

DIODES INC /DEL/
Form 4
May 16, 2006

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
GIORDANO MICHAEL R

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O DIODES INC, 3050 E
HILLCREST DR**

(Street)

WESTLAKE, CA 91362

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
DIODES INC /DEL/ [DIOD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/15/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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Person

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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	05/15/2006		M ⁽¹⁾		7,500	A	\$ 2	25,030	D
Common Stock	05/15/2006		S ⁽²⁾		7,500	D	\$ 36.7218	17,530	D
Common Stock	05/15/2006		S ⁽²⁾		4,500	D	\$ 36.7218	13,030	D

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

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(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)
Common Stock (Right to Buy)	\$ 2	05/15/2006		M ⁽¹⁾	7,500	10/25/2000 ⁽³⁾ 10/25/2009	Common Stock 7,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GIORDANO MICHAEL R C/O DIODES INC 3050 E HILLCREST DR WESTLAKE, CA 91362		X		

Signatures

Carl C. Wertz as Power of Attorney for Michael Giordano 05/16/2006

____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) Exercise pursuant to previously filed 10b5-1 Plan.
- (2) Sale pursuant to previously filed 10b5-1 Plan.
- (3) Options exercisable in 3 equal annual installments beginning 10/25/2000.
- (4) Options granted under Rule 16b-3 Plan.

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