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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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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SCHIFFMAN MICHAEL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

(Middle)

(Zip)

FORWARD INDUSTRIES INC

(Check all applicable)

[FORD]

(Last)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

7. Nature of

Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

(First) C/O FORWARD INDUSTRIES

(Street)

INC, 275 HEMPSTEAD

04/26/2005

(Month/Day/Year)

below) PRESIDENT & COO

TURNPIKE

(City)

(Instr. 3)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

WEST HEMPSTEAD, NY 11552

(State)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 1. Title of Security

3. 4. Securities Acquired Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)

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

Ownership

Form:

(Month/Day/Year) Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

(A)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Securities

Beneficially

Code V Amount (D) Price

FORWARD INDUSTRIES

04/26/2005 **COMMON STOCK**

5,048 A M

307,475

D

FORWARD

INDUSTRIES 04/26/2005 **COMMON**

S

302,427

D

STOCK

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number op f 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	An or No of Sh
COMMON STOCK OPTION	\$ 2	04/26/2005		M	5,048	01/01/2001	12/31/2005	FORWARD INDUSTRIES COMMON STOCK	5

Reporting Owners

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

SCHIFFMAN MICHAEL C/O FORWARD INDUSTRIES INC 275 HEMPSTEAD TURNPIKE WEST HEMPSTEAD, NY 11552

X

PRESIDENT & COO

Signatures

MICHAEL M SCHIFFMAN 04/27/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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