

INVACARE CORP  
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# FORM 5

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Form 3 Holdings Reported Form 4 Transactions Reported

## ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
BLOUCH GERALD B

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ONE INVACARE WAY

(Street)

ELYRIA, OH 44035

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
INVACARE CORP [IVC]

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)  
12/31/2005

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)  
President and COO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

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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) | (A) or (D) | Price | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|------------|-------|--|--|---|
| Common Shares                   | Â                                    | Â  | Â                              | Â   | Â          | Â     | 97,034   | D  | Â   |
| Common Shares                   | Â                                    | Â  | Â                              | Â   | Â          | Â     | 11,755   | I  | By Invacare Retirement Savings Plan <sup>(1)</sup>    |

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. F...                    |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  |                                | (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable Expiration Date                         | Title   | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)       | Â  | Â                                    | Â  | Â                              | Â Â   | Â (3) Â (3)  | Common Shares   | 734,300                    |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                          | Relationships |           |                     |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer             | Other |
| BLOUCH GERALD B<br>ONE INVACARE WAY<br>ELYRIA, OH 44035 | Â X           | Â         | Â President and COO | Â     |

## Signatures

/s/ Gerald Blouch 02/09/2006

\*\*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) Owned by Trustee for the Invacare Corporation 401(k) Plus Benefit Equalization Plan. The information given is based on a Plan Statement dated December 31, 2005, the most recent information reasonably available.
- (2) No transaction is being reported on this line. Reported on a previously filed Form 3, Form 4, or Form 5.

The reporting person holds previously reported options to buy 734,300 Common Shares (with tandem tax withholding rights) under the Invacare Corporation 1994 Performance Plan and the Invacare Corporation 2003 Performance Plan, granted in reliance upon the exemption provided by Rule 16b-3, all of which are currently exercisable. All options were granted between February 26, 1996 and September 8, 2005, at exercise prices between \$18.6875 and \$44.30 per share, will expire between February 26, 2006 and September 8, 2015 and became exercisable between March 31, 1997 and December 21, 2005.

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