FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGE	S IN BENEFIC	CIAL OWNERS	HIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BREEN WILLIAM G					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ADHEREX TECHNOLOGIES INC [AMEX:ADH]							(Ch	eck all applica	tionship of Reporting all applicable) Director Officer (give title		on(s) to Issu 10% Ow Other (s	ner
(Last) 4620 CR	•	First) E DRIVE, SUIT	(Middle) TE 200			B. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2007							below)			below)	респу
(Street) DURHA (City)		Catate)	27703 (Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable) K Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(0.9)		,		-Derivs	ıtiva S	ecuritie		rauired	Die	nosed o	f or Rei	neficially	, Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Tran			2. Transa Date			Code (Instr.		ed (A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership				
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 a	on(s)		1	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock											680,	680,717		D			
Common Stock											179,	179,813		I (715161 Ontario Ltd		
Common Stock												507,	507,251			By Spouse	
			Table II - I							osed of, convertil			Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	erivative Conversion Date Execution Date, ecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		Cod	sunsaction de (Instr. Securities Acquired (A or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) d (A) osed ostr.				7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction	e es ally g	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Cod	e V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)			
Stock Options (Right to buy)	\$0.57	05/15/2007		A		200,000		05/15/200	8 ⁽¹⁾	05/15/2014	Common Stock	200,000	\$0	200,0	000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The options to which this note relates vest in three (3) equal installments beginning on the date reported above.

James A. Klein, Jr, Attorney-in-Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

05/17/2007

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).
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