LAUREATE EDUCATION, INC.

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement LAUREATE EDUCATION, INC. [laur] A Nickel Daniel (Month/Day/Year) 06/23/2005 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 1001 FLEET STREET (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director _X_ Form filed by One Reporting _X__ Officer Other Person BALTIMORE. MDÂ 21202 (give title below) (specify below) Form filed by More than One Executive VP, Corp. Operations Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) **Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned** 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â common stock 1,000 Â RESTRICTED STOCK 30,000 (1) D Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

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

3. Title and Amount of 1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and 6. Nature of Indirect (Instr. 4) **Expiration Date** Securities Underlying Conversion Ownership Beneficial Ownership (Month/Day/Year) **Derivative Security** or Exercise Form of (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Price of Derivative Derivative Security:

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
options	(2)	02/25/2015	common stock	20,000	\$ 45.88	D	Â
options	(3)	06/21/2012	common	40,000	\$ 46.38	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Nickel Daniel 1001 FLEET STREET BALTIMORE, MD 21202	Â	Â	Executive VP, Corp. Operations	Â		

Signatures

Daniel Nickel 06/27/2005

**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).
- All of the shares are currently nonvested and forfeitable as of the grant date of February 25, 2005. 20% of the shares will vest and become (1) nonforfeitable on each anniversary of the grant date, such that 100% of the shares will be vested and nonforfeitable on the 5th anniversary of the grant date.
- All of the options are currently nonvested as of the grant date of February 25, 2005. 20% of the options will become vested and exercisable on each anniversary date such that 100% of the options will be vested and exercisable on the fifth anniversary date. The agreement was fully-executed on June 23, 2005.
- All options are currently nonvested as of the grant date of June 21, 2005. 20% of the options will become vested and exercisable on each grant anniversary date such that 100% of the options will be vested and exercisable on the fifth anniversary date. This agreement has not yet been fully executed.

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