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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment<br/>Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Pe SALDARINI CHARLES T	2. Issuer Name and PDI INC [PDII]	Ticker or T	Fradin	ng Symbo	1	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) C/O PDI, INC., SADDLE RIVE ROUTE 17 SOUTH		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/29/2005						X         Officer (give title below)         Other (specify below)           Vice Chairman, Chief Exec Off.			
(Street) SADDLE RIVER, NJ 07458	4	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									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year) any (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		of (D)	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership					

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	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.		5. Numb	er	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title and		8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transact	tion	of		Expiration I	Date	Amount of		Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)		Code		Derivativ	ve	(Month/Day	/Year)	Underlying		Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial
(	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	)	Securitie				Securities		· /		Derivative	-
	Derivative					Acquired	1			(Instr. 3 and	d 4)			2	(Instr. 4)
	Security					(A) or							0	Direct (D)	
						Disposed	lof						1	or Indirect	
						(D)							Transaction(s)	< / <	
						(Instr. 3,	4,						(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
						and 5)	-								
											Amount				
								Date	Expiration		or				
								Exercisable	1	Title	Number				
				<b>C</b> 1		(1)					of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)				Shares				
Stock										C					
Appreciation	\$ 20.145	03/29/2005		А		34,687		<u>(2)</u>	03/29/2010	Common Stock	34,687	\$ 0	34,687	D	
Rights (1)						ĺ ĺ				Stock			í.		
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## **Reporting Owners**

		Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
SALDARINI CHARLES T C/O PDI, INC., SADDLE RIVER EXEC. CTR. 1 ROUTE 17 SOUTH SADDLE RIVER, NJ 07458	х		Vice Chairman, Chief Exec Off.						

## **Signatures**

Charles T. Saldarini	06/23/2005	
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) These stock appreciation rights were granted under PDI, Inc.'s 2004 Stock Award and Incentive Plan.

(2) One third of the total stock appreciation rights will become exercisable on each of 3/29/2006, 3/29/2007 and 3/29/2008.

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