

VERY DENNISON CORPORATION  
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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 \*  
 SKOVRAN MICHAEL A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 AVERY DENNISON CORPORATION [AVY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 150 N. ORANGE GROVE BLVD.  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/07/2006

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 VP and Controller

PASADENA, CA 91103

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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	12/07/2006		J <sup>(1)</sup>		59.494	A	\$ 0	1,762.914	I	SHARE Plan
Common Stock	12/07/2006		J <sup>(2)</sup>		182.091	A	\$ 0	3,150.412	I	Savings Plan
Common Stock								1,108	D	

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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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 67.795	12/07/2006		A <sup>(3)</sup>	16,206	12/07/2007 12/07/2016	Common Stock 16,206

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SKOVRAN MICHAEL A 150 N. ORANGE GROVE BLVD. PASADENA, CA 91103			VP and Controller	

## Signatures

By: Irene Marquard For: Michael E. Skovran

12/08/2006

\*\*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) Shares purchased under the Company's SHARE Plan in transactions exempt under Rule 16b-3(c)
- (2) Shares purchased under the Company's Employee Savings Plan in transactions exempt under Rule 16b-3(c)
- (3) Options are exercisable in four cumulative installments of 25% each year beginning on the first anniversary date of the grant, which is the date given.

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