

STRAYER EDUCATION INC
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HLAVINKA LYSA A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O STRAYER EDUCATION
INC, 1100 WILSON BOULEVARD,
SUITE 2500

(Street)

ARLINGTON, VA 22209

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
STRAYER EDUCATION INC
[STRA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/12/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Exec VP & Chief Admin. Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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) | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|--------|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | | | |
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | | | |
| Common Stock | 05/12/2008 | | M | | 500 | A | \$ 119.72 | 17,544 | D |
| Common Stock | 05/12/2008 | | S | | 500 | D | \$ 192.5 | 17,044 | D |
| Common Stock | 05/13/2008 | | M | | 1,000 | A | \$ 119.72 | 18,044 | D |
| Common Stock | 05/13/2008 | | S | | 1,000 | D | \$ 192.6 | 17,044 | D |
| | 05/14/2008 | | M | | 6,500 | A | | 23,544 | D |

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|--------------|------------|--|---|-------|--------|----|--------|---|
| Common Stock | | | | | \$ | | | |
| | | | | | 119.72 | | | |
| Common Stock | 05/14/2008 | | S | 6,500 | D | \$ | 17,044 | D |
| | | | | | 195.04 | | | |

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 Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|--|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 119.72 | 05/12/2008 | | M | 500 | <u>(1)</u> 05/10/2012 | Common Stock | 500 | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 119.72 | 05/13/2008 | | M | 1,000 | <u>(1)</u> 05/10/2012 | Common Stock | 1,000 | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 119.72 | 05/14/2008 | | M | 6,500 | <u>(1)</u> 05/10/2012 | Common Stock | 6,500 | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 107.28 | | | | | 02/15/2009 02/14/2013 | Common Stock | 15,000 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| HLAVINKA LYSA A C/O STRAYER EDUCATION INC 1100 WILSON BOULEVARD, SUITE 2500 ARLINGTON, VA 22209 | | | Exec VP & Chief Admin. Officer | |

Signatures

/s/ Mark C. Brown, By: Mark C. Brown,
Attorney-in-Fact

05/14/2008

__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 options became fully vested on May 12, 2008.

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