#### **GLOBAL PAYMENTS INC**

Form 4

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## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KELLY JAMES G			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol GLOBAL PAYMENTS INC [GPN]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction											
10 GLENLA PARKWAY	(Month/Day/Year) 08/05/2005						Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)					
ATLANTA	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)	) Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or				d of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	08/05/2005			Code F	V	Amount 123	(D)	Price \$ 66.68	69,118	D		
Common Stock	08/08/2005			F		4,185	D	\$ 66.65	64,933	D		

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		ate	Amou Under Securi	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KELLY JAMES G 10 GLENLAKE PARKWAY NORTH TOWER ATLANTA, GA 30328

Chief Financial Officer

## **Signatures**

James G. Kelly 08/12/2005

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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