

INTER TEL INC
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**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
KNEIP KURT R

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1615 S 52ND STRET
(Street)

TEMPE, AZ 85281

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
INTER TEL INC [INTL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/18/2005

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)
Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	02/18/2005		S		1,728 D \$ 27.93	31,388	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005		S		800 D \$ 27.92	30,588	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005		S		200 D \$ 27.91	30,388	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005		S		400 D \$ 27.9025	29,988	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005		S		1,200 D \$ 27.9	28,788	D

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Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 27.892	27,788	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	300	D	\$ 27.89	27,488	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	700	D	\$ 27.8885	26,788	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	500	D	\$ 27.882	26,288	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	300	D	\$ 27.88	25,988	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	400	D	\$ 27.8775	25,588	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	200	D	\$ 27.852	25,388	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	200	D	\$ 27.85	25,188	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	1,100	D	\$ 27.8481	24,088	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	300	D	\$ 27.8366	23,788	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	1,200	D	\$ 27.8208	22,588	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 27.818	21,588	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	600	D	\$ 27.8033	20,988	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	400	D	\$ 27.8025	20,588	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	500	D	\$ 27.8	20,088	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	700	D	\$ 27.792	19,388	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	300	D	\$ 27.7894	19,088	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	200	D	\$ 27.785	18,888	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	300	D	\$ 27.77	18,588	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	300	D	\$ 27.7633	18,288	D
	02/18/2005	S	2,600	D		15,688	D

Explanation of Responses:

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

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