

LUNA INNOVATIONS INC  
 Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Â Plowman C Benson  
 (Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)  
 06/02/2006

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 LUNA INNOVATIONS INC [LUNA]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 \_\_\_X\_\_\_ Officer \_\_\_ Other  
 (give title below) (specify below)  
 VP Sales

C/O LUNA INNOVATIONS  
 INCORPORATED,Â 2851  
 COMMERCE STREET

(Street)

BLACKSBURG,Â VAÂ 24060

(City) (State) (Zip)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 \_\_\_X\_\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security  
 (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned  
 (Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:  
 Direct (D)  
 or Indirect (I)  
 (Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership  
 (Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security  
 (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date  
 (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security  
 (Instr. 4)

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership  
 (Instr. 5)

Date Exercisable Date Expiration Date

Title Amount or Number of

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				Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	Â (1)	09/22/2013	Common Stock	36,740	\$ 0.3538	D	Â
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	Â (2)	04/26/2015	Common Stock	14,131	\$ 0.3538	D	Â
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	Â (3)	05/20/2016	Common Stock	203,483	\$ 0.3538	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Plowman C Benson C/O LUNA INNOVATIONS INCORPORATED 2851 COMMERCE STREET BLACKSBURG, VA 24060	Â	Â	Â VP Sales	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Aaron S. Hullman, Esq.,  
Attorney-in-Fact

06/02/2006

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) 1/4 of the option shares became exercisable on September 22, 2004. The remaining option shares are exercisable at a rate of 1/36 per month thereafter.
- (2) 1/4 of the option shares became exercisable on January 1, 2006. The remaining option shares are exercisable at a rate of 1/36 per month thereafter.
- (3) 1/4 of the option shares became exercisable on May 20, 2006. The remaining option shares are exercisable at a rate of 1/36 per month thereafter.

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