

AVERY DENNISON CORPORATION
 Form 4
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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 *
 DIXON DIANE B

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 AVERY DENNISON CORPORATION [AVY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 150 N. ORANGE GROVE BLVD
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 05/03/2007

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Sr. VP, Comm. & Advertising

PASADENA, CA 91103

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount or Price | | |
| Common Stock | 05/03/2007 | | M | | 7,074 A \$ 45.1875 | D | |
| Common Stock | 05/03/2007 | | M | | 337 A \$ 50.72 | D | |
| Common Stock | 05/03/2007 | | F | | 6,094 D \$ 62.83 | D | |
| Common Stock | 05/03/2007 | | G | | 100 D \$ 0 | D | |
| Common Stock | 05/03/2007 | | G | | 100 A \$ 0 | I | by Trust |

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|--------------|-----------|---|--------------|
| Common Stock | 3,370.321 | I | SHARE Plan |
| Common Stock | 8,071.146 | I | Savings Plan |

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. 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) | \$ 45.1875 | 05/03/2007 | | M | 7,074 | 09/03/2008 12/03/2008 | Common Stock 7,074 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 50.72 | 05/03/2007 | | M | 337 | 09/07/2010 12/07/2010 | Common Stock 337 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| DIXON DIANE B 150 N. ORANGE GROVE BLVD PASADENA, CA 91103 | | | Sr. VP, Comm. & Advertising | |

Signatures

By: Irene Marquard For: Diane B.
Dixon

05/07/2007

__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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