ADVANCED MEDICAL OPTICS INC

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading LINK WILLIAM J PHD Issuer Symbol ADVANCED MEDICAL OPTICS (Check all applicable) INC [EYE] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title _ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) C/O ADVANCED MEDICAL 05/25/2006 OPTICS, INC., 1700 E ST. ANDREW PLACE (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting SANTA ANA, CA 92705 Person (State) (Zin)

(City)	(State) (A	Table	I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities			5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	ΓransactionAcquired (A) or			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of (D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
				(A)		Reported			
				or		Transaction(s)			
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/25/2006		A	768 (1)	A	\$ 0 (1)	6,145	D	
Common Stock	05/25/2006		A	3,900 (2)	D	\$ 0 (2)	10,045	D	

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

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					Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LINK WILLIAM J PHD C/O ADVANCED MEDICAL OPTICS, INC. 1700 E ST. ANDREW PLACE SANTA ANA, CA 92705

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Signatures

William J. Link, By Aimee S. Weisner, Attorney in

Fact 05/25/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
- Shares of restricted stock issued to the reporting person under the issuer's 2005 Incentive Compensation Plan in exchange for the reporting person's 2006 election to forego his annual retainer for service on the issuer's Board of Directors, computed on the basis of the closing price of the issuer's common stock on May 25, 2006. Such shares of restricted common stock will vest on the date of the issuer's 2007 Annual Meeting.
- (2) Exempt issuance of shares of restricted stock under the issuer's 2005 Incentive Compensation Plan, which issuance will vest on the date of the issuer's 2007 Annual Meeting.

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