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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* GARCIA PAUL R					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GLOBAL PAYMENTS INC [GPN]								(Check	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Pinches						
(Last)	(First)	`	Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/01/2006								X	Director Officer (g below)		d	10% Owner Other (specify below)			
10 GLENLAKE PARKWAY				L										President and CEO						
NORTH TOWER				4	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street) ATLANTA GA 30328													X	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(State	e) (2	Zip)																	
		Ţ	able I - Nor	า-Deriva	itive S	ecurit	ies Acc	uired,	—— Disp	osed of	f, or E	Benefic	ially Ow	ned						
Dat			2. Transac Date (Month/Da		2A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Ye	ion Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr.)		4. Securi Dispose				Securities Beneficially Following	Beneficially Owned Following Reported		nership : Direct (D) direct (I) : 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
								Code	v	Amount (A) or (D)		Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock 12/0				12/01/2	01/2006		M		10,00	00	A	\$ <mark>0</mark>	251,766			D				
Common Stock 12/0				12/01/2	01/2006		S		10,00	00	D	\$ <mark>0</mark>	241,766			D				
Common Stock											Ĭ			89	8		I	By 401(k)		
Common Stock													17,0	17,021		I	By Trust			
			Table II - I	Derivativ e.g., put										ed						
Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	se (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye	Code	Transaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		Securities Underlyi		erlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securitie Beneficia Owned Following Reported	e s ally g	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(A) (D)		Date E Exercisable D				Amount or Number of Shares		Transact (Instr. 4)	ion(s)				
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$7.33	12/01/2006		М	M		10,000	(1) 1:		2/19/2010	Common Stock 10		10,000	\$0	151,3	66	D			

Explanation of Responses:

1. This option will become exercisable in the following increments: 20% on December 19, 2002, 25% on December 19, 2003, 25% on December 19, 2004 and 30% on December 19, 2005.

Remarks:

By: Suellyn P. Tornay

12/01/2006

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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