

KORN FERRY INTERNATIONAL  
 Form 4  
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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 \*  
 HOURIHAN GARY C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 KORN FERRY INTERNATIONAL  
 [KFY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 C/O KORN/FERRY  
 INTERNATIONAL, 1900 AVENUE  
 OF THE STARS, SUITE 2600

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/17/2004

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 EVP and Pres. Global Mngmt

(Street)  
 LOS ANGELES, CA 90067

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

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/17/2004		M		10,500	A	\$ 14 94,031
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/17/2004		S		2,800	D	\$ 21.3 91,231
Common Stock, par	12/17/2004		S		300	D	\$ 90,931 21.35

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value \$0.01 per share							
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/17/2004	S	5,800	D	\$ 21.36	85,131	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/17/2004	S	600	D	\$ 21.37	84,531	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/17/2004	S	100	D	\$ 21.38	84,441	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/17/2004	S	100	D	\$ 21.4	84,341	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/17/2004	S	600	D	\$ 21.41	83,731	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/17/2004	S	200	D	\$ 21.42	83,531	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	M	3,166	A	\$ 14	86,697	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	M	20,000	A	\$ 7.38	106,697	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	M	8,334	A	\$ 8.1	115,031	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	S	5,200	D	\$ 21.28	109,831	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	12/20/2004	S	400	D	\$ 21.33	109,431	D

per share							
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	S	100	D	\$ 21.34	109,331	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	S	400	D	\$ 21.35	108,931	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	S	400	D	\$ 21.36	108,531	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	S	4,300	D	\$ 21.37	104,231	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	S	500	D	\$ 21.38	103,731	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	S	1,500	D	\$ 21.39	102,231	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	S	1,300	D	\$ 21.4	100,931	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	S	1,800	D	\$ 21.41	99,131	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	S	1,900	D	\$ 21.42	97,231	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	S	800	D	\$ 21.43	96,431	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	S	500	D	\$ 21.44	95,931	D

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	S	4,000	D	\$ 21.45	91,931	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	S	600	D	\$ 21.46	91,331	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	S	300	D	\$ 21.47	91,031	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	S	700	D	\$ 21.5	90,331	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/20/2004	S	200	D	\$ 21.52	90,131	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 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14	12/17/2004		M	10,500	02/10/2000 <sup>(1)</sup>	02/10/2009	Common Stock	10,500
Employee Stock	\$ 14	12/20/2004		M	3,166	02/10/2000 <sup>(1)</sup>	02/10/2009	Common Stock	3,166

Option  
(right to  
buy)

Employee  
Stock

Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.38	12/20/2004	M	20,000	09/27/2003 <sup>(2)</sup>	09/27/2012	Common Stock	20,0
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Employee  
Stock

Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.1	12/20/2004	M	8,334	06/30/2004 <sup>(3)</sup>	06/30/2013	Common Stock	8,33
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## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other

HOURIHAN GARY C  
C/O KORN/FERRY INTERNATIONAL  
1900 AVENUE OF THE STARS, SUITE 2600  
LOS ANGELES, CA 90067

EVP and Pres. Global Mngmt

## Signatures

/s/ Peter L. Dunn,  
Attorney-in-fact

12/21/2004

\*\*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) The option vested in three equal annual installments beginning on February 10, 2000.
- (2) The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on September 27, 2003.
- (3) The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on June 30, 2004.

### Remarks:

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