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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * REED AUSTIN F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

BRINKS CO [BCO]

(Check all applicable)

(Middle) (Last) (First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

1801 BAYBERRY COURT, P.O.

(Month/Day/Year) 12/03/2004

below) below) VP, Gen'l Counsel & Secretary

BOX 18100

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

RICHMOND, VA 23226

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (T) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration 7. Title and Amount of Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionNumber **Underlying Securities** Security or Exercise Code of(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) any

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(Instr. 3) Price of Derivative Security

(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,

Code V (A) (D) Date Exercisable Expiration Date Title

or Number of

Amount

Shares

Units \$ 0 (1)

12/03/2004

A 99 (1)

4, and 5)

 $01/01/2005\underline{^{(1)}} \quad 01/01/2005\underline{^{(1)}}$

Common Stock

ck 99 (1)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

REED AUSTIN F 1801 BAYBERRY COURT P.O. BOX 18100 RICHMOND, VA 23226

VP, Gen'l Counsel & Secretary

Signatures

/s/ McAlister C. Marshall, II McAlister C. Marshall, II, Attorney-in-Fact

12/07/2004

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).

This balance reflects an estimation of Units representing shares of The Brink's Company Common Stock ("BCO") to be credited to the Reporting Person's account under the Key Employees' Deferred Compensation Program (the "Program"). Under the terms of the Program,

the Reporting Person has chosen to make bi-weekly salary deferrals to an incentive account. As of the end of each fiscal year, the amount of salary deferred to the account is converted into Units representing shares of BCO and credited to the Reporting Person's account in accordance with the terms of the Program. The balance listed above is an estimate of the value of these Units based upon trading prices of BCO for the two-week period ended December 3, 2004.

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