TOWE LARRY J Form 4

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TOWE LARRY J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

CERTEGY INC [CEY] (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

100 2ND AVENUE SOUTH, SUITE 12/14/2005

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

(First)

1100 S

President and COO

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

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Person

ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33701

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tah	ole I - Non-	-Derivative Secu	rities Acquii	red, 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities A or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and (A) or Amount (D)	(D) 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)
Common Stock	12/14/2005		M	53,400 A	\$ 17.5467	201,826.7	D	
Common Stock	12/14/2005		S	53,400 D	\$ 40.25	148,426.7	D	
Common Stock	12/14/2005		M	17,879 A	\$ 19.9441	166,305.7	D	
Common Stock	12/14/2005		S	17,879 D	\$ 40.5	148,426.7	D	
Common Stock						7,042.79	I	By 401(K) Plan

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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 orDerivative 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)	\$ 17.5467	12/14/2005		M	53,400	<u>(1)</u>	01/31/2010	Common Stock	53,400
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.9441	12/14/2005		M	17,879	(2)	12/01/2009	Common Stock	17,879

Reporting Owners

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

TOWE LARRY J 100 2ND AVENUE SOUTH

SUITE 1100 S

ST. PETERSBURG, FL 33701

President and COO

Signatures

Marcia R. Glick, as Attorney-in-Fact for Larry J. Towe pursuant to a Power of Attorney on file 12/15/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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) The option fully vested on January 31, 2000.
- (2) The option vested in four equal annual installments on December 1, 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002.

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