

Thomas Billy E.
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Thomas Billy E.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O AMERICAN
REPROGRAPHICS
COMPANY, 700 NORTH
CENTRAL AVENUE, SUITE 550

(Street)

GLENDALE, CA 91203

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

American Reprographics CO [ARP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

08/10/2005

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___X___ 10% Owner
___ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V Amount (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 08/10/2005 | | S | 9,400 (1) D \$ 17.1 | 10,605 | I | By Color Expressions, Inc. (2) |
| Common Stock | 08/10/2005 | | S | 1,500 (1) D \$ 17.11 | 9,105 | I | By Color Expressions, Inc. (2) |
| Common Stock | 08/10/2005 | | S | 300 (1) D \$ 17.12 | 8,805 | I | By Color Expressions, Inc. (2) |

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|--------------|------------|---|----------------------|---|----------|------------------------|---|--|
| Common Stock | 08/10/2005 | S | 100 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$ 17.13 | 8,705 | I | By Color Exprsions, Inc. ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock | 08/10/2005 | S | 300 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$ 17.16 | 8,405 | I | By Color Exprsions, Inc. ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock | 08/10/2005 | S | 500 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$ 17.18 | 7,905 | I | By Color Exprsions, Inc. ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock | 08/10/2005 | S | 100 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$ 17.2 | 7,805 | I | By Color Exprsions, Inc. ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock | 08/10/2005 | S | 100 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$ 17.22 | 7,705 | I | By Color Exprsions, Inc. ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock | 08/10/2005 | S | 4,700 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$ 17.25 | 3,005 | I | By Color Exprsions, Inc. ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock | 08/10/2005 | S | 700 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$ 17.26 | 2,305 | I | By Color Exprsions, Inc. ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock | 08/10/2005 | S | 2,300 ⁽¹⁾ | D | \$ 17.3 | 5 | I | By Color Exprsions, Inc. ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 103,673 ⁽³⁾ | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 4,332,882 | I | By OCB Reprographics, Inc. ⁽⁴⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 1,656,051 | I | By Brownies Blueprint, Inc. ⁽⁵⁾ |

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 | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene |
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| Derivative Security | Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---------------------|---|------|---|-----|-----|------------------|-----------------|-------|----------------------------|------------------|
| | | | | | | | | | | Own |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Thomas Billy E. C/O AMERICAN REPROGRAPHICS COMPANY 700 NORTH CENTRAL AVENUE, SUITE 550 GLENDALE, CA 91203 | | | X | |

Signatures

/s/ Billy E. Thomas
08/10/2005
Date

**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).
- (1) Sale by Color Expressions, Inc., of which the reporting person is a Director and 26.7% stockholder.
The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the ARP common stock held by Color Expressions, Inc. except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein and the inclusion of these shares in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all of the reported shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (3) Includes 103,673 shares received as a pro-rata liquidating distribution from Color Expressions, Inc. In prior reports, the reporting person reported beneficial ownership of 408,728 shares of ARP common stock, which constituted all of the ARC common stock held by Color Expressions, Inc.
The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the ARP common stock held by OCB Reprographics, Inc. except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein and the inclusion of these shares in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all of the reported shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (5) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the ARP common stock held by Brownies Blueprint, Inc. except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein and the inclusion of these shares in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all of the reported shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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