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PRE PAID Form 4 March 01, 2	LEGAL SERVIC 005	ES INC									
FORM Check th if no lon subject t Section Form 4 Form 5 obligatio may con <i>See</i> Instr 1(b).	SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE CO Washington, D.C. 20549 F CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWN SECURITIES Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Public Utility Holding Company Act of of the Investment Company Act of 1940					OMMISSION NERSHIP OF Act of 1934, 1935 or Section		urs per			
(Print or Type	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> STONECIPHER HARLAND CECIL			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PRE PAID LEGAL SERVICES INC [PPD]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
			3. Date of Earliest Transaction(Month/Day/Year)02/28/2005					_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman of the Board, CEO			
				endment, Da nth/Day/Yea	-	1		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deem Execution any (Month/D	Date, if	Code (Instr. 8)	onor Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (4 and 5 (A) or	(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	02/28/2005			Code V $M^{(1)}$	Amount 10,000	(D) A	Price \$ 29.625	1 122 845	D		
Common Stock	02/28/2005			F <u>(1)</u>	8,465	D	\$ 35	1,114,616	D		
Common Stock								20,357 <u>(2)</u>	Ι	By ESOP Trust	

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	onDeri Secu Acqu or D (D)	urities uired (A) isposed of r. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numł of Sha
Employee Stock Option - Right to Buy	\$ 29.625	02/28/2005		M <u>(1)</u>		10,000	03/01/2000 <u>(1)</u>	03/01/2005	Common Stock	10,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships						
		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
STONECIPHER HARL RURAL ROUTE 1 CENTRAHOMA, OK 7		Х		Chairman of the Board, CEO				
Signatures								
Harland C. Stonecipher	03/01/2005	5						
** Signature of	Date							

<u>**</u>Signature of Reporting Person

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).

Spouse of reporting person exercised options granted to her during her tenure as a director of the issuer. These options were granted to
 (1) reporting person's spouse during her tenure as a director of the Company and are immediately exercisable as to 2,500 and will vest in additional increments of 2,500 on June 1st, September 1st and December 1st of grant year.

(2) Include 25 shares purchased since last filing.

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