

DUPREE LINDA
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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 *
DUPREE LINDA

(Last) (First) (Middle)
142 WEST 57TH STREET
(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10019

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ARBITRON INC [ARB]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/17/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
SVP, PPM/Nat'l Marketing Panel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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	11/17/2005		M		2,680	A	\$ 20.95
Common Stock	11/17/2005		S		2,680	D	\$ 38.22
Common Stock	11/17/2005		M		2,680	A	\$ 21.35
Common Stock	11/17/2005		S		2,680	D	\$ 38.22
Common Stock	11/17/2005		M		2,680	A	\$ 21.6

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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)	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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.95	11/17/2005		M	2,680	04/04/2002 04/04/2006	Common Stock	2,680
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.35	11/17/2005		M	2,680	04/05/2002 04/05/2006	Common Stock	2,680
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.6	11/17/2005		M	2,680	04/06/2002 04/06/2006	Common Stock	2,680

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

DUPREE LINDA
142 WEST 57TH STREET
NEW YORK, NY 10019

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SVP, PPM/Nat'l Marketing Panel

Signatures

/s/ Dolores L. Cody Attorney in Fact for Linda Dupree

11/18/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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