

TAYLOR MAURICE M JR
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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 *
TAYLOR MAURICE M JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
TITAN INTERNATIONAL INC [TWI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2701 SPRUCE STREET
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/08/2005

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Chairman & CEO

QUINCY, IL 62301

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common stock ⁽¹⁾	11/08/2005		S		118,500	D	\$ 17.2587
Common stock ⁽¹⁾	11/09/2005		S		284,000	D	\$ 17.1578
							1,465,866
							1,181,866

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. Pr Deri Secur (Inst	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock incentive plan stock option - vested	(2)					(2)	(2)	Common stock	229,010
Stock incentive plan stock option - unvested	\$ 13.35					(3)	06/24/2015	Common stock	75,815

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
TAYLOR MAURICE M JR 2701 SPRUCE STREET QUINCY, IL 62301	X		Chairman & CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Maurice M. Taylor Jr. 11/10/2005

**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) I have not intended that my participation with One Equity Partners LLC would exceed over ten million dollars of my holdings. I have intended to sell the remaining shares of my holdings for my own estate planning. I have sold the last few days, 402,500 shares of Titan common shares. I reserve the right to sell any further stock for my estate. I believe that \$17 plus was a fair offer, even if others do not.

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This is my personal opinion and should not be construed that the transaction will proceed or that a definitive agreement has or will be reached.

(2) Various

(3) Unvested

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