

MCCRACKEN STEVEN C

Form 4

January 31, 2006

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MCCRACKEN STEVEN C

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2180 RUTHERFORD ROAD

(Street)

CARLSBAD, CA 92008

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
CALLAWAY GOLF CO /CA [ELY]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/27/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)

Senior Executive VP

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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)
Common Stock	01/27/2006		A	(A) or (D) Amount 10,173 (1)	\$ 0 11,473	D	
Common Stock					26,574 (2)	I	Trust (2)
Common Stock					1,500	I	Spouse
Common Stock					550	I	Children's Trust
Common Stock					10,959 (3)	I	401(K) Plan

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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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 15.04	01/27/2006		A	31,677	(4) 01/27/2016	Common Stock	31,677

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
MCCRACKEN STEVEN C 2180 RUTHERFORD ROAD CARLSBAD, CA 92008	Senior Executive VP

Signatures

Brian P. Lynch Attorney-in-Fact for Steven C. McCracken under a Limited Power of Attorney dated August 21, 2002

01/31/2006

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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Until vested, these shares are subject to (i) certain restrictions on transfer and (ii) forfeiture if the reporting person ceases to be an employee of the Company. These shares are scheduled to vest on January 27, 2009, subject to accelerated vesting upon certain change in control events and subject to accelerated vesting upon certain termination of employment events.

These shares are held by the McCracken/Waggener Family Trust. The increase in shares held by the Trust since such holdings were last reported reflects the acquisition of 164 shares acquired in exempt transactions through dividend reinvestment and the Company's employee stock purchase plan.

The increase in shares held by the reporting person in the 401(K) Plan since such holdings were last reported reflects the acquisition of 253 shares acquired in exempt transactions through the 401(K) Plan.

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- (4) This stock option is scheduled to vest as follows: 10,559 shares on 01/27/2007; 10,559 shares on 01/27/2008; and 10,559 shares on 01/27/2009.

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