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Check this box STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **BUR ERIC** Issuer Symbol NIC INC [EGOV] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Last) (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify C/O NIC INC., 10540 SOUTH 03/16/2005 below) RIDGEVEIW ROAD Chief Financial Officer (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 **OLATHE, KS 66061** Person (City) (Zip) (State) Table I. Non-Derivative Securities Acquired Disposed of or Reneficially O

(eng)	(51410)	Table	: 1 - Non-De	erivative S	securi	ties Acq	luired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	onth/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/16/2005		M(1)	8,000	A	\$ 1.67	40,000	D	
Common Stock	03/16/2005		S(1)	3,000	D	\$ 4.76	37,000	D	
Common Stock	03/16/2005		S(1)	2,000	D	\$ 4.79	35,000	D	
Common Stock	03/16/2005		S(1)	2,500	D	\$ 4.8	32,500	D	
Common Stock	03/16/2005		S <u>(1)</u>	500	D	\$ 4.82	32,000	D (2)	

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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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
	Derivative Security				(A) or Disposed of					
	Security			(D)						
					(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
							Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of
				Code V	(A)	(D)				Shares
Employee										
Stock Option (Right to	\$ 1.67	03/16/2005		M <u>(1)</u>		8,000	07/23/2003	07/23/2005	common stock	8,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BUR ERIC			Cl.:-f				
C/O NIC INC.			Chief				
10540 SOUTH RIDGEVEIW ROAD			Financial				
OLATHE, KS 66061			Officer				

Signatures

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Stephen M. Kovzan, Attorney-in-Fact 03/16/2005

**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).
- (1) The transactions reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on February 28, 2005.
- (2) The Reporting Person also directly owns employee stock options to purchase: (i) 296,010 shares at \$3.469 per share, 221,010 of which are currently exercisable and 75,000 will become exercisable on April 1, 2005; (ii) 125,000 shares at \$6.938 per share, exercisable in four

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equal annual installments beginning on April 1, 2002; (iii) 10,000 shares at \$2.10 per share, 7,500 of which are currently exercisable and 2,500 will become exercisable on June 25, 2005; (iv) 3,482 shares at \$1.67 per share, all of which are currently exercisable; and (v) 100,000 shares at \$3.04 per share, exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on August 1, 2004.

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