

SYKES JOHN H
Form 4
October 10, 2006

FORM 4

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SYKES JOHN H

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
SYKES ENTERPRISES INC
[SYKE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

100 NORTH TAMPA
STREET, SUITE 2700

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/05/2006

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

TAMPA, FL 33602

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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. 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) | | |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------|---|--|--|---|-------------|----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| Common Stock | 10/05/2006 | | S | | 12,500 | D | \$ 20.6 | 8,073,596 I | By Limited Partnership (1) |
| Common Stock | 10/05/2006 | | S | | 12,500 | D | \$ 20.55 | 8,061,096 I | By Limited Partnership (1) |
| Common Stock | 10/05/2006 | | S | | 5,000 | D | \$ 20.53 | 8,056,096 I | By Limited Partnership (1) |
| Common | 10/05/2006 | | S | | 45,000 | D | \$ | 8,011,096 I | By Limited |

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|-----------------|---------|--------------------|
| Stock | 20.51 | Partnership (1) |
| Common Stock | 7,950 I | By Spouse (2) |

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) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
|---|--|---|---|--------------------------------------|--|--|---|---|--|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|---|----------------------------------|
| | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| SYKES JOHN H 100 NORTH TAMPA STREET SUITE 2700 TAMPA, FL 33602 | X |

Signatures

/s/ Martin A. Traber as Attorney-in-Fact for John H.
Sykes 10/10/2006

____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) Shares owned by Mr. Sykes through Jopar Investments Limited Partnership, a North Carolina limited partnership in which Mr. Sykes is the sole limited partner and the sole shareholder of the limited partnership's sole general partner.

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(2) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares.

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