		D	24,000	<u>(6)</u> 08/07/2011	Commonn Stock 24,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17	02/01/2006		D	29,410	<u>(7)</u> 02/03/2010	Commonn Stock 29,410
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17	02/01/2006		D	50,590	<u>(8)</u> 02/03/2010	Commonn Stock 50,590

Reporting Owners

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

COUCH MARGARET Z
5225 S LOOP 289
LUBBOCK, TX 79424

Chief Integration Officer

Signatures

Melinda Wheatley, Attorney
in Fact

02/02/2006

__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) Disposed of pursuant to a merger agreement between Issuer and Sprint Nextel Corporation in exchange for a cash payment representing the \$18.75 per common share merger consideration.
- (2) Includes holdings of 22,617 in the Issuer's ESPP and 11,036 in the Issuer's 401(k) Plan.
- (3) This option, which was fully vested as of 2/23/01, was cancelled pursuant to the merger in exchange for a cash payment representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and the \$18.75 per common share merger consideration.
- (4) This option, which provided for vesting at 3% per month beginning 1/3/05, was cancelled pursuant to the merger in exchange for a cash payment representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and the \$18.75 per common share merger consideration.
- (5) This option, which was fully vested as of 12/3/05, was cancelled pursuant to the merger in exchange for a cash payment representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and the \$18.75 per common share merger consideration.
- (6) This option, which was fully vested as of 8/7/04, was cancelled pursuant to the merger in exchange for a cash payment representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and the \$18.75 per common share merger consideration.
- (7) This option, which was fully vested as of 2/3/04, was cancelled pursuant to the merger in exchange for a cash payment representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and the \$18.75 per common share merger consideration.
- (8) This option, which was fully vested as of 2/3/04, was cancelled pursuant to the merger in exchange for a cash payment representing the difference between the exercise price of the option and the \$18.75 per common share merger consideration.

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