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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address WARD JACKIE		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EQUIFAX INC [EFX]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) 1550 PEACHTR	^(First) EE STREET, N	(Middle) N.W.	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2004					Officer (give title below)	Other (specify be	elow)	
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line)				
ATLANTA, GA 30309								_X_Form Filed by One Reporting Person Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Zip)			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)	(Instr. 8)	4. Securi (A) or D (Instr. 3, Amount	(A) or	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)		Beneficial Ownership	

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)													
Security	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	5. Numb of Deriva Securi Acqui (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr. 4, and	ative ities red sed 3,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		e Exercisable 7. Title and Amount xpiration Date of Underlying h/Day/Year) Securities		(Instr. 5)	of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Issuer's	Ownership Form of Derivative	Beneficial
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares				
Phantom Stock Units	\$ 0 <u>(1)</u>	12/31/2004 ⁽²⁾		А	880		<u>(3)</u>		Common Stock	880	\$ 0	10,033	D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
WARD JACKIE M 1550 PEACHTREE STREET, N.W. ATLANTA, GA 30309	Х					

Signatures

/s/ Ward, Jacquelyn M.	02/05/2005
**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 phantom stock converts into common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (2) This total includes restricted stock units acquired through the Company's Deferred Compensation Plan before the new SEC reporting rules went into effect in August 1996. This adjustment is being made in order to reconcile the reported total and the actual total currently held in the participant's account.
- (3) The units are to be settled 100% in cash beginning on a date elected by the participant that is at lest one year after the end of the Plan Year for which the initial deferral is made, or upon the reporting person's ceasing to serve as a director.

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