DIODES INC /DEL/ Form 3 May 19, 2006 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB 2025 OMB

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Tang Francis			2. Date of Event Requir Statement (Month/Day/Year)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DIODES INC /DEL/ [DIOD]					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	05/17/2006		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
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	(Street)			(Check	(Check all applicable)			6. Individual or Joint/Group		
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Common Stock (Right to Buy)	08/01/2006 <u>(1)</u>	08/01/2015	Common Stock	11,250	\$ 24.8	Ι)	Â
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
r g	Director	10% Owner Officer		Other			
Tang Francis 3050 E. HILLCREST DRIVE WESTLAKE VILLAGE, CA 91362	Â	Â	VP, Product Development	Â			
Signatures							
Carl Wertz as Power of Attorney for Fran Tang	05/19/						
**Signature of Reporting Person		Da	ite				

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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(1) Options exercisable in 3 equal annual installments beginning 08/01/2006.

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