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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	dress of Reporting <u>E THOMAS</u>		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WILLIS GROUP HOLDINGS LTD [WSH]		ationship of Reporting Pe k all applicable) Director	rson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	x	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)
C/O WILLIS	GROUP HOLD	INGS LIMITED	08/06/2004		VC & Co-COO, G	arp Chief FO
10 TRINITY	SQUARE					
(Street) LONDON	X0	EC3P3AX	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indi Line) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filir Form filed by One Rep	porting Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	-		Form filed by More that Person	an One Reporting

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)	Code (4. Securities A Disposed Of (5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
COMMON STOCK	08/06/2004		X		393	Α	\$13.5 ⁽¹⁾	59,493	D	

 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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		of Expirat		Expiration Da	Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
COMMON STOCK	\$13.5 ⁽¹⁾	08/06/2004		x		393		08/01/2004	01/31/2005	Common	393	\$13.5 ⁽¹⁾	481,035	I	Right to buy

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option exercise price was GBP 9.85 being the sterling equivalent at the date of offer.

<u>/s/ William P. Bowden Jr. as</u> <u>attorney-in-fact for Thomas</u> <u>Colraine</u>

08/09/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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