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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(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 **EQUIFAX INC [EFX]** A Shannon Michael S (Month/Day/Year) 05/17/2006 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 1550 PEACHTREE STREET, (Check all applicable) N.W. (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Group Executive Person ATLANTA, GAÂ 30309 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â Common Stock D 43,640 Common Stock 602 I By 401(k) 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

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

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

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option/Right to Buy	01/28/1999	01/28/2008	Common Stock	682	\$ 19.3497	D	Â
Stock Option/Right to Buy	01/28/2002	01/28/2008	Common Stock	1,764	\$ 19.3497	D	Â
Stock Option/Right to Buy	(1)	01/27/2009	Common Stock	8,330	\$ 21.8286	D	Â
Stock Option/Right to Buy	(2)	01/27/2009	Common Stock	8,562	\$ 21.8286	D	Â
Stock Option/Right to Buy	(3)	12/10/2009	Common Stock	10,135	\$ 13.6151	D	Â
Stock Option/Right to Buy	(4)	01/29/2011	Common Stock	2,988	\$ 17.2083	D	Â
Stock Option/Right to Buy	(5)	01/29/2011	Common Stock	7,147	\$ 17.2083	D	Â
Stock Option/Right to Buy	01/29/2001	01/29/2011	Common Stock	12,544	\$ 17.2083	D	Â
Stock Option/Right to Buy	(6)	02/05/2012	Common Stock	5,214	\$ 25.5	D	Â
Stock Option/Right to Buy	(7)	02/05/2012	Common Stock	6,786	\$ 25.5	D	Â
Stock Option/Right to Buy	(8)	01/29/2013	Common Stock	4,863	\$ 21.11	D	Â
Stock Option/Right to Buy	(9)	01/29/2013	Common Stock	10,137	\$ 21.11	D	Â
Stock Option/Right to Buy	(10)	01/29/2014	Common Stock	4,311	\$ 25.68	D	Â
Stock Option/Right to Buy	(11)	01/29/2014	Common Stock	9,689	\$ 25.68	D	Â
Stock Option/Right to Buy	(12)	02/03/2015	Common Stock	18,000	\$ 30.3	D	Â
Stock Option/Right to Buy	(13)	02/09/2016	Common Stock	15,000	\$ 36.7	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Keiauonsnips		
	Director	10% Owner	Officer

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Other

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Shannon Michael S 1550 PEACHTREE STREET, N.W. Â Â Group Executive Â ATLANTA, GAÂ 30309

Signatures

/s/ Shannon, Michael S. 05/17/2006

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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) The option vests in increments of 380 shares on 1/27/00, 1,021 shares on 1/27/01, 2,707 shares on 1/27/02 and 4,222 shares on 1/27/03.
- (2) The option vests in increments of 3,844 shares on 1/27/00, 3,203 shares on 1/27/01 and 1,515 shares on 1/27/02.
- (3) The option vests in increments of 2,534 shares on 12/10/99, 12/10/00 and 12/10/01 and 2,533 shares on 12/10/02.
- (4) The option vests in increments of 2 shares on 1/29/02, 453 shares on 1/29/03 and 2,533 shares on 1/29/04.
- (5) The option vests in increments of 2,534 shares on 1/29/01, 2,532 shares on 1/29/02 and 2,081 shares on 1/29/03.
- (6) The option vests in increments of 1 share on 2/5/02 and 2/5/03, 2,212 shares on 2/5/04 and 3,000 shares on 2/5/05.
- (7) The option vests in increments of 2,999 shares on 2/5/02 and 2/5/03 and 788 shares on 2/5/04.
- (8) The opion vests in increments of 1,113 shares on 1/29/05 and 3,750 shares on 1/29/06.
- (9) The option vests in increments of 3,750 shares on 1/29/03 and 1/29/04 and 2,637 share son 1/29/05.
- (10) The option vests in increments of 811 shares on 1/29/06 and 3,500 shares on 1/29/07.
- (11) The option vests in increments of 3,500 shares on 1/29/04 and 1/29/05 and 2,689 shares on 1/29/06.
- (12) The option vests in four equal annual increments beginning on 2/3/05.
- (13) The option vests in four equal annual increments beginning on 2/6/06.

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