FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  WARREN GARY L						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NEWPARK RESOURCES INC [ NR ]									ationship o all applica Director	able)	g Perso	on(s) to Issu 10% Ow	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O NEWPARK RESOURCES, INC.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/28/2006									Officer ( below)	give title		Other (s below)	pecify
3850 N.CAUSEWAY BLVD., SUITE 1770						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
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(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, f any Month/Day/Year		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		Disposed	ies Acquired (A) o Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported		s Illy ollowing	Form:	: Direct I Indirect I str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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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 D if any (Month/Day/	ate, T	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		of Securities		ies g Securit	Derivati Security urity (Instr. 5)		9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	e Ow s For dly Dir or I g (I) (	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				c	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	er					
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$7.17	12/28/2006			A		10,000		12/28/2007 <sup>(1</sup>	) 1	2/28/2016	Common Stock	10,00	0	\$0.00	10,00	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The option becomes exercisable in three (3) equal annual installments on December 28, 2007, December 28, 2008 and December 28, 2009.

## Remarks:

/s/ Gary L. Warren

12/29/2006

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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