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(Print or Type	Responses)											
KNEIP KURT R Syn			Symbol			d Ticker o			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			INTER TEL INC [INTL]						(Check all applicable)			
(Mor									Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Financial Officer			
				Month/Day/Year)				A	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(CheckApplicable Line)_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
TEMPE, A	Z 85281							-	Form filed by Me Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - No	on-l	Derivative	e Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				(D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6.7. Nature ofOwnershipIndirectForm:BeneficialDirect (D)Ownershipor Indirect(Instr. 4)(I)(Instr. 4)		
C				Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	(111SU.5 and 4)			
Common Stock	02/18/2005			S		500	D	\$ 27.752	12,988	D		
Common Stock	02/18/2005			S		900	D	\$ 27.75	12,088	D		
Common Stock	02/18/2005			S		500	D	\$ 27.748	11,588	D		
Common Stock	02/18/2005			S		400	D	\$ 27.7	11,188	D		
Common Stock	02/18/2005			S		600	D	\$ 27.67	10,588	D		

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Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	500	D	\$ 27.622	10,088	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	1,000	D	\$ 27.612	9,088	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	600	D	\$ 27.54	8,488	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	900	D	\$ 27.5333	7,588	D
Common Stock	02/18/2005	S	1,500	D	\$ 27.4773	6,088	D

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. tionNumber of) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	;	ate	7. Title Amour Underl Securit (Instr. 1	nt of ying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	7 (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships								
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
KNEIP KURT R 1615 S 52ND STRET TEMPE, AZ 85281			Chief Financial Officer						
Signatures									
/s/ Kurt R. 02	2/22/2005								

Reporting Owners

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<u>**</u>Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

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

Date

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