

HOLDER JAMES T
Form 4
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HOLDER JAMES T

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SYKES ENTERPRISES INC
[SYKE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
400 N. ASHLEY DRIVE, SUITE 2800

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/07/2011

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Executive VP & Secretary

TAMPA, FL 33602

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 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) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|-----|-------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Code | V | Amount | (D) | Price |

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 | 2. Conversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 4. Transaction | 5. Number of Derivative | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities |
|------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|---|--|
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| Security (Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | |
|---------------------------------|---|-------------------------|--------------------|--|------------------|------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Appreciation Rights | \$ 18.67 | 03/07/2011 | A | | 8,982 | | <u>(1)</u> | <u>(1)</u> | Common Stock | 8,982 |
| Restricted Stock | \$ 18.67 | 03/07/2011 | A | | 10,249 | | <u>(2)</u> | <u>(2)</u> | Common Stock | 10,249 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| HOLDER JAMES T 400 N. ASHLEY DRIVE SUITE 2800 TAMPA, FL 33602 | | | Executive VP & Secretary | |

Signatures

/s/ James T. Holder as attorney-in-fact for James Holder 03/09/2011

__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) The stock appreciation rights were granted to the Reporting Person pursuant to the Issuer's 2001 Equity Incentive Plan and 1/3 will vest annually on and after each March 7, 2012, March 7, 2013, and March 7, 2014.
- (2) The Restricted Stock was granted to reporting person pursuant to the Issuer's 2001 Equity Incentive Plan and vesting is subject to previously established specific performance criteria through March 7, 2014.

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