

CROWTHER JOHN M  
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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 \*  
**CROWTHER JOHN M**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**DIEBOLD INC [DBD]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**C/O DIEBOLD, INCORPORATED, 5995 MAYFAIR ROAD**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**02/20/2006**

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below)  
 \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**VP, Chief Information Officer**

(Street)  
**NORTH CANTON, OH 44720**

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 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)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock					348	I	401(k) <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock					2,246	I	By Wife
Common Stock	02/20/2006		A <sup>(2)</sup>	1,000 A \$ 0	5,253	D	

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 (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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 36.51					07/08/2003 07/07/2012	Common Stock	15,000
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 36.31					02/05/2004 02/04/2013	Common Stock	12,000
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 53.1					02/11/2005 02/10/2014	Common Stock	8,600
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 55.23					02/10/2006 02/09/2015	Common Stock	8,100
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 39.43	02/20/2006		A <sup>(3)</sup>	8,000	02/20/2007 02/19/2016	Common Stock	8,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CROWTHER JOHN M C/O DIEBOLD, INCORPORATED 5995 MAYFAIR ROAD NORTH CANTON, OH 44720			VP, Chief Information Officer	

## Signatures

Chad F. Hesse, Att'y.-in-fact for John M. Crowther 02/22/2006

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) Number of 401(k) shares owned as of most current statement; fractional shares omitted.

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- (2) Award of restricted stock units; each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Diebold, Incorporated common stock.
- (3) Granted under the 1991 Equity and Performance Incentive Plan; option is generally exercisable in annual increments of 25% beginning one year from date of grant.

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