FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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			of Section So(n) of the investment Company Act of 1940								
1	Address of Reporting F		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ESCO TECHNOLOGIES INC [ESE]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
BARCLAY ALYSON S				Director 10% Owner							
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/15/2005	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) V.P., Secretary & Gen. Coun.							
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)							
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)		—	X Form filed by One Reporting Person								
		(Zip)		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities / Disposed Of (5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
COMMON STOCK	08/15/2005		М		1,200	A	\$10.7813	46,999	D	
COMMON STOCK	08/15/2005		F		116	D	\$110.81	46,883	D	

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 Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION (RIGHT TO BUY)	\$10.7813	08/15/2005		М			1,200	(1)	02/09/2009	COMMON STOCK	1,200	\$0 ⁽²⁾	3,800	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. 10-01-2000 - 2,333 SHARES, 10-01-2001 - 2,333 SHARES, 10-01-2002 - 2,334 SHARES

2. NOT APPLICABLE

A. S. BARCLAY

** Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* 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).

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