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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* GARCIA PAUL R (Last) (First) (Middle) 10 GLENLAKE PARKWAY NORTH TOWER (Street) ATLANTA GA 30328						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GLOBAL PAYMENTS INC [GPN] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/07/2006 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									tionship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) President and CEO ridual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				able Line)
(City)	(State)	(Zi _l																	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date				ansaction th/Day/Year)		2A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	ed Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr.		Amount (A) or (B) Amount (B) Or (B) Amount (A) or (B) Pi) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owr Following Repor Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 08/0						/07/2006			F		12,55	5	D	\$0	258,787			D	
Common Stock															898			I	By 401(k)
	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)	Execution Date, TYear) if any		4. Transaction Code (Instr. B)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Ye		e Securities Unde Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		derlying curity Amount or	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	e s lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(D)	Date Exercisa				Number of Shares										
Explanation of Re	sponses:																		

Remarks:

By: Suellyn P. Tornay ** Signature of Reporting Person 09/13/2006

Date

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