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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person *				2. I	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
MORAN WILLIAM J (Last) (First) (Middle)					ESPEED INC [ESPD] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)							x	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)					
135 EAST 57TH ST					10/20/2004									_ Officer (giv	e title below	0	tner (specify	below)
	(Stre	,		4. I	f An	nendmer	nt, Date	Origir	nal Fi	led (MI	M/DI	D/YYYY	6. In	dividual o	or Joint/G	roup Filing	Check Appl	icable Line)
NEW YORK, NY 10022 (City) (State) (Zip)												_ X F	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		ŗ	Гable I - N	Non-Der	ivati	ive Secu	rities A	cquir	ed, D	ispose	d o	f, or B	eneficia	ally Own	ed			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans. 1				Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any			Code	or Di	or Disposed of (D)			Followin	ollowing Reported Transaction(s) Ownership of India nstr. 3 and 4) Ownership Form: Benefic			7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
							Code	v	Amo		.) or D)	Price						(Instr. 4)
	Tab	le II - Deri	vative Sec	urities E	Bene	ficially (Owned	(e.g.	, put	s, calls	, wa	arrant	s, optio	ns, conve	rtible sec	urities)		
Security Conversion Date		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans. 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			7. Title and Amor Securities Underly Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)		ng Derivative		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Expirat Date	on ,	Title		Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Option to purchase Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per	\$9.82	10/20/2004		A		10000		1	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(2)</u>		Cla Commo par valu per si	n Stock, ue \$0.01	10000	(3)	10000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) These options will generally vest in three equal installments on each of the first three semi-anniversaries of the date of grant.
- (2) These options will expire 10 years from the date of grant, subject to accelerated expiration under certain circumstances.
- (3) These options were granted pursuant to eSpeed, Inc.'s 1999 Long-Term Incentive Plan.

Reporting Owners

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Panarting Owner Name / Address	20	Relationships		
Reporting Owner Name / Addres	Director	10% Owner	officer	Other
MORAN WILLIAM J				
135 EAST 57TH ST	X			
NEW YORK, NY 10022				

Signatures

/s/ William J. Moran 10/22/2004

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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