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may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HENLEY GARY	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ORTHOFIX INTERNATIONAL N V [OFIX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ORTHOFIX INC, 10115 KINCEY AVENUE STE 250	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/06/2005	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) President, Americas Division		
(Street) HUNTERSVILLE, NC 28078	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	05/06/2005		M	1,000	A	\$ 17.875	1,490	D	
Common Stock	05/06/2005		S	1,000	D	\$ 45.9671	490	D	
Common Stock							1,000	I	Henley Family Limited Partnership

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	vative Expiration Date les (Month/Day/Year) led led of		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.875	05/06/2005		M	1,000	<u>(1)</u>	01/01/2009	Common Stock	1,000

Reporting Owners

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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HENLEY GARY
C/O ORTHOFIX INC
10115 KINCEY AVENUE STE 250
HUNTERSVILLE, NC 28078

President,
Americas
Division

Signatures

s/Brian McCollum, by power of attorney 05/10/2005

**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) The option is currently exercisable.

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