EZ EM INC Form 4 August 15, 2006

FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **BECKMAN ROBERT J** Issuer Symbol EZ EM INC [EZEM] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title 47 BROOK FARM ROAD 08/15/2006 below) (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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BEDFORD, NY 10506

(City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial any (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code Amount (D) Price Common 08/15/2006 P 4,000 8,500 D 13.21 Stock

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)

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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. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		e	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deri Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Common Stock Option (1)	\$ 5.43					05/31/2004	05/30/2013	Common Stock	912	
Common Stock Option (1)	\$ 12.1					05/29/2005	05/28/2014	Common Stock	912	
Common Stock Option (1)	\$ 10.36					08/17/2004	08/16/2014	Common Stock	9,127	
Common Stock Option (2)	\$ 14.51					01/17/2005	11/22/2014	Common Stock	24,000	
Common Stock Option (2)	\$ 14.68					05/28/2006	05/27/2015	Common Stock	4,000	
Common Stock Option (2)	\$ 17.49					05/16/2006	05/15/2016	Common Stock	5,000	
Common Stock Option (2)	\$ 15.64					06/03/2006	06/02/2016	Common Stock	4,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BECKMAN ROBERT J						
47 BROOK FARM ROAD	X					
BEDFORD, NY 10506						

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Signatures

By: Joseph A. Cacchioli, as Attorney-In-Fact

08/15/2006

**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) Options granted under E-Z-EM's Directors and Consultants Stock Option Plan.
- (2) Options granted under E-Z-EM's 2004 Stock and Incentive Award Plan.

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