FORM 4

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

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MCGRATH JOAN M					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MCGRATH RENTCORP [ MGRC ]										ship of Reporting Pe applicable) Director		Issuer X	10% Own		
(Last) (F 5700 LAS POSITAS ROAD	irst)	(Mi	ddle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/28/2004									Officer (give title	below)		Other (sp	ecify below)	
(Street)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
LIVERMORE C.	A	94	551											X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City) (S	tate)	(Zi <sub>l</sub>	0)															<b>3</b> · · · ·		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
, , , ,			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Exe	Deemed ecution Date,				4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) 3, 4 and 5)			.   E	. Amount of Securiti leneficially Owned F	ollowing	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial			
				Year) if a	if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)		Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock															30,458			I	ESOP	
Common Stock															55,341			I	R. McGrath ESOP	
Common Stock					03/02/2	005		D		2	,000	D	\$42	.05	1,406,750			<b>D</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock					03/02/2	005		D		30	,000	D	\$42	.25	1,376,750			D <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock					03/02/2	005		D		3	,400	D	\$43	.05	1,373,350			D <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock					03/02/2	005		D		1	,500	D	\$43	3.4	1,371,850			<b>D</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock					03/02/2	005		D		2	,100	D	\$43	.41	1,369,750			D <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock					03/02/2	005		D		1	,000	D	\$43	.44	1,368,750			D <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock					03/03/2	005		D		1	,500	D	\$4	2	1,367,250			D <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock					03/03/2	005		D		1	,600	D	\$42	.05	1,365,650			D <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock					03/03/2	005		D		,	100	D	\$42	2.1	1,365,250			D <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock					03/03/2	005		D		,	100	D	\$42	.14	1,364,850			D <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock					03/03/2	005		D		,	100	D	\$42	.19	1,364,450			D <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock					03/03/2	005		D		4	100	D	\$42	.23	1,364,050			<b>D</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock					03/03/2	005		D			300	D	\$42	.76	1,363,750			D <sup>(1)</sup>		
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)				4. Transac (Instr. 8)	ction Code	Securities	of Derivative Acquired (A) o of (D) (Instr. 3,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities U Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			derlying	erlying 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		e F s (i	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						(4)	(5)	Date		xpiration			Amour	nt or		Reported	ion(s)			

Explanation of Responses: 1. Held in Trust with Robert McGrath

/s/ Randle F. Rose for Joan M. McGrath
\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

03/04/2005

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).

\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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For the Purpose of Filing Forms 3, 4 and 5 with the Securities and Exchange Commission

I, Joan M. McGrath, Director of McGRATH RENTCORP, a California Corporation, do hereby constitute and appoint Randle F. Rose and David M. Whitney, and each of To sign and file with the Securities and Exchange Commission any and all Form 3, Form 4 or Form 5 filings regarding my initial holdings, the purchase This instrument is to be construed and interpreted as a specific and not a general power of attorney. The enumeration of specific items, acts, right The rights, powers, and authority of said attorneys in fact to exercise the specific rights and powers herein granted shall commence and be in full 1 DATED: August 5, 2003.

BY:\_/s/ Joan M. McGrath