#### FORWARD INDUSTRIES INC

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* SCHIFFMAN MICHAEL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

FORWARD INDUSTRIES INC

Issuer (Check all applicable)

[FORD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 09/13/2005

\_X\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify

President & COO

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

X\_ Officer (give title below)

C/O FORWARD INDUSTRIES INC, 1801 GREEN RD. SUITE E

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

#### POMPANO BEACH, FL 33064

(City)	(State) (	Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y 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. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed 4 and 3	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Forward Industries common stock	09/13/2005		M	11,563	A	\$ 3.25	313,990	D	
Forward Industries common stock	09/13/2005		S	6,563	D	\$ 28	307,427	D	
Forward Industries common	09/13/2005		S	5,000	D	\$ 29.75	302,427	D	

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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 of ionDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Forward Industries common stock option to buy	\$ 3.25	09/13/2005		M		11,563	01/01/2001	12/31/2005	Forward Industries common stock	11,563

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
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SCHIFFMAN MICHAEL							
C/O FORWARD INDUSTRIES INC	X		Dunaidant & COO				
1801 GREEN RD. SUITE E			President & COO				
POMPANO BEACH, FL 33064							

09/13/2005

# **Signatures**

Douglas Sabra by Power of Attorney

\*\*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). Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.

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